

Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling Grants Political Subdivisions Fact Sheet City of Geneva, New York

Selected Grant Recipient

Name: City of Geneva

Project Title: Responsible Materials Management for the Greater Geneva Community

EPA Information

Region: EPA Region 2

Highlights

- Creates 4.5 full time jobs
- Constructs a commercial-scale composting facility
- Diverts 2700 tons of waste annually across the community

Grant Funding: \$2,438,210

The City of Geneva, in collaboration with local partners, will establish and expand materials management infrastructure, optimize capacity, create end-markets for recycled commodities, and increase the diversion rate of solid waste. The project encompasses four main tasks: expanding a Resource Recovery Park, increasing the capacity of vermiculture trenches for organic waste, creating a Reuse Center for recycled goods, and conducting education and outreach to engage residents in waste diversion strategies. The project will significantly reduce landfill waste, promote community education, and provide workforce development opportunities.

SWIFR Grants for Political Subdivisions

The Save Our Seas 2.0 Act provides investments in recycling to support the implementation of the National Recycling Strategy and build a circular economy for all. This funding supports improvements to waste management systems and programs, allowing for more efficient resource use and less environmental impact from waste materials. The SWIFR grant funding can be used to establish or optimize collection and management of materials; fund infrastructure, technology, or other improvements to reduce contamination; enhance markets for recycled commodities; and increase the diversion, recycling rate, and quality of materials collected for municipal solid waste.

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