



# New Construction Incentives

## Indianapolis Public Library

### The opportunity

Indianapolis Public Library (IndyPL) partnered with AES Indiana for a series of energy efficiency upgrade projects. Embarking on this transformative journey began in 2019. These upgrades combined both renovations and new construction projects, which showcased their commitment to sustainability and cutting-edge technology. With each project, IndyPL has not only embraced energy efficiency but has also become a beacon of inspiration for the community. Mike Coghlan, Capital Projects Manager, highlighted the significance of this partnership.

“Energy efficiency is a key component of how we manage our ongoing operating expenses,” Coghlan said. “We have utilized the Custom Incentive program from AES Indiana to uncover installation and operational savings at both existing and new facilities.”

### The project

AES Indiana played a pivotal role in transforming the IndyPL facilities into energy-efficient spaces. The construction of five new branches, which include lighting, HVAC and energy management systems, aligns with IndyPL’s aim to optimize their operating costs, maximize sustainability and improve the experience of patrons and staff.

### The results

With a quick investment payback period, these energy efficiency initiatives become a long-term strategy for cost-effectively managing the IndyPL operating budget. The measures installed also consider the overall comfort for patrons and staff and long-term energy and resource conservation.

### Have more questions?

To learn how your business can benefit from AES Indiana’s Custom Incentives program, please call 888-982-7071 or visit [aesindiana.com/your-business](https://aesindiana.com/your-business).

### Project fast facts

679,476 kWh

Estimated annual energy savings

\$61,152.86

Estimated annual cost savings\*

\$52,786.98

AES Indiana incentives paid to customer

IndyPL new branch locations included in the energy-efficiency projects:

- Eagle
- Fort Ben
- Glendale
- Michigan Road
- West Perry

\*Calculated at an estimated rate of \$0.09 per kWh.

AES Indiana offers business customers a wide range of programs to support energy efficiency projects.

**Custom Incentives** are available for energy-saving projects not offered in the Prescriptive Rebates program. Energy-saving opportunities include:

- New building construction
- Commercial refrigeration systems
- Process equipment
- Compressed air systems
- Energy management systems

**Prescriptive Rebates** help businesses reduce their payback periods on energy-efficient equipment, including:

- Lighting equipment
- HVAC equipment
- Kitchen equipment