

Connecticut Department of Transportation

SECTION 5310 GRANT PROGRAM

2023 Application Announcement

ABOUT THE GRANT

Section 5310 applications are now available on the state of Connecticut's contracting portal, CTsource.

The Section 5310 program provides Federal funding for capital and operating expenses to improve mobility for seniors and individuals with disabilities.

For the 2023 application cycle, The Connecticut Department of Transportation (CTDOT) will fund viable Traditional vehicle projects selected for award at **80%** federal share, with **20%** local match requirement, per the language in the budget.

CTDOT will also attempt to fund viable Nontraditional projects selected for award at **50%** or **80%** federal share, as funding permits and per the language in the budget pages.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS

- Private nonprofit organizations
- State or local government authorities
- Operators of public transportation

APPLICATION TYPES

- Traditional Section 5310 Capital
- Nontraditional Section 5310 Capital
- Section 5310 Operating

TRADITIONAL CAPITAL

- A Public Notice must be published in a major newspaper in the proposed service area by Friday, March 22, 2024
- Emails or letters notifying transportation operators of the Public Notice must be sent one week prior to the publish date
- The useful life requirement for replacement vehicles is 4 years or 100,000 miles for a mini-van and 5 years or 150,000 miles for a mini-bus or bus



DEADLINE

Applications are due no later than 4:00 PM on **Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

SUBMIT

Applications and supporting documentation must be submitted as one (1) PDF file via email to

DOT.Section5310@ct.gov with a CC to **Rdonovan@nvcogct.gov**

QUESTIONS

- NVCOG Contact: Richard Donovan, Transportation Planning Director
- CTDOT website: <u>https://bit.ly/Section5310</u>