

## Town of Westport Poet Laureate Application Form

Please submit this application along with 2 copies 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.

All Materials must be addressed to the Westport Arts Advisory Committee PLSC c/o Office of the Selectmen. Hand deliveries must be received by 4pm on May 31. All submissions must be postmarked on or before the deadline date. **Application Deadline: May 31, 2019**

**Westport Arts Advisory Committee PLSC c/o Office of the Selectmen  
Westport Town Hall 110 Myrtle Avenue Westport, CT 06880**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**STREET ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**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 and 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:** \_\_\_\_\_