## II. Utility Summary

## **Benchmarking Report**

The following chart provides a comparison of this facility with other similar facilities in the PSE service territory. While each individual facility may have operational characteristics that will cause it to use more or less energy than a typical facility, it often provides insight as to the savings potential from improving systems and/or operations to reduce consumption to levels at or below the median benchmark of similar facilities. This type of comparison also helps set a range of reasonableness of savings potential of this 21,880 sqft facility.

The current Energy Use Index Benchmark for the Bainbridge Public Library facility is 43,233 Btus/Square Foot/Year. This facility uses -50% less energy per square foot than similar facilities. There is an opportunity for 9.5% savings through the proposed energy conservation measure(s).

