

2027 Roadside Mowing RFP

The Town of Lyme is now accepting proposals for roadside mowing for the 2027 season.

Mowing operations will include:

- 1) Shoulder cut on approximately 53 miles of municipal roadside. Price proposals for the roadside mowing will be submitted as cost/mile mowed (both sides of road). All mowing must be completed between August 1st, 2027 to October 15th, 2027.
- 2) Shoulder mowing cuts will include a 15-foot cut on all roads immediately adjacent to the driving surface on both sides of the roadway with a minimum of 8 feet in those areas that do not allow a full cut.
- 3) Boom mowing must be performed in areas where allowable. Boom mowing will include cutting up to at least 15 feet vertically from ground.
- 4) Mowing shall be done so no debris is deposited on the road surface. Side mount or offset hitch equipment must be used so that the tractor remains on the road surface.

Quality Control Targets: All vegetation including up to 1" in diameter must be mowed to a minimum of 5" in height.

Must provide and keep in force Worker's Compensation Insurance in full accordance with New Hampshire law to cover its employees. Comprehensive General Liability Insurance, Personal Injury and Property Damage Insurance in an amount no less than \$2,000,000. Motor vehicle insurance to include bodily injury, property damage, uninsured motorist, and employer's no ownership coverage in an amount no less than \$500,000. The Town reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

All proposals must be sealed and delivered to the Lyme Town Offices (1 High Street) by hand or US postal services no later than 4:00 PM on Friday October 9th, 2026. Mailing address: PO Box 126 Lyme NH 03768. Contact Scott Bailey with questions: 603-795-4042