



## Client Case Study

ASC, Inc.

### Develop a Secure Enterprise Architecture Framework for the National Archives

American Systems Corporation, Inc. (ASC), managers of the Electronic Records Archive program, came to EKIVE with a considerable challenge –to develop a framework for a Secure Enterprise Architecture that would support one of the U.S. President’s 24 priority E-Government initiatives. Another consulting organization had been given this responsibility and six months to deliver but had failed to meet the customer’s demands: A comprehensive framework to guide the development of a workable architecture. The challenging timeframe for this project was 3 weeks in which to develop and deliver a product that would satisfy the customer.

EKIVE’s expertise was sought because we were able to offer the following critical capabilities:

- ▲ Ability to mobilize a highly qualified and experienced team quickly.
- ▲ Understanding to integrate security functionality seamlessly in scalable enterprise architectures.
- ▲ Successful track record of developing effective solutions quickly.
- ▲ Effective communication in presenting the information, concepts and constructs behind the architecture clearly and concisely.

Our work included:

- ▲ Development of a consolidated project plan that would incrementally add richness and depth to the Secure Enterprise Architecture.
- ▲ Development and documentation of a framework for the Secure Enterprise Architecture.
- ▲ Production of a comprehensive framework document.
- ▲ Presentation of solution to NARA’s IT executive team.

NARA received the Secure Enterprise Architecture framework ahead of schedule, enabling them to meet their accelerated program requirements.

## About EKIVE LLC

EKIVE accelerates your business by managing complex technical programs and delivering strategic development initiatives. We have a strong track record in applying appropriate technology and processes in the delivery of solutions that add tangible value quickly, and minimize the time to profitable revenue for our clients. EKIVE was founded in 1999 and is headquartered in Reston, VA.