



**Town of West Rutland**

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**REQUEST FOR BID/ PROPOSAL**

DATE: February 15, 2024

The Town of West Rutland is requesting BIDS from qualified contractors for replacement of approximately 870 linear feet of sidewalk on the west side of Elm Street.

**SCOPE OF WORK** The existing sidewalk sections are currently four (4') feet wide and many are deteriorated and/or have depressions, which create trip hazards, pool water, and interfere with winter maintenance operations. The replaced sidewalks should be five feet (5') wide. The Town of West Rutland will remove and dispose of existing sidewalk and curb. The contractor will be responsible for subgrade work in preparation for the concrete work, including the installation of subbase materials, the installation of approximately 870 linear feet of concrete sidewalk, including 2 detectable warning strips at Proctor Street intersection. All work shall be coordinated with the Highway Foreman, Sean Barrows. The work must be completed by September 30, 2024.

Please bid on the following:

- Price should include prep, install 12" of crushed gravel under sidewalk, and installation of sidewalk and curb using a monolithic pour and two steel truncated domes.

See General Sidewalk Specifications below.

For additional information, please contact Sean Barrows, Highway Foreman at [sbarrows@westrutlandvt.org](mailto:sbarrows@westrutlandvt.org) 802-770-9896. Certificate of Insurance is required with the bid proposal.

Sealed bids marked "2024 Sidewalk Bid" must be received in the Municipal Office by 10:00 am on Thursday, March 7, 2024 with a bid opening at 10:00 am. Bids may also be emailed to: [mgoulette@westrutlandvt.org](mailto:mgoulette@westrutlandvt.org). The Sidewalk Project bids will be awarded at the Town of West Rutland Selectboard regular meeting on March 12, 2024.

The Town of West Rutland reserves the right to reject any or all bids. This solicitation in no way obligates the Town of West Rutland to award a contract.

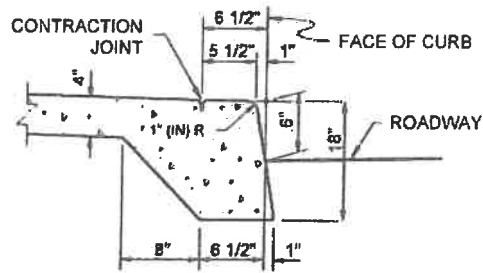
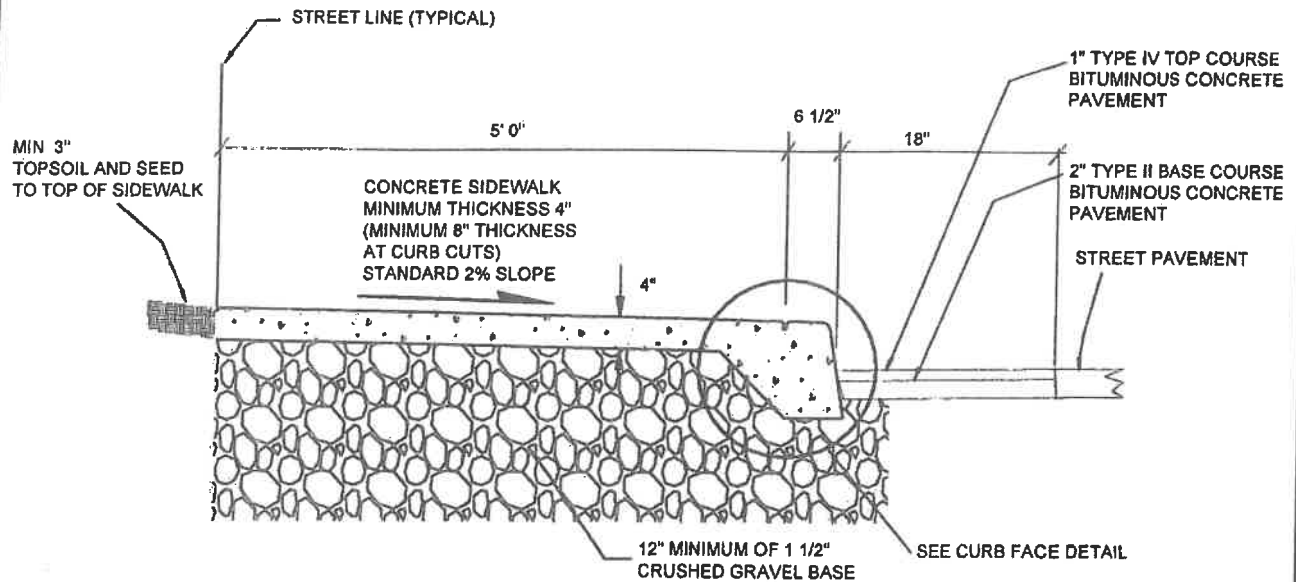
**GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS**

