

Connecticut Water Accepting Applications for 2021 Firefighter Support Grant Program

\$15,000 Grant Program Will Award Grants for Uniformed Volunteer or Paid Departments
in Communities Served by Connecticut Water

CLINTON, Conn. — November 23, 2020 — Connecticut Water is pleased to open applications for its 2021 Firefighter Support Grant Program. This is the second year of the program, which in 2020, awarded grants to 11 departments across the state.

“Connecticut Water values its partnership with firefighters and emergency responders as they ensure our safety and protect our homes, businesses and communities,” stated Maureen P. Westbrook, president and CEO of Connecticut Water. Ms. Westbrook added, “the Firefighter Support Grant Program supports the vital service they provide to the community while also protecting the public water systems that supply water to fire hydrants.”

The program will award up to \$15,000 this year to uniformed volunteer or paid departments in communities served by Connecticut Water to help fund the purchase of slow-close hydrant valves, backflow preventers, isolation valves, water handling equipment or other firefighting tools and educational materials.

Applications are due on March 1, 2020. For complete information and to download an application, visit ctwater.com/community and click Firefighter Support Grant Program.

About Connecticut Water Company

Connecticut Water Company provides water service to nearly 350,000 people in 60 Connecticut communities and wastewater service to 10,000 people in Southbury, Connecticut.

The towns served are Ashford, Avon, Beacon Falls, Bethany, Bolton, Brooklyn, Burlington, Canton, Chester, Clinton, Colchester, Columbia, Coventry, Deep River, Durham, East Granby, East Haddam, East Hampton, East Windsor, Ellington, Enfield, Essex, Farmington, Griswold, Guilford, Haddam, Hebron, Killingly, Killingworth, Lebanon, Madison, Manchester, Mansfield, Marlborough, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook, Oxford, Plainfield, Plymouth, Portland, Prospect, Simsbury, Somers, South Windsor, Southbury, Stafford, Stonington, Suffield, Thomaston, Thompson, Tolland, Vernon, Voluntown, Waterbury, Westbrook, Willington, Windsor Locks and Woodstock.

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