

Company: Westco Systems, Inc.

Profile: Mechanical Contractor with BAS Division

Parker Station, a 74,000 sq. ft. professional office building in Old Town Parker, was operating with a 30-year-old DDC system that was inefficient, inconsistent, and increasingly difficult to service. Property management needed to:

- Modernize outdated HVAC controls with intelligent BACnet technology
- Begin replacing equipment and controls with **minimal disruption** to operations
- Enable remote monitoring and reduce technician callouts
- Establish a scalable path for upgrading **110 aging fan-powered VAV boxes**, planned as Phase 2

Key Numbers

- Square footage:
 - 74,000 sq. ft.
- Devices:
 - · 2 BP848s,
 - 。 6 BZ122.
 - · 6 TZ2OO

The Solution - Phase 1

Westco Systems initiated the modernization by deploying Strato Automation controls specifically where the building needed them most: the VVT system and its connected VVT boxes. This first phase included:

- Retrofitting the existing VVT unit using Strato's open BACnet controllers
- Integrating upgraded rooftop units
- Establishing remote visibility and improved analytics through modern BAS integration

Results & Benefits

Energy savings through more efficient zone control

Improved tenant comfort

Reduced technician callouts thanks to remote monitoring and faster troubleshooting

Greater system reliability even with aging equipment.

Future-ready foundation for retrofitting the remaining 110 VAV boxes with minimal disruption

Why Strato?

Westco Systems chose Strato Automation because its open, flexible platform made retrofitting legacy Trane systems simple, cost-effective, and minimally disruptive. Westco Systems chose Strato for:

- Open BACnet architecture that seamlessly integrates with third party systems
- Purpose-built retrofit controls ideal for VVT/VAV modernization
- Scalable deployment allowing gradual conversion of 110+ zones
- Smart zone sensors and thermostats that enhance comfort and local control
- Flexible G-36 ready control strategies supporting both old and new equipment

Strato's open BACnet platform made modernizing Parker Station simple – seamless integration, modern controls, and minimal disruption to tenants and building operations.

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