

Proposed Snow Removal Policy

At the onset of the winter weather season the City Office will remind the public of the designated emergency snow routes, parking restrictions, recreational vehicle removal, violations and applicable penalties. A one-time publication of the full City Ordinance in the local newspaper and periodic Public Service Announcements via local radio stations will serve as ample public reminder.

The Stanley County Sheriff's Department will listen to the local weather reports and upon threat of inclement weather conditions that could provoke City snow removal activities will place City provided courtesy windshield flyers restating the Snow Route Ordinance on those particular vehicles that still remain parked on emergency snow routes.

During daytime hours, if the snow accumulation looks as if it may warrant snow removal activities, City Superintendent will notify the City Office, who will then contact the Stanley County Law Enforcement, Pierre Dispatch, Patrick Callahan (local cable channel) for a cable broadcasted scroll warning, and the local radio station for a Public Service Announcement warning of the snow removal activities. Stanley County Law Enforcement will drive the snow route and issue citations to any vehicles parked on the snow route.

During evening hours, if the Stanley County Sheriff's Department deputy on duty notices a two inch accumulation they will initiate the snow removal/snow route activities by calling the City Superintendent at home around 3:00 am. City Superintendent will make the decision of whether he will start snow removal and immediately inform the deputy on duty.

The deputy on duty will remain on duty and drive the snow route, issuing citations to any vehicles parked on the route.

Using the contact information below, City Superintendent will immediately contact the applicable employees, Pierre Dispatch, Patrick Callahan (local cable channel), and the local radio station of the snow removal activities. The local cable channel has scroll warning ready for broadcast upon notification, therefore, when City Superintendent calls Callahan saying that snow removal has started, they will immediately start the broadcast warning for residents. The local radio station will make periodic Public Service Announcement warnings for residents.

Pierre Dispatch	773-7410
Patrick Callahan	224-6091 or 280-2187
KCCR (4:15 am)	224-1240
KGFX	224-8686

Designated snow routes are generally cleared before 8:00 am and the secondary streets are most often completed by noon.

Before City starts pushing the snow back to the curb on secondary streets City Superintendent will notify the Stanley County Law Enforcement to drive the secondary streets and issue citations to any vehicles that have exceeded the 24 hour limit.