

The Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) program accelerates investment in our nation's water infrastructure by providing long-term, low-cost supplemental loans for regionally and nationally significant projects.

## WATERMILL LANE WATER TREATMENT AND WATERMAIN UPGRADE PROJECTS

**BORROWER:** Water Authority of Great Neck North

**LOCATION:** Great Neck, NY

**WIFIA LOAN AMOUNT:** \$13,800,000

**TOTAL WIFIA PROJECT COSTS:** \$28,163,265

**POPULATION SERVED BY PROJECT: 32,000** people

**NUMBER OF JOBS CREATED: 224 jobs** 



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## **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The Water Authority of Great Neck North's Watermill Lane Water Treatment and Watermain Upgrade Projects will improve drinking water quality for the system's 32,000 users and promote regulatory compliance. The projects include a per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) and 1,4-dioxane treatment system installation, water main upgrades, and fire protection improvements along two main corridors of the service area. Together, they will help ensure safe delivery of water supplies, protect public health, and help meet new statewide contaminant regulatory requirements.

## **PROJECT BENEFITS**

- Protects public health and helps the water system meet new statewide contaminant regulatory requirements.
- Provides a reliable, safe delivery of drinking water to the community.
- Saves Water Authority of Great Neck North approximately \$1.9M by financing with a WIFIA loan.

