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The Massachusetts Department of Environment Management (which is now a part of the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation), along with the Principals of Jones Payne, developed a comprehensive signing and interpretive program for sites on the city's historic canal system. The program included the design of informational signage in component parts to be installed at key sites throughout the park. Bid documents were prepared and a signage manual was developed for further use by the Department of Environmental Management in other projects.

The distinctive element in the system was a fourteen foot high interpretive sign with a weather vane, rotating top, symbolizing the water turbines that powered Lowell's mills during the city's early industrial development.

