

CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (CTDOT)

SECTION 5310 GRANT PROGRAM 2023 APPLICATION ANNOUNCEMENT

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

Applications are due no later than 4:00 pm on Tuesday, April 2, 2024.

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, 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 page.

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.

To read the Application Instructions and navigate to the applications, visit:
www.ct.gov/dot/5310

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

Applications and supporting documentation must be submitted as one (1) PDF file via email to DOT.Section5310@ct.gov with a CC to the appropriate Regional Council of Governments.