

Town of Westport 2022 Poet Laureate Application Form

Please submit the following:

1. A completed application form
 2. A brief personal statement of personal philosophy that includes a description of how the candidate intends to approach the scope of the work and the objectives of this program.
 3. Samples of three works, citing sources where the work has been published.
 4. A resume or CV
 5. Two letters of personal recommendation.
- **Electronically** to: **WAAC@WestportCT.gov**; Subject: POET, no later than **Friday, April 15, 2022**
 - **Hand-deliver** 3 copies of each above to: Office of the Selectwomen, Att: WAAC, Town Hall, by **Fri, April 15, 4pm**
 - **Mail** 3 copies of each above to: Office of the Selectwomen, Att: WAAC, Town Hall, 110 Myrtle Ave, Westport, CT 06880; postmarked no later than **Friday, April 15.**

NAME: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING, USING ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NECESSARY:

Memberships in literary organizations:

Publications where your work has appeared:

Literary awards and dates awarded:

Poetry-related experiences, including writing, publishing, teaching, critiquing, leading groups, planning and presenting activities, attending poetry courses, and/or reading poems in public.

I authorize my name to stand for nomination for the position of Town of Westport Poet Laureate. I affirm that I am 21 years of age or older and that I currently reside in Westport. I verify that the representations made in this application are true and complete; and that the work samples submitted with my application are my own work.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____