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## City of Mahtomedi Public Works Policy Regarding, SNOW REMOVAL



City of Mahtomedi Public Works employees work on an on-call basis, 24 hours a day, 7 days per week including holidays and weekends. In general, after snow accumulation of three (3) inches, street plowing begins.

**Sidewalks/Trails** cleaning in the City typically begins on day 2 after a significant snowfall and after all streets are fully cleared and will continue until complete. If a significant snowfall happens on a weekend and/or holiday, sidewalk/trail snow removal will begin the next business day. The City will maintain sidewalks and trails by moving snow with a snow blower or plow. Sidewalks/ Trails will be cleared of accumulated snow but will not be maintained to a “clean pavement” condition (i.e., one to two inches of snow will remain on sidewalks/trails after snowplowing operations).

Under City Ordinance, it is **ILLEGAL**:

- To deposit snow onto ANY street or alley
- To deposit snow on a sidewalk
- To deposit snow on a fire hydrant
- To ignore winter parking ordinances (**Nov. 1st. - Apr. 1st. No parking on any streets or alleys from 1 a.m. - 7 a.m.) After 3” of snowfall No Parking on any streets and alleys until plowing is complete.**

To aid in snow removal, law enforcement personnel will strictly enforce the winter parking and abandoned vehicle ordinances. They can and will impose fines for any or all of the illegal activities listed above and your vehicles may be towed.

If you hire a contractor to remove snow from your property, it is YOUR responsibility to inform them of Public Works Policy. YOU are responsible for their actions while they are working for you.

Any items placed onto the City of Mahtomedi right-of-way must be removed immediately, so as not to impede our snow removal processes. The City of Mahtomedi is not responsible for any damage to any items illegally on the city right-of-way. **Garbage and recycling containers should be placed behind the curb and NOT on any trails or sidewalks so they do not interfere with plowing.**

It is the City of Mahtomedi’s goal to remove snow in the safest most efficient manner possible, and your assistance is appreciated.

If you have any questions about snow removal, please contact the Public Works Department at 651-773-9730.