



SNOW REMOVAL

Public Works Department

THE CITY GENERALLY BEGINS PLOWING SNOW WHEN:

- Snow reaches an accumulation over 6".
- Snow that has high moisture content such as "wet, heavy snow" is more of an issue than that of low moisture content.
- Priority routes are plowed first. It is our priority to keep arterials and emergency service routes open. Priority routes are (in no particular order) the North and South business districts and hills. Then main arterials such as Broadway, Elizabeth, schools, NE 8th, NE 5th, NE 10th, SE 15th, S. Mill.

HOW YOU CAN HELP OUT:

- Please leave plenty of room between vehicles and snow plows, backhoes, sanding trucks. They tend to make frequent stops, turns and back-ups.
- If possible, park cars and keep garbage cans (if it is not your collection day) off the streets.
- Keep the sidewalks in front of your property cleared of snow and ice.
- Clear a path to your mailbox.

We thank you in advance for your patience during inclement weather. Questions can be directed to the Public Works Department at 541-938-8270, 8272, 8274.