HOW TO SERVE A COMMUNITY WITH SECURITY IN MIND

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Case Study

Here's how one township in Monroe County, Pennsylvania used Honeywell's MAXPRO® Cloud to their full advantage AND the advantage of their community without compromising safety.

The Needs

Monroe County has been one of the fastest-growing counties in the state of Pennsylvania and nestled within it is Chestnuthill Township. Township supervisors are continually striving to improve the residents' quality of life through the pursuit of sound infrastructure, clean air and water, and increased business development "to make Chestnuthill Township a more enjoyable place to live."

Part of that commitment is making access to the community it serves easier without compromising safety. "One way to do that is with increased controlled accessibility when our residents need it, not when it is convenient for Township Staff," says John Mathews, the IT coordinator for Chestnuthill. He explained that "The development of remote control for such access was an initiative, that changed everything."

The Solution

The company behind the Township's remote control access implementation is Royal Security Services of Saylorsburg, PA, a recognized leading security system integrator in the area. The company offers comprehensive product offerings to meet the needs of homeowners and communities like Chestnuthill Township.

Dave Manento, the company's President, points out that their security, access control, automation, IP cameras, burglar and fire alarm systems are custom designed and engineered to meet each client's needs. They selected Honeywell's MAXPRO® Cloud product as the solution for the Township because that product fit the bill perfectly.

The Benefits

"We selected the MAXPRO Cloud because it was engineered by Honeywell and powered by Microsoft Azure and is the industry-leading security system with best-in-class cloud technology," Manento explains. "There is no server or software to buy and manage," he adds. "There's a single user interface for monitoring, managing and measuring all of their locations. It's easy to configure, and lets the Township create rules for response when a certain trigger event takes place."

For example, in the past doors in the Chestnuthill Township Park Building locked at 5 P.M., where restrooms become inaccessible. "Now with Max Pro Cloud we can automate this function," Mathews says. "In fact, the building becomes self-sufficient. The Township can control its functionality and base it on the needs of the community."

Another use is for events where access is necessary for the event being held. If the people forget to return the keys in the past, it was a problem. "Now, we just disconnect the fob," Mathews explains. "We use it at the municipal building as well, and each volunteer group has their own access fob. There's no longer a need to designate one person 'with the key.'"

The MAXPRO Cloud system offers the Township:
- Saving hundreds of hours by eliminating drive times from one location to the next to unlock doors and oversee security systems at various office sites.
- Helps manage their facilities in the palm of their hands, using mobile devices to open doors or lock down a facility with a single button click.
- Makes it easy to prevent unauthorized access, ensuring regulatory compliance and monitoring people, property and assets.

"Instead of calling us, the MAXPRO Cloud gives the Township control of access 24/7," Manento points out. "We're not cutting ourselves out of the loop; we're just empowering the Township with what they need and acting like a true partner in the background. It's a win- win."

"We can rent the building for an event, or a certain group, they pick up the fob with their deposit, go to the event, swipe the fob and we get notification that the event is on," Mathews said. "We don't need to waste time unlocking the door. They turn the fob back in or we just disconnect it after the event. Simple, efficient."

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