

Program Rules

- Each resident requesting to participate in this program is required to complete and sign an application and release provided by the City of Streetsboro and/or P.C. Regional Planning Commission.
- Each approved resident will be given complimentary mowing vouchers for the limited growing season.
- The vouchers may be used at the resident's discretion; however, once your vouchers are gone, no additional vouchers/mows can be provided through this program.
- The address of the residence must be clearly visible from the road.
- Properties must be single-family or duplexes to be eligible.
- Both owner occupied and rental properties are eligible to apply.
- Contractor will mow and remove grass clippings from the resident's property.
- The contractor is permitted to plan their route in an order most convenient to them.
- The contractor is not liable for any damage to personal property.
- Participants of this service must fully cooperate with the City of Streetsboro and the P.C. Regional Planning Commission. Abuse will result in termination of this service.



- This Program is dependent upon funding from the State of Ohio and the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Funds are limited.

Am I Ready to Participate?

Once you have submitted your application and all of the required information, the P.C. Regional Planning Commission will contact you via US mail to confirm or deny your eligibility.

If you are income eligible, the letter will provide detailed instructions, approved contractor information and yard clean up vouchers for the fall season.



**For more information, please visit:
www.cityofstreetsboro.com**

Or contact:

**Lisa Reeves, CDBG Specialist
P.C. Regional Planning Commission
(330) 297-3613
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Senior Mowing Assistance Program



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The City is proud to offer a Senior Mowing Assistance Program to assist lower income, full-time residents.

The program is designed to assist lower income senior and/or disabled residents take care of their yard and maintain property value.

Approved residents will be given vouchers to use at their discretion during the limited 2021-2022 season.

Due to the grant cycle, this program will only be available in 2021-2022, unless the State continues to allocate the resources.



How Do I Apply?

Applications will be available online, in person or by mail. Please visit:

www.cityofstreetsboro.com

You may also pickup an application at City Hall located at 555 Frost Road or one can be e-mailed/U.S. mailed to you.

Please return applications to:

P.C. Regional Planning Commission
449 S. Meridian Street, 6th Floor
Ravenna, Ohio 44266
Attention: Lisa Reeves, CDBG Specialist
Or by Email:
lreeves@pcrpc.org

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE
ACCEPTED

Do I Qualify?

Eligibility is based on age and/or a documented disability, income, living in a single family home or duplex and year round residency in the home.

Income eligible applicants will either be:

Someone at least 65 years of age residing in the home as the legal owner or tenant.

OR

A resident living with a disability that prevents them from mowing their yard.

To be income eligible, the following guidelines apply:

If you are a **one** person household, your annual gross income (before taxes) must be at or below **\$44,900**.

If you are a **two** person household, your combined annual gross income (before taxes) must be at or below **\$51,300**.

If you are a **three** person household, your combined annual gross income (before taxes) must be at or below **\$57,700**.

In addition to documents verifying income, all applicants must provide:

Proof of age with a current Ohio Driver's License, State of Ohio ID card or Birth Certificate.

If renting, a current lease.

If disabled, a medical certification in the form of a letter from their physician as proof of disability is required.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. *I forgot to turn my application in on time and now it my yard needs mowed. May I still apply?*

A. The P.C. Regional Planning Commission will only accept applications for a limited time. Please contact Lisa Reeves, CDBG Specialist P.C. Regional Planning Commission at (330) 297-3613.

Q. *Do I have to reapply to be in the program each year?*

A. Yes. People move, circumstances change and we need to know if you are still income eligible.

Q. *My yard is full of concrete blocks, animal waste and trash. Will those items be removed prior to mowing?*

A. No. The contractor will mow around obstructions.

Q. *Can I use the contractor of my choice?*

A. No. You must use the contractor listed in your eligibility letter.

Q. *What if I misplace my vouchers?*

A. Please take care not to misplace your vouchers. Treat them as you would cash. If you misplace your vouchers, the contractor will expect full payment at the time of services.

Q. *What happens if I use all my vouchers but my yard needs mowed?*

A. The City is unable to pay for additional vouchers as funds are limited.

Q. *What if I have a complaint about the contractor or the way my yard was done?*

A. Please contact the contractor's main office and speak to a supervisor and contact the P.C Regional Planning Commission.

Q. *What if I call the contractor and no one answers?*

A. Contact the P.C. Regional Planning Commission. Take pictures if appropriate for documentation.