

Tape Library Questions

1. Q: When the media gets placed back on the shelves, will it be in a similar order that it was removed, or will there be a sort that needs to take place?
A: The tapes are not in any Order at this time, they will be sorted by NASA after the reconfiguration of the library.

2. Q: How much SpaceSaver material is in stock that needs to be re-used? Could this information be provided with quantities and part #'s?
A: None, the Racks that are being reconfigured have 9-Track tape hangers being reconfigured into shelves.

3. Q: Is any of the shelving moving, or is it just getting reconfigured?
A: Each Row will have the 9-track Tape Hangers removed and 12" or 24 " shelving installed.

4. Q: Can you provide me with a current room layout? Is the shelving currently on a high density mobile system?
A: Yes we can attach the drawing, yes the system is currently in use on the mobile system.

5. Q: Can you provide me with an elevation of how the shelving will look when complete (How many shelves, supports and reinforcements per unit)?
A: Yes, Drawing will be attached.

6. Q: Will a dumpster be provided for the existing tape bars that are being removed?
A: No we will have plastics bins to transport them to our On-site Disposal contractor.

7. Q: Will you be having a site visit or allow vendors the opportunity to review the site?
A: No, but we can provide more photos.

8. Q: Do you have an actual floor plan in which we can see the highlighted areas that will be affected?
A: Yes

9. Q: Please confirm the following:
Reconfigure two rows, which include 8 sections 12" deep that will have 5 new shelves added?
A: yes
Reconfigure two rows, which include 8 sections 24" deep that will have 5 new shelves added?
A: No

10. Q: Will the additional parts be on site during the reconfiguration?
A: yes they are in the back of the tape library now.

11. Q: Will there be 9 tracks being stored on the shelves? Based on the weight would you like to use Heavy Duty supports? Media is usually heavier than paper so it is recommended.

A: No, the 9-track tapes were destroyed, the new media will be boxed 14 track media so yes they will need two supports per shelf.

12. Q: Do you have an idea of the linear filing inches (lfi) of media that need to be removed? You can simply provide me with a shelf count and I can figure out the lfi from there.

A: No, working on it.

13. Q: Can you provide any cost associated with ICAM toolset or what that might entail, we've had various background screenings required, but I am unfamiliar with this?

A: We will provide you with a Visit request form that will be filled out three days prior to the installation date, then the screening information will be run. Visit request data needed will be Name, Age, date of Birth, Company name, Place of birth, citizenship, Drivers licenses Number and last 6 of SSN.

14. Q: Please confirm actual implementation dates requested? Based on Spacesaver current lead times the Requested implementation date of 12/31/12 may not be achievable.

A: Change date to 2/1/2012