

With careful planning and dialog with Akron's fire team, this new fire station will have a series of state-of-the-art features to assist the firefighters with decontamination of gear, small equipment, and most importantly, personnel.



### At A Glance:

- 112 S. Hawkins St. Akron
- 14,959 square feet
- Est. cost: \$9.5 Million
- Est. completion: October 2024

The new No. 12 fire station will serve Akron's west side neighborhoods in 2024, replacing a 7,000 square foot building that functioned for decades along West Market Street near the rail crossing through the city's Wallhaven neighborhood. Station No. 12 is located at 112 S. Hawkins, close to the busy intersection of Market Street, Hawkins Avenue and Exchange Street, just south of Westgate Circle and the Swensons Drive-In.

The station features nine beds and, at a minimum, will have a crew of six firefighter/medics, an engine, and a med unit. It will feature three full apparatus bays as well as equipment decontamination facilities and an air-drying hose tower. Other features include a three-bay apparatus bay, six dormitories, captain's housing, an extensive fitness room, meeting room, an office for police support and miscellaneous support spaces.