

# Water Storage Reservoir

## Village of Gouverneur, New York

Three tanks used by the Village of Gouverneur to store treated drinking water for residents and businesses were 70 years old and in very bad condition. The tanks had no covers (a sanitation issue) and hundreds of holes, out of which leaked up to 300,000 gallons per day despite repeated attempts to patch them.

The Village received a Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) to fund the replacement of all three dilapidated structures with a new single water storage tank and make related distribution improvements to ensure a safe and cost-effective water supply for the community.



The project consisted of the construction of one new 1,000,000 gallon pre-cast concrete reservoir tank and 3,000 linear feet of 14" piping, as well as related hook-ups and site work.

### Funding

CDBG Grant	\$400,000
Local Funds	\$350,000
Total	\$750,000

**AVALON ASSOCIATES** prepared the CDBG funding application and assisted with the administration of the grant and overall coordination of project activities.