

SECTION: PUBLIC WORKS

SUBJECT: MAINTAINER EQUIPMENT

Original Resolution No.: 93-07-05

### **Guidelines for Maintainer Use in Towns and Villages**

It is the policy of the County of Warner No. 5 to coordinate the use of county maintainers with the towns and villages where possible.

#### **Guidelines**

1. All towns and villages, within the County boundaries, can request and schedule the services of County maintainers through the Public Works Superintendent.
2. The towns and villages shall sign a Hold Harmless Agreement with the County. The County will not be held responsible for damages to town and village property such as manholes, curbs, gutters, etc.
3. Scheduling of the equipment and work priorities shall be at the sole discretion of the Public Works Superintendent, in consultation with the town and village foreman.
4. All County projects including blading, snow ploughing and snow removal, shall take priority over the town and village requests. County will supply maintainer service only as time and scheduling permits.
5. Only County employees shall operate County equipment.
6. Towns and villages shall be charged the appropriate and current government rate for use of the equipment.
7. If County employees are required to operate the equipment outside regular county hours for towns and villages, the overtime costs shall be the responsibility of the towns and villages and shall be reimbursed to the County.