Sumner Headquarters Fire Station

Sumner, Washington









The new fire station was designed and developed by Merritt in conjunction with city representatives and fire department personnel. The station sits in a residential neighborhood, closely linked to the downtown core and the "Sounder" rail station. The respect for the neighborhood led to placement of key components and the careful selection of materials and scale elements that would be compatible. The two drive-thru bay doors provide easy, quick response from both ends. The offices, training room, meeting rooms, and 2nd floor living quarters integrate well in a relatively tight urban site.

