The City of Orrville OHIO

SNOWY WEATHER INFORMATION

Help Keep Our Sidewalks Safe

Keeping **sidewalks clear** & **in good repair** is a simple way to be a good neighbor. It helps children walking to school, neighbors using wheelchairs or strollers, and everyone traveling through our community stay safe.

Property owners and occupants must keep sidewalks, curbs, and gutters next to their property in good repair and free of snow, ice, and other nuisances.

If sidewalk repairs do not meet City requirements and standards established by the Director of Public Safety and Service, the Director must enforce those requirements and arrange repairs. The owner is responsible for all service charges and expenses, including labor and notice service and return fees, plus 20% for administrative costs.

The City will mail a payment notice to the owner's last known address in the most recent property tax records. Charges unpaid within 30 days after mailing will be sent to the County Auditor for collection like other taxes and assessments, with proceeds returned to the City's General Fund. Violations are a minor misdemeanor.
Ordinance 47-90, passed July 2, 1990.

During any storm, don't forget . . .

- Give crews time. Wind, pavement temperatures, and the length of a storm affect snow and ice removal.
- Keep streets clear. Park in your driveway whenever possible, especially in cul-de-sacs. Vehicles parked or abandoned on snow emergency routes during a declared snow emergency will be towed. Watch for "Snow Ban Street" signs and listen to local radio for emergency declarations.
- Clear your sidewalks. Homeowners and businesses are responsible for keeping sidewalks clear so neighbors can travel safely.
- Shovel thoughtfully. If you clear your driveway apron before the plow comes through, place snow to the right as you face the street.
- Give snowplows space. Stay at least two car lengths behind a plow for every 10 mph you are traveling.
- Watch for ice. "Black ice" can make icy roads look wet. Bridges and ramps freeze first.
- Call 911 for medical emergencies, even if your road has not yet been plowed.

MAILBOX REPLACEMENT

Snow pushed from a plow can sometimes cause a mailbox to fall or become damaged. While we understand this can be frustrating, the City generally replaces mailboxes only when a plow or truck directly hits and damages them.

Mailboxes damaged by snow coming off the plow are not eligible for replacement. Mailboxes that extend past the curb into the street are also not eligible, even if struck by a plow or truck.

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SNOW BAN STREETS:

The streets within the City of Orrville where parking is prohibited after three (3) inches of snow have fallen and there is a prospect of further snow fall are as follows:

- Church Street (Mill to Maple)
- Crown Hill Road (Paradise Rd to High)
- Dogwood Drive (Hostetler to Apple Blossom)
- Ella Street (Terminal to High)
- Elm Street, North (Market to High)
- Fair Street (Market to High), west side only
- Hall Street (Market to High)
- High Street, East (Main to Mill)
- Jefferson Avenue (Ella to Elm)
- Kenwood Drive (Crown Hill to Lee)
- Kirk Avenue, both sides
- Lakeview Drive (Magnolia to Heatherwood)
- Lynn Drive (Crown Hill to Lee)
- Main Street (north city limits to south city limits)
- Market (Walnut to Crown Hill)
- Mohican Avenue (Market to Penn)
- Paradise Street (Garfield to Wayne)
- Park Street (McGill to Garfield), north side only
- Pearl Street (Market to High), west side only
- Vine Street, North (Market to Mineral Springs)
- Vine Street, South (Pine to deadend)
- Washington Boulevard (High to Market)
- Water Street (Vine to Mill)
- Westwood Avenue (Market to Penn)

PRIORITY SNOW PLOWING

Street	Priority	# Trucks
N & S Main Street	1	3
Co. Rd. 29	1	2
West Market Street	1	2
Collins Boulevard	1	2
N & S Crown Hill Rd	1	2
S Walnut Street	1	1
E & W Oak Street	1	2
E & W High Street	1	2
Hostetler Rd	1	2
Smucker Road	1	2
Mineral Spring Street	1	2
N Ella Street	1	2
N Elm Street	1	2
Back Massillon Rd	1	2
N & S Elm Street	2	2
Wheatridge Drive	2	1
Heartland	2	1
Spring Hill Drive	2	1
Orr Street	2	2
Schrock Road	2	2
E & W Paradise Street	2	2
E & W Chestnut Street	2	2
Lynn Drive	2	1
All Others	3	1

City-owned parking lots should be cleaned by 7 a.m. Salting and cleaning sidewalks by 8 a.m. Thru alleys will be plowed as time permits. Hauling piled snow from the downtown area will be done as time permits.

Understanding Snow Emergency Levels

The Wayne County Sheriff may declare a snow emergency to help keep everyone safe during severe winter weather. Here's what each level means:

- ***Level 1*** — **Drive with Caution** - Roads are hazardous due to blowing snow, drifting snow, and ice. Slow down and drive carefully.
- ***Level 2*** — **Limit Travel** - Road conditions are hazardous. Travel only if necessary, and check with your employer before heading to work.
- ***Level 3*** — **Roads Closed to Non-Emergency Travel** - Stay off the roads unless travel is absolutely necessary. Contact your employer before traveling to work. Anyone traveling during this level may be subject to arrest.

Please follow these warnings to help protect yourself, your neighbors, and emergency crews.