

TOWN OF OSCEOLA
Polk County, Wisconsin

ORDINANCE No. 18-04-04
Snow and Debris Removal from Public Roads and Road Right of Ways

The Town Board of the Town of OSCEOLA, Polk County, Wisconsin, does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION I: PURPOSE

The purpose of this ordinance is to promote safe roadways for its residents and prevent damage to Town equipment.

SECTION II: AUTHORITY

The Town Board of the Town of OSCEOLA has village powers under Section 60.10(2)(c), Wis. Stats., that grants general police powers as set forth in Section 61.34(1), Wis. Stats., to regulate certain uses, activities, businesses and operations that may affect the streets and highways in the Town of OSCEOLA.

SECTION III: ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

The Town Board of the Town of OSCEOLA, Polk County, Wisconsin, by this ordinance, adopted on proper notice with a quorum and roll call vote by a majority of the town board present and voting, hereby requires the snow and debris to be removed from public roads, the road shoulder, and the road right of way as needed.

SECTION IV: REQUIREMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS

- Snow may not be deposited on any public road or road shoulder to the near ditch line, or be deposited on any highway in any way that violates Chapter 86 of the Wisconsin State Statutes (2007-2008).
- Brush, garbage, or other debris may not be deposited on any public road, road shoulder, or road right of way.
- Any snow, brush, garbage, or debris that is deposited on any public road or road shoulder due to the clearing of snow, brush, or other debris from private lands must be immediately removed, and the road or road shoulder must be repaired to the condition it was before the snow or debris was deposited.

SECTION V: NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Any person found to be in violation of this ordinance shall be given written notice by the Town and subject to the following penalties:

- 1) Penalties as prescribed in the Town Schedule of Fees and Penalties
- 2) If Town personnel and equipment are required to remove snow or other debris from the road surface, shoulder, or Town right of way, the responsible party and/or property owner will be charged at the following rate per hour or fraction thereof:
 - A) Truck and 1 person; \$50.00 per hour
 - B) Grader and 1 person; \$100.00 per hour
- 3) Charges for police, fire, or other required services at the invoiced amount.
- 4) Resulting cost, including actual and related expenses, for damages to equipment will be billed to the responsible party.

SECTION VIII: SEVERABILITY

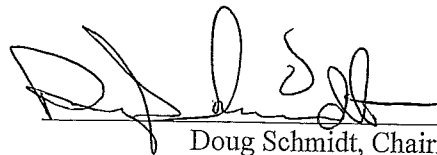
If any action of this ordinance is found to be unconstitutional or other wise invalid, the validity of the remaining sections shall not be affected.

SECTION IX: EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and publication or posting as required by law.

Adopted this 1st day of May 2018





Doug Schmidt, Chairman

Mike Wallis

Mike Wallis, Supervisor

Daniel Burch

Daniel Burch, Supervisor

ATTEST:

Lorraine Rugroden

Lorraine Rugroden, Clerk-Treasurer

Voice Vote
 Roll Call Vote

3 Yeas; 0 Nays; 0 Absent/Abstain

Posted on 5/7/18, at the following locations:

- Town Hall
- Dresser Post Office
- First National Community Bank

