

LEWES FIRE DEPARTMENT

LEWES, DELAWARE

Gillis Gilkerson completed renovations to Lewes Fire Department Station 82 located at 347 Savannah Road in Lewes, Delaware. Lewes Fire Department Station 82 has been at that location since 1931, and has gone through many transformations over the years. The latest round of renovations were completed in 2024, and included a variety of improvements to the active firehouse.

An elevator was added to the south-side of the building, requiring the addition of a three-story elevator shaft. An side entryway was created in front of the elevator shaft, and a second-floor balcony was added to the rear of the tower structure, allowing for access to the outdoor gathering area directly adjacent to the fire station's bunk rooms and staff areas.

Additional improvements were made to the staff kitchen and break room, bunk rooms, bathrooms and shower areas, and the HVAC system. Renovations were spearheaded by Gillis Gilkerson Project Manager Matt Esham, and Gillis Gilkerson Superintendent Greg Fitzpatrick.

"Firemen and women spend a lot of time in their fire stations. It feels good to make improvements that we know will impact their day-to-day lives in a positive way. They put their lives on the line for our community day-in and day-out." said GGI Project Manager Matt Esham.



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