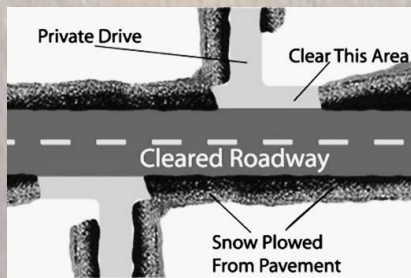


WINTER SNOW REMOVAL

Winter Storm Tips

The City of Washington strives for quick and safe snow removal from the city streets in minimal time. Streets are managed by giving priority to providing access for emergency vehicles in the following order: Major thoroughfares and collector streets, minor collector streets and longer residential streets, shorter residential streets and cul de sacs. After completion, the crews will work to "widen out" and clear all streets.

How can I help?



❄️ Always shovel to the right side rather than into the street.

❄️ Try to shovel beyond the curb. Clear an area 2 feet past the end of your driveway.

❄️ Shovel an area 2x15 up the street from your driveway (direction plow truck will be coming from).

❄️ Keep your mailbox clear to ensure mail delivery. City crews must keep a few feet away from the mailboxes to avoid damaging them.

❄️ Start clearing snow early! Fresh snow weighs less than old snow that compacts and becomes wet and difficult to shovel.

Ice & snow... take it slow!

Driving

Avoid unnecessary driving and stay off the roadways whenever possible during winter storms. Please do not try to pass Snowplows. Stay back. Stay Safe. Give the plows room to work. Remember to clean off your car and headlights.

Parking

Please park in your driveway during winter storms. Plows need to avoid parked vehicles, which can result in piles of snow on the roadway. Never park in front of your driveway, as this can result in your vehicle being blocked in by the snow plows.

Questions?

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