

Chapter 18 - Damage to/or Materials Deposited on Roadway Ordinance

18.01 AUTHORITY

This ordinance is adopted pursuant to the general powers granted under Section 60.22 (3) and 61.34 (1) Wisconsin Statutes. Additional specific authority is noted under 81.01 and 82.03, 349.13 (1e) Wisconsin Statutes.

18.02 PURPOSE

The purpose of this ordinance is to promote the public health, safety and general welfare of the traveling community and to protect them from controllable road hazards.

18.03 GENERAL PROVISION

- A. No person shall plow, push or deposit in any public roadway or road right-of-way snow from within the lot lines of the property owned or controlled by him or her, in such manner or in such quantity as to create a traffic hazard.
- B. Deposits of dirt, mud, stones, fill, manure, or other foreign materials that are intentionally placed, dropped, or lost from: farm machinery, contractor equipment, other types of over-the-road vehicles, or hand-held implements, are prohibited and must be cleared off of the road surface.
- C. No vehicles, equipment, building materials or any other materials may be left in the roadway or road right-of-way for more than twenty-four 24 hours
- D. Any person who shall violate section A, B, or C above, shall be held responsible for damages and the full cost of the cleanup and/or removal required to return the roadway to the condition prior to the violation. Each day, or partial day, of continued violation shall constitute a separate offense. If such cleanup action is taken, a penalty shall apply as provided in Chapter 20.04 of the Town of Vermont Municipal Code.
- E. Any person who shall operate or cause to be operated any type of equipment on town roads that damages said road, shall be held responsible for the full cost of the repairs required to return the roadway to the condition prior to the damage.

18.04 – EFFECTIVE DATE

This policy shall take effect and be in force after its passage by the Town Board of Supervisors of the Town of Vermont.

Dated this 14th day of March, 2016

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