

**2025 CITY OF OLEAN SIDEWALK REBATE APPLICATION**

**Application Deadline – August 31, 2025 (provided funds are available)**

**\*\*See attached resolution for details of Sidewalk Rebate Program\*\***

**SECTION A: (to be completed by Property Owner)**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Application # \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS OF REPAIR:** \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner Occupied: \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

Property Owner Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Best time to contact: \_\_\_\_\_

# of blocks or number of feet requested: \_\_\_\_\_

**(COMPLETE SECTION A & RETURN FULL PAGE TO: Olean DPW, Municipal Bldg.-Rm 206 or MAIL TO: PO Box 668)**

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**SECTION B: (to be completed by City Engineer)**

Meeting Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Work agreed upon between City Engineer and Property Owner:

Number of blocks: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Eligible blocks: \_\_\_\_\_ Approximate Eligible Sq Footage: \_\_\_\_\_

Who is doing work: \_\_\_ City Contractor \_\_\_ Other Approved Contractor \_\_\_\_\_

If using own contractor:

- Attached specification must be followed for concrete sidewalk
- Owner will be issued rebate by normal City voucher process
- **Work MUST be completed by 10/1/2025**
- Permit must be obtained by owner or contractor

Approximate Amount of Rebate: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (50% of the construction cost up to **\$8.00** per square foot)

By signing below, owner certifies they reside at this property and agree to above terms to qualify for rebate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Engineer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Property Owner's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**SECTION C: (to be completed by Office)**

Work approved by City Engineer: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY CONTRACTOR**

**OTHER CONTRACTOR**

Total Sq Footage \_\_\_\_\_

Amount reimbursed to owner \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Rebate Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL BILLED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY OF OLEAN SIDEWALK REBATE PROGRAM**

- A rebate of 50% of the construction cost of eligible sidewalk, up to \$8.00 per square foot is available for the mainline sidewalk for residential properties with a \$1,500 cap per property (driveway aprons and approach sidewalks are ineligible for this programs);
- A permit will be required for sidewalk replacement; however, DPW permit fees will be waived for program participants;
- All concrete work must be done by a licensed contractor of the homeowner in accordance with City of Olean specification;
- Eligible sidewalks include those that are heaved or sunk, cracked or broken, or are not in compliance with ADA regulations as determined by the Department of Public Works (sidewalks replaced for cosmetic purposes only are ineligible for this program);
- An application (available in the Department of Public Works Office or online at [www.cityofolean.org](http://www.cityofolean.org)) must be completed and submitted to the Department of Public Works by the property owner;
- DPW inspection and approval of the application is required prior to the commencement of the project in order for the project to be eligible for the rebate;
- A post-construction inspection will be performed prior to release of funding;
- Priority will be given to applicants who have been notified by the Department of Public Works that their sidewalk is in need of replacement;
- The Director of Public Works shall have the authority to promulgate any additional rule and regulations in furtherance of the delivery of this program.

# **CITY OF OLEAN**

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

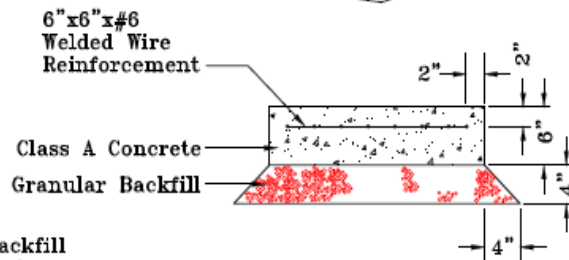
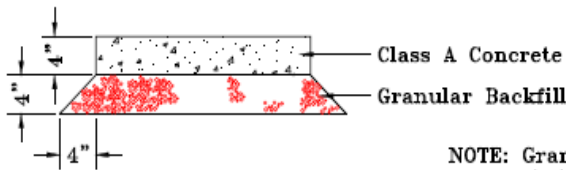
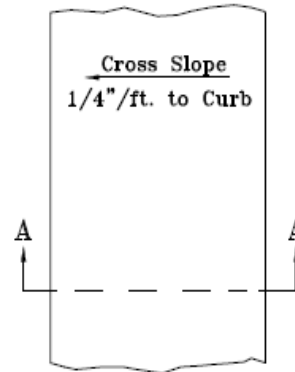
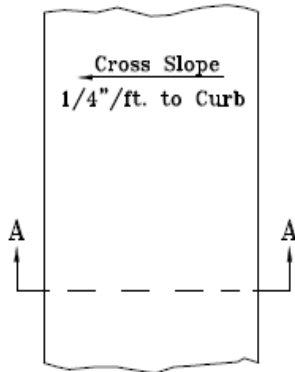
# CONCRETE SIDEWALK

**TYPE 4**

**TYPE 6R**

Minimum sidewalk widths are  
4 ft. in residential areas and  
5 ft. in business areas

1/2" expansion joint will be  
installed every 20 ft., between  
sidewalk and curb and  
whenever new concrete  
abuts old concrete



NOTE: Granular Backfill  
shall be bank run  
gravel or crushed  
stone.

Sec. A-A

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Person(s) doing work must be approved by City and specification must be strictly followed. Upon completion of the finishing process, the contractor shall apply a clear membrane compound, applied by a spraying method at a rate of one gallon per 150 sq. ft. as specified in Section 711-05 of the NYS Standard Specifications.

Disturbed areas around sidewalks must be properly top soiled and seeded prior to reimbursement.

Permit is required for all sidewalk work in the public right-of-way.  
Permit can be obtained from DPW Office in the Municipal Building.