

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Inspector General

At a Glance

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Catalyst for Improving the Environment

Why We Did This Review

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Inspector General conducts site visits of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act clean water and drinking water projects. We selected a Manchester Water Works project for review.

Background

The City of Manchester, New Hampshire, acting by and through Manchester Water Works, received a \$2,536,087 loan from the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services under the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund program. The loan included up to \$1,268,043 in Recovery Act funds for principal forgiveness. The purpose of the loan is to extend and install water main pipes in the Lynchville Park and Danis Park areas of Goffstown, New Hampshire.

For further information, contact our Office of Congressional, Public Affairs and Management at (202) 566-2391.

To view the full report, click on the following link: <u>www.epa.gov/oig/reports/2010/</u> 20100317-10-R-0080.pdf American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Site Inspection of Water Main Extension Project, Manchester Water Works, Manchester, New Hampshire

What We Found

We conducted an on-site inspection at Manchester Water Works, Manchester, New Hampshire, in October 2009. As part of our inspection, we toured the Lynchville Park and Danis Park water main extension project in Goffstown, New Hampshire; conducted interviews of City, contractor, and subcontractor personnel; and reviewed documentation related to Recovery Act requirements.

Based upon our on-site inspection, nothing came to our attention that would require action from the City of Manchester or the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.