

Project:

Retail Home Furnishings Facility
Fort Wayne, Indiana



Before



After



Faced with a tight schedule and a desire to locate a retail sales facility in Fort Wayne, Smith Brothers of Berne, Inc. and Habegger Furniture recently selected Irmscher, Inc. to renovate an existing building into a sprawling, new 22,000-sq. ft. retail showcase and design center for the two firms' furniture lines.

Irmscher, Inc.'s full-service design department served as an asset to the project from the beginning, transforming the complete façade of the formerly basic brick building in less than three months. Many other design details and amenities were added inside, improving the facility's function and customer flow. Due to the compressed schedule, Irmscher, Inc. allowed the owner to safely occupy portions of the facility while interior finishes and final exterior details were being completed.

The newly renovated facility consists of a furniture showroom gallery, as well as an employee area consisting of a large conference room and several employee offices. This efficiently designed space allows the owners to conduct yearly meetings to showcase the companies' new product lines to their dealers and distributors.

Client:

Smith Brothers of Berne, Inc. and Habegger Furniture

Architect(s):

Irmscher, Inc.

Services Provided:

Design/Build