

East Greenbush Public Library

East Greenbush, New York



The East Greenbush Community Library was housed for many years in very cramped space within the town office building. Strong community support and hard work by the Friends of the Library resulted in successful passage of a local bond to acquire land and build a new one story 22,000 square foot facility.

The circulation desk is centrally placed to allow for supervision of the library from a single point. The children's library is enclosed to achieve acoustic separation and incorporates large interior windows to maintain a visual connection.

The building also features community rooms that are strategically located to allow use after library hours. As a result of this design, the Library is heavily used for both educational and community activities. Since opening in 2000, circulation has increased five-fold.