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# Urban security and **new technology**

An Axians Italia project for the  
Municipality of Arzignano (VI)

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## Innovation and safety

While thefts and traffic offences are on the rise on a national scale, there is a municipality in the province of Vicenza that has decided to fight crime by investing in innovation.

In the province of Arzignano, on Saturday 16 October 2021, **a new video surveillance operations room** was inaugurated at the headquarters of the local police station.

We at AXIANS Italia, thanks to the technologies of **Targa System and Avigilon**, have been involved from the beginning in the construction of the new security and video surveillance system for the Municipality of Vicentino.

The inauguration was attended by a series of institutional figures, such as the Minister for Disabilities; **Erika Stefani**, the Mayor; **Alessia Bevilacqua**, the Prefect; **Pietro Signoriello** and the Commander of the Local Police; **Antonio Berto**.

**Stefano Soattin, Head of Sales PA Nord** presented the AXIANS Italia project and commented:

*“In activities like these it’s essential to create the right synergy between technology and the needs of the territories, because in addition to the value of the surveillance set-up, there must be the value of adaptation to the required function. The real added value was to collaborate with the administration and the Police Corps to design the digital systems tailored to the actual city and make these systems easily accessible by those who have to work there daily, only in this way it was possible to achieve the best result.”*

But let’s get to the heart of the project.

## From the first installations to the new set-up

In **2016** a tender was called for the surveillance set-up at the Municipality of Arzignano with 3 specific focuses in mind:

- **Fiber-optic infrastructure**
- **Context video surveillance**
- **License plate reading video surveillance**

After winning the tender, we at AXIANS Italia worked on the installation of the first six license plate reading cameras and on the construction of the Wireless network infrastructure and servers in the Local Police.

From the first data collected these interventions immediately proved useful which encouraged the Municipality of Arzignano and the Veneto Region to continue on this path, making Arzignano an example to follow.



TVA news service of October 16, 2021 (minutaggio 22:28 – 24:09)

## Relevant project phases:

### 2017

- Implementation of territorial fiber optic network and connection with peripheral areas
- Implementation of 7 new license plate reading cameras
- Implementation of Avigilon context video surveillance (13 multisensor cameras)

### 2018

- Implementation of Avigilon context video surveillance (1 multisensor camera)

### 2019

- Implementation of 2 new cameras with color, make and model recognition technology

### 2020

- Update of license plate reading system

### 2021

- Implementation of 12 additional license plate reading gates
- Implementation of a control room for remote control at the head of the Local Police

Today the plant has **29 license plate System gates and 42 context cameras** that monitor in real time the most sensitive urban areas such as ecological islands, squares, parking lots, etc.

## Impact on the urban context

The urban security project carried out by Axians has made Arzignano an example of an honorable municipality, as well as a city increasingly attractive to large companies that are choosing this area to invest and establish their headquarters.

Prefect **Pietro Signoriello** also expressed the positive impact this would have on managing public order:

*“In the last 12 years we have recorded a **reduction in theft of 80%**. In particular, in the last three years 2017-2020 there has been a **23% drop** in all criminal events and also in these months of 2021 there is a further decrease of **16%**.*

*This must be given credit and credit must be given to all those who have made it possible to achieve this result.”*

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