

SECTION: TRANSPORTATION

SUBJECT: SNOW PLOWING

Original Resolution No.: 01-01-05

**Snow Plowing Policy****Priorities for Plowing**

1. 1<sup>st</sup> Main County rural roads
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> School bus routes (not including private lanes or roads)
3. 3<sup>rd</sup> Other rural roads
4. 4<sup>th</sup> Private driveways, roads, lanes and other requests
5. Normal snow removal operations will be conducted according to the Road Maintenance Policy 320.34 except in emergency circumstances. The Superintendent of Public Works or his designate will direct all snow plowing operations under emergency situations.
6. Snowplow operators will open all blocked roads according to the above priorities by making them passable only.
7. Upon opening snow blocked roads, the snowplow operators will then commence widening and clearing private driveways and conducting other personal requests.
8. Snow plowing or clearing private driveways and other requests will be charged back to the landowner at a rate established by Council from time to time (generally at government rate). The first fifteen minutes of equipment time will not be charged to the landowner.
9. The time charged for conducting snow plowing special requests will commence from the time the equipment leaves its home base.