



**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SERVICES**  
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Enclosed is the 2022 Neighborhood Assistance Act Program Proposal application for distribution to interested organizations in your municipality. The application must be completed in full, approved locally, and submitted to the Department of Revenue Services (DRS) no later than **July 1, 2022**. Note this deadline is set by statute.

A fillable **Form NAA-01**, *2022 Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act (NAA) Program Proposal*, is available on the DRS website at [portal.ct.gov/DRS](http://portal.ct.gov/DRS). Using the fillable Form NAA-01 enables you and your community organization to input information directly onto the form via computer.

Prior to your July 1 submission to DRS, your municipality must hold a public hearing on all programs, and the governing body of your municipality must vote to approve these programs. Copies of the public hearing notice and minutes of the meeting approving the programs must be submitted electronically with your applications.

Due to the ongoing pandemic, NAA submissions will not be accepted on paper. Contact DRS by email at [NAAProgram@ct.gov](mailto:NAAProgram@ct.gov) to receive instructions on how to process your submission through our MOVEit Secure File Transfer System.

Note that the total amount of credits is limited each year, so credits may be prorated.

Please designate a liaison to handle all Neighborhood Assistance Act matters. You must enter the name, address, email address, telephone number, and fax number of your liaison in Part IV of the application. **DRS will directly notify your liaison by email of the programs that have been approved.** You must notify your participating organizations accordingly as DRS will not contact them directly.

Lastly, be reminded that any organization receiving \$25,000 or more in contributions is required to submit a post-project audit to the town. The audit should be conducted by a certified public accountant (CPA). All audits received by the town should be forwarded to DRS, again through our MOVEit system.

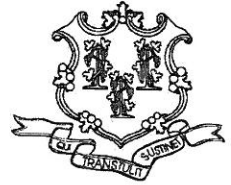
Direct any questions you have to Susan Sherman or Michael Galliher at **860-297-5687**.

Mark D. Boughton

Commissioner, Department of Revenue Services

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Enclosures



Municipality: \_\_\_\_\_

**Form NAA-01**  
**2022 Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act (NAA)**  
**Program Proposal**



This form **must** be completed and submitted to your municipality for approval. All items **must** be completed with as much detail as possible. If additional space is needed, attach additional sheets. Please type or print clearly. See attached instructions before completing. **Do not submit this form directly to the Department of Revenue Services.**

**Part I — General Information**

Name of tax exempt organization/municipal agency: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Federal Employer Identification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Program title: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total NAA funding requested** (\$250 minimum, \$150,000 maximum): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

<p>Is your organization required to file federal Form 990 or 990EZ, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If <b>Yes</b>, attach a copy of the <b>first page</b> of your most recent return.</p> <p>If <b>No</b>, attach a copy of your determination letter from the U.S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service.</p>
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**Part II — Program Information**

Check the appropriate description of your program:

**100% credit percentage**

- Energy conservation; **or**
- Comprehensive college access loan forgiveness (see Conn. Gen. Stat. § 12-635(3)).

**60% credit percentage**

- Job training/education for unemployed persons aged 50 or over;
- Job training/education for persons with physical disabilities;
- Program serving low-income persons;
- Child care services;
- Establishment of a child day care facility;
- Open space acquisition fund; **or**
- Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_



Description of program: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Need for program: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Neighborhood area to be served: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Plan to implement the program: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Timetable:**

Program start date: \_\_\_\_\_

Program completion date: \_\_\_\_\_

**The program completion date must not be more than two years from the program start date. A certified post-project audit is due to the municipality overseeing implementation no later than three months after program completion date for all projects receiving \$25,000 or more in NAA funding.**



**Part III — Financial Information**

**Program Budget:**

Complete in full. Expenditures must equal or exceed total funding.

**Sources of Revenue:**

NAA funds requested \_\_\_\_\_

Other funding sources - itemized sources:

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Funding:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Proposed Program Expenditures:**

Direct operating expenses - itemized description:

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative expenses - itemized description:

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Proposed Expenditures:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Part IV — Municipal Information**

To be completed by the municipal agency overseeing implementation of the program

Name of municipal agency overseeing implementation of the program: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name of municipal liaison: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Fax number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_



**Post-Project Audit**

Is a post-project audit required for this proposal?

Yes                       No

If **Yes**, date post-project audit due:

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

# 2022 Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act (NAA) Program Proposal Instructions

Complete all items on **Form NAA-01**, *2022 Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act (NAA) Program Proposal*. Incomplete applications will **not** be accepted. For where to direct inquiries, see *For Further Information* below.

## Part I – General Information

Enter the name of the tax exempt organization or municipal agency, address, Federal Employer Identification Number, and email address.

**Program Title:** Assign a unique program title to each program for which your organization is making an application.

**Federal Form 990:** Attach a copy of the first page of your organization's most recent federal Form 990 or Form 990EZ. If your organization is not required to file either Form 990 or Form 990EZ, attach a copy of the determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service.

## Part II – Program Information

**Description of Program:** Describe the program, including information about how the program will operate, its benefit to the community, how recipients will be selected, and any measures used to determine the program's impact on the community.

**Need for Program:** Demonstrate a need for this program. For example, provide relevant statistics.

**Neighborhood Area to Be Served:** Describe the neighborhood or municipality this program will serve.

**Plan to implement the program:** Describe how the program will operate. Identify other persons or organizations involved in the administration of the program.

**Timetable:** Indicate the starting and completion dates of the program. The program completion date must not be more than two years from the program start date.

## Part III – Financial Information

Each program proposal must include a program budget that includes all sources of funding and all anticipated expenditures. The information provided in the budget may be used during a post-project audit.

**Sources of Revenue:** The budget must include the requested NAA funding and any other anticipated revenue sources.

**NAA Funding Requested:** Indicate the total amount your organization is requesting for its program.

This amount may not exceed the total proposed expenditures. Please note that the minimum NAA funding is \$250, with a maximum funding of \$150,000 per organization or agency per year.

**Other Funding Sources:** Provide a detailed description(s) and the amount(s) of all funding sources.

**Proposed Program Expenditures:** The budget must include a detailed description and the amount of all direct operating and administrative expenditures. **Expenditures must equal or exceed total funding.**

**Direct Operating Expenses:** Expenses include materials, equipment, wages, salaries, tuition fees, sub-contracting services, and any other expenses needed to administer the program.

## Part IV – Municipal Information

This part is to be completed by the municipal agency overseeing implementation of the program.

**Municipal Liaison:** The municipality must designate an individual to serve as a liaison with DRS for all NAA matters.

**Post-Project Audit:** Any program receiving \$25,000 or more in NAA funding is required to provide a post-project audit, prepared by a certified public accounting firm, to the municipality overseeing the program. This audit must be submitted to the municipality no later than three months after the program completion date.

## For Further Information

Email inquiries to:

- [NAAProgram@ct.gov](mailto:NAAProgram@ct.gov)

or call DRS Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at:

- **860-297-5687**
- **860-297-4911** (TTY, TDD, and Text Telephone users **only**, let the 711 relay operator know the number you wish to call and the relay operator will dial it and then communicate using a TTY.)

