

SNOW REMOVAL

As we approach the winter season, the Susquehanna Township Highway Department prepares for snow and ice removal. The Department maintains more than 100 miles of township roadways and alleyways. Our snow removal process begins with major routes, then residential streets, cul-de-sacs and alleys.

The clearing of snow from around mailboxes is the responsibility of the homeowner. The homeowner should wait for the snow plows to pass before clearing mailboxes and driveways. Also, it is illegal to place snow or any other obstruction on the roadway.

David Dyer, Highway Superintendent

Property maintenance is the responsibility of the property owner including in the winter. You are responsible for removing snow and ice from your sidewalks and within twenty four (24) hours after the snow has stopped. Such pathways shall be not less than thirty (30) inches in width and shall be thoroughly cleared to the extent of snow and ice or any other obstruction.

If the snow is not removed, a violation letter will be sent out and the owner of the property will have twenty-four (24) hours after being notified to have the snow removed. If the violation is not corrected then a citation and/or fine will be imposed. The fine can range from \$50.00 up to \$600.00 per day per occurrence. Every day that the snow remains or ice constitutes a separate offense.

If you have any additional questions, please contact Lynn Roche, Health Officer at 909-9257.