- New sidewalks shall be 5' wide and installed in the same location.

- Contractor shall furnish all labor, material, equipment and perform all tasks necessary to fully accomplish sidewalk installation and site restoration.
- Contractor must grade, topsoil and seed all disturbed areas.
- Contractor shall pave all trenches dug within the street or paved driveways to facilitate the installation of sidewalk/curbing as necessary.
- Proper/legal sign packages must be supplied and in place at the construction site.
- The Contractor shall notify the Town of West Rutland 24 hours in advance of pouring concrete.
- If the Contractor damages part of a sidewalk which did not need replacing, the entire width of the walk shall be removed and replaced, at the contractor's expense, as specified below. Patch work will not be permitted.
- The Contractor shall assume full responsibility for protecting the public against injury due to any phase of the sidewalk construction. Safe and adequate entrance to all businesses and private property shall be maintained by the Contractor, at all times.

#### **CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATIONS**

- A 12" depth of 1 ½ inch fine crushed gravel base conforming to the most current version of VTrans standard specifications for construction Section 704.05 CRUSHED GRAVEL FOR SUBBASE shall be installed and compacted within the limits of the sidewalk. The top of the gravel base shall be installed to the proper line and grade prior to placing concrete.
- Sidewalks shall be constructed in accordance with the most current version of the Vtrans standard specification for construction Section 618.03 PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK.
- Concrete for sidewalks shall conform to the most current version of the VTrans standard specification for construction Section 541 STRUCTURAL CONCRETE.
- Sidewalk shall be coated with (2) coats of curing/sealing compound in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations. Curing/sealing compound shall be W.R Meadows "SEAL CURE 309-25" or approved equal.
- Construct sidewalk in accordance with standard details: *Concrete Sidewalk & Monolithic Curb* (see attached).
- The sidewall thickness shall be 4 inches minimum except at curb cut locations which shall be a minimum of 8 inches.
- Full depth expansion joints shall be placed every 20 feet. Preformed joint filler with a thickness of ½ inch shall be install in these joints.



## MONOLITHIC CONCRETE CURB AND SIDEWALK

**NOTES:**

1. THE GRAVEL BASE IS TO BE 1 1/2 INCH CRUSHED GRAVEL INSTALLED AND THOROUGHLY COMPACTED IN MAXIMUM 6 INCH LIFTS.
2. EXPANSION JOINTS SHALL BE PLACED EVERY 20 FEET.
3. SIDEWALK MUST BE CONSTRUCTED IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE MOST CURRENT VERSION OF VTRANS STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION SECTION 618.03 (PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK)
4. SIDEWALK SHALL BE NO LESS THAN 4" IN THICKNESS AND HAVE A MINIMUM OF 8" THICKNESS IN CURB CUTS AND DRIVEWAYS.

DATE: JUN 2016  
REVISED: NONE

## MONOLITHIC CURB AND SIDEWALK

STANDARD DETAIL

SCALE: NONE  
DRAWN BY: NGS