

CROOKED CREEK TOWNSHIP 2018/2019 SNOW REMOVAL POLICY

The goal of the Township is to have all roads passable within a reasonable amount of time after a snowfall has stopped. The Township cannot and does not assure a completely bare roadway and will not sand or ice rock entire sections of roadway. Users of the roadway system are reminded to exercise caution and drive with care. The legal speed may not be possible at all times.

2018/2019 Snow Removal Procedure

1) The Township will not dispatch the snowplow until after the snowfall has stopped. During extended periods of snowfall, exceptions may be made. The snowplow will not be sent out due to situations that may be hazardous, such as restricted visibility. If snowfall stops during regular hours, the snowplows will be dispatched at the earliest time possible.

2) Generally, the cleaning of the roads will consist of making the roads passable by cleaning one lane in each direction. During lighter snowfall a pickup and blade may be used. In cases of heavy snowfall a grader or truck with wing will be used. During ice storms it will be determined if the serrated teeth of the snow plow are sufficient or if there is need of ice control rock being spread. Township Supervisors and the plow operator will make these determinations during each snow event.

3) Township residents are reminded that it is unlawful to plow snow from driveways onto or across public roads. Piles of snow left on or near the road can freeze into a solid mass thus creating a hazardous situation for vehicles, pedestrians and snow plows. Accidents and damages caused by snow piles in the roadway may result in liability to the property owner that created the problem. Piles of snow also increase the possibility of drifting snow onto the roadway.

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