



The Arlington Heights Park District was approached by Steve Gremer, President of Integrated Aquatic Environments, in 2014 about being a test facility for a new pool equipment controller (HALO). The next spring, this controller replaced the existing controller on a regenerative filter system for one of our indoor pools.

We were very excited about the prospect of having an all-in-one controller from which we could manage all aspects of the pool filtration system. We also liked having the ability to view and control the pool system remotely from a phone or computer, and receiving alerts via email if there was an issue. The touch screen and graphics are modern and appealing from a user-friendly standpoint.

The test unit was installed and, after some basic training from Steve, we were good to go. The user-friendly nature of the controller and the reliability of the system made pool maintenance and system monitoring significantly less time consuming. We saw a reduction in chemical level spikes and dips and had the luxury of real-time alerts and the ability to make real-time adjustments remotely when an issue arose, versus waiting for a staff member to come across the issue on their own. This decreased downtime and increased our efficiency as a maintenance department.

In 2017, we decided to upgrade to Integrated Aquatic Environment's updated version of the HALO, which included a larger touch screen, updated software and integrated our ozone system into the HALO Controller. We continue to be very pleased with the product and all it has to offer. I would recommend the HALO to any organization or company looking for an all-in-one controller that is reliable, user-friendly and remotely accessible.

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