

## WEST HAMPTON COMMUNITY CENTER HAMPTON, VIRGINIA

### GENERAL

The City of Hampton Parks and Recreation Department has provided its citizens with a state-of-the-art community center unlike any other in the Hampton Roads area. The City commissioned HSMM to program, plan, design, and oversee construction for the 22,500 square foot community center. The center, located on an existing middle school site, was designed to address the growing trends within the parks and recreation industry.

The facility is a one-story structure of masonry bearing walls and long span steel bowstring trusses. The bowstring truss framing was economically designed to be of only two different sizes and was used to provide outdoor patio areas as an extension off of the community room and gymnasium. The patio, community room, and catering kitchen will allow community activities, parties, and receptions to take place inside and/or outside as weather permits.



The community center includes a full size gymnasium with game lines for basketball and volleyball. A multipurpose room accommodates dance and aerobic wellness, as well as other enrichment activities. A fitness room houses weight training and cardiovascular equipment. The center also incorporates a lobby, casual activities, café style lounge, administration space, and building support services. The feature activity of the community center is its 30-foot climbing wall located in the main lobby/casual activities lounge.

Through the use of wide-open spaces, and much exterior and interior glass, most activities are visible from the lobby and main road - drawing people into the center and allowing it to become a major asset to the community.

#### Amenities:

- Gymnasium with basketball and volleyball courts and perimeter walking track
- Fitness room - free weights, machines, and cardiovascular equipment
- Lobby and café style lounge
- Multipurpose/Aerobics room
- Community room
- Rock climbing wall

#### HSMM project responsibilities include:

- Architectural Programming/Design
- Mechanical, Electrical, and Data/Telecommunications
- Structural Design
- Construction Administration
- Interior Design
- Market and Revenue analysis

### DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

### RESPONSIBILITIES

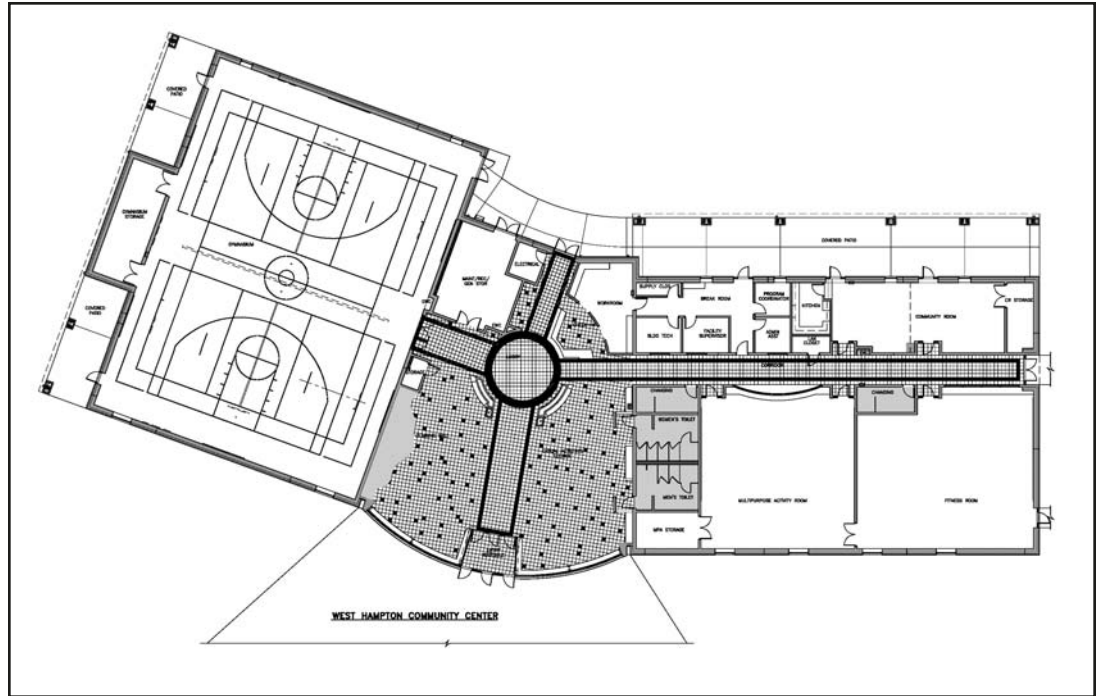
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## FLOOR PLAN



## BUILDING COST

\$2,100,000

## COMPLETION DATE

January 2004

## REFERENCE

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