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***Mattuchio Construction Co.
and J.F. Shea Co., Inc. partner
on the Fall River Diversion
Structure and Drop Shaft Project
scheduled to be completed
the summer of 2009.***

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(L-R) Thomas Mattuchio, President and
Matt Campano, Vice President

Mattuchio Construction Company has been serving the construction industry for over 20 years specializing in site development and utility construction. The company initially works with its clients and their engineers to review projects in an effort to find cost savings in both design and material purchases. The Mattuchio Construction Company also offers design-build services to its customers to enhance and streamline their projects. In this way, the company feels that it is achieving a mutual comfort level which assures both parties that everything

possible has been done to get the job done on-time, and within budget.

Thomas Mattuchio, President, is a specialist in deep shaft construction and tunneling, and is an outspoken advocate of the collaborative approach of partnering on construction projects. "Our commitment to excellence starts at the top with a President and Vice-President with over 50 years of combined experience, who will accept nothing less than delivering the best product on time and within budget."

Matt Campano, Vice-President, has the same steadfast dedication to excellence, having constructed everything from pump stations and treatment plants, to office buildings and parking garages. His construction expertise and extensive design-build experience is invaluable in providing clients with assistance on engineering, design, budgeting, and project delivery.

Matt stated, "As a union contractor, Mattuchio can pull the most skilled construction workers from local union halls, and combine these professionals with our construction crew to assure that we have enough manpower to complete any project in a cost effective manner."



Excavation of the 100 foot
deep drop shaft



Fall River Diversion Structure and Drop Shafts

Mattuchio Construction Co., Inc. and J.F. Shea Co., Inc. were low bidders on the follow up to this project, a \$25 million contract which will have three drop shafts and over 900' of tunnel. It is scheduled to be completed in the summer of 2009.

The Fall River Diversion Structure and Drop Shaft is a \$14 Million joint venture between the Mattuchio Construction Company and J.F. Shea Co., Inc. from Walnut, CA. This joint venture team was awarded the project in June of 2007, which consists of two drop shafts over 100' deep and two tunnels, one of which is 275' long, and the other 89' long. A portion of the city's combined sewer and drainage system will be connected to the drop shafts as part of this project. As of January 25, 2008, the team completed the drop shafts and tunnels, and is currently in the process of connecting the combined sewer and storm overflow pipe to the drop shaft through a series of large cast-in-place concrete manholes and pipe.

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Each of the existing 60" brick sewers will have bypass-pumping allowing for the concrete and pipe installation. Each site has a junction chamber where the connection to the existing system is to take place, taking the overflow and channeling it to the diversion structure, which is located at the top of the drop shaft. The diversion structure, in turn, channels the flow down the drop shaft to the existing 24' diameter tunnel. It is then diverted to the treatment plant during low flow time to be treated.

This project will significantly reduce the amount of combined sewer and drain overflow that currently runs into the Quequechan River.



Tunnel invert forming for concrete placement



Tunnel excavation



Harvard University Stadium Dome Project



Mattuchio Construction was awarded the contract to remove the existing grass field at Harvard University's football field and excavate over 24,000 cubic yards of material and replace it with a new artificial grass surface in the summer of 2006. Once sub-grade was reached, over 8,000 linear feet of under-drain pipe, 600 Cultec chambers, a series of butterfly and flapper valves, 1,500' of water pipe and 2,000' of conduit were installed. Once the utilities were installed, a concrete grade beam was cast in-place to hold an inflatable dome structure so the field could be used in the winter. After the concrete work was completed, the field was laser graded to accept the new field structure. The project was completed in three months...just in time for the opening home game. ■

