This map shows the soils that are considered to be prime farmland in Putnam County, Connecticut. The soils are delineated based on the criteria set by the National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS). The map includes data from the Soil Survey Geographic (SSG) database, which is updated regularly to incorporate new information.

The map uses a legend to indicate different soil types, with color codes and symbols to represent various characteristics such as soil type, productivity, and land use potential. The map also includes a scale bar for reference and a data source note indicating that the information is based on data collected by the NRCS and other federal agencies.

The EXPLANATION section of the map provides additional details about the soil types and their significance for agricultural use. The DATA SOURCES section lists the agencies and organizations that contributed to the creation of the map, including the NRCS and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

The map is intended to be used by farmers, landowners, and planners to make informed decisions about land management and resource allocation. It is a valuable tool for understanding the potential uses and limitations of farmland soils in the region.