

SNOW SAFETY

WINTER SEASON GREETINGS

The colder days are here, bringing with them the beauty and sparkle of winter. As we transition into the season of snow and ice, it's the perfect time to refresh our routines and prioritize safety while still enjoying winter.

In this Winter Safety Special Edition, we're sharing tips, guidance, and reminders to help you and your family stay safe during snowy mornings and icy nights. From keeping sidewalks clear to driving responsibly and preparing your property, consider this your guide to a winter season that's both safe and full of wonder.

SNOW REMOVAL GUIDELINES

✓ DO:

- Clear snow and ice from driveways and sidewalks responsibly.
- Place snow on the property from which it originated.
- Follow all Town Bylaw requirements and safety notices.
- Respond to any Town notice to remove improperly placed snow (within 24 hours).



✗ DON'T:

- Push or deposit snow onto:
 - Streets, lanes, or roadways
 - Sidewalks or public property
 - Neighbouring private property without permission
- Pile snow on property corners or near intersections (blocks visibility).
- Leave snow on the road after clearing driveways or sidewalks.
- Do not park in a way that interferes with snow plowing or snow loading.



IMPORTANT

- Ensure snow and ice on roofs and eaves do not create a danger or fall on sidewalks.
- Property owners are responsible for contractor actions.
- Improper snow placement may result in the property owner being issued a penalty.
- Failure to remove snow after notice may result in the Town removing it and charging costs to the property owner.

SAFETY AND COOPERATION

- Public Works crews are working hard to keep up with the snowfall and to maintain safe roads and sidewalks.
- Contractors play a key role in helping the community stay safe. Cooperation with these rules is essential.

