

SECTION 00010

**TOWN OF PUTNAM, CONNECTICUT
PUTNAM TOWN HALL
200 SCHOOL STREET
PUTNAM, CONNECTICUT 06260**

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Town of Putnam, Connecticut will receive sealed bids for "Route 44 Sidewalk Reconstruction" project until 3:00 PM local time on Wednesday, September 4, 2024 in Town Hall in the Mayor's Office, which is located at the Putnam Municipal Complex, Putnam Town Hall, Conference Room #109, which is located at 200 School Street, Putnam, Connecticut 06260, after which no bids will be accepted and at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids must be sealed and marked "Route 44 Sidewalk Reconstruction".

Work under this contract includes removal of existing sidewalks and curbing and construction of new Portland cement concrete sidewalks with monolithic curb and sidewalk ramps along Route 44 from Bates Avenue to South Main Street (approximately 3800') in Putnam, Connecticut. The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Specifications, and other contract documents may be obtained here: <https://www.putnamct.us/government/town-administrator/bidsrfps>

The Notice to Proceed will be issued for construction starting in the spring of 2025. A pre-bid meeting shall be held at the municipal complex on Thursday August 21, 2024 at 8:30 AM in Conference Room 109 at 200 School Street.

Bidders shall submit two (2) original copies of their Proposal on the forms provided, in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the appropriate project title.

Attention of bidders is directed to certain requirements of this Contract, which require that minimum rates to be paid for labor of the various classifications shall be in accordance with the current schedule of wages established by the Connecticut Department of Labor as provided in the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised.

A satisfactory Bid Bond or Certified Check in the amount equal to five percent (5%) of the base bid shall be submitted with each bid. The Bid Bond shall be made payable to the Town of Putnam and shall be properly executed by the Bidder. A 100% Performance, Labor and Material Bond is also required. All sureties must be listed on the most recent IRS Circular 570.

Bids, to receive consideration, must be in the hands of the authorized representative of the town, no later than the day and hour at the location mentioned above. The Town of Putnam reserves

the right to accept or reject any or all bids; to waive informalities; or, to accept any bid deemed in the best interests of the Town of Putnam.

Bidders are requested to note that the award of this Contract is subject to the following conditions and contingencies:

- 1) The approval of such governmental agencies as may be required by law.
- 2) The appropriation of adequate funds by the proper agencies.
- 3) This Contract is subject to state set-aside and contract compliance requirements as found within the “Bid Language for Municipalities” document on the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities (CHRO) website (<https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/CHRO/bidlanguage16pdf.pdf>).

All bids will be considered valid for a period of ninety (90) days. No bidder may withdraw their bid within ninety (90) days after the actual date of the bid opening.

Norman Seney
Mayor
Town of Putnam, Connecticut

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MBE’s, WBE’s AND SBE’s AND SECTION 3 DESIGNATED ENTERPRISES
ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY

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