

## Residents Of Granisle

### Community Winter Reminders

With the winter season upon us, we would like to remind the community that the use of ATV's and snowmobiles in the Village boundaries is a privilege and not a lawful right.

We would like to ask that everyone show respect and courtesy when operating their machines. The allowed usage is to travel slowly from A to B, primarily from residence to trail heads outside the Village at speeds of 25 km/hr., returning during reasonable hours of the day. Also, permitted has been the use of ATV's for snow removal of driveways.

**Snow machines and ATV's are not allowed in our Park areas, private property or unauthorized commercial property.**

Should individuals be observed operating their machines in a reckless and disrespectful manner or in restricted areas, they will be reported to the RCMP to be dealt with.

Loss of this privilege may result in fines, criminal records, and loss of machines.

We look forward to a winter season where everyone shares in the atmosphere of respect and cooperation!

THANK YOU

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**VILLAGE OF GRANISLE**  
**POLICY PROCEDURE MANUAL**

APPROVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT: SNOW REMOVAL & ICE CONTROL

ORIGINAL POLICY DATE: November 7, 2012    AMENDED DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PREPARED BY: CAO & MANAGER PUBLIC WORKS

**POUCY STATEMENT:**

The employees and/or contractors of the Village of Granisle shall be responsible for the removal of snow, ice and other debris from Village streets, roads and Village owned parking lots as directed by Council through this Policy.

**PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that snow removal is managed in a prompt, orderly and consistent manner.

**OBJECTIVE:**

1. To ensure that the public transportation routes are maintained in order to meet the general health and safety needs of the municipality and provide for reasonable ability for movement of vehicles and pedestrians.
2. Snow removal will be provided in an efficient manner endeavoring to minimize carbon emission.

**PROCEDURES:**

1. During and immediately after any snowfall or freezing rain, the Village of Granisle Public Works Department shall inspect all streets, roads and Village owned parking lots for any accumulation of ice or snow which will represent a hazard to vehicular traffic. This inspection shall be conducted as early as possible in the morning.
2. Should any accumulation of snow or ice be identified as a hazard to vehicular traffic, the Public Works Manager shall utilize the personnel, equipment and materials required to remove the snow and/or ice.
3. If snow is in excess of one inch, it must be ploughed before sand is applied.
4. In a Call Out situation, one employee shall plough and sand. However, if the situation is serious, the employee, with authorization from the manager, may call in additional workers.
5. Priority will be given to clearing the Fire Hall driveway following street clearing.
6. Driveway entrances shall be cleared of snow windrows left by the plough as expeditiously as possible following street clearing.

**Please Note:**

1. **Snow removal from individual's private driveways/property must be placed within their own property.**
2. **The placing of snow on the travelled portion of the roadway is not permitted.**
3. **Visibility must not be hampered by placement/piling of snow at end of driveways/property.**