

SNOW REMOVAL INFORMATION

Medford Township strives to provide effective and efficient snow and ice removal to allow motorists to travel safely within the Township during winter weather events. Each event is unique, and the snow and ice control operation changes depending on several factors including but not limited to the amount, type and intensity of precipitation forecasted. Motorists should always use caution and drive appropriately for the road conditions.

In response to most winter weather events, the streets and roads may be pre-treated with brine and/or treated with salt. If conditions and accumulations warrant, the Township switches to plowing operations.

Snowplow operators are directed to clear the streets from one edge of the road to the other. As such, residents without curbing at the street may experience minor damage to the lawn. Residents are encouraged to mark the edge of the roadway with reflective markers to reduce the likelihood of the plow leaving the roadway; and identify any landscaping or irrigation hazards located in the right-of-way.

Medford Township is responsible for snow and ice control on more than 165 miles of roadway. We appreciate your patience as our crews work tirelessly to make our roads accessible during winter weather events. During these events please remember the following:

Placing snow on streets: Township Code 129-3 prohibits anyone from shoveling, blowing or plowing snow from private property onto sidewalks, streets and roadways, and fire hydrants of the Township.

Township Code 129-1 requires that property owners remove snow and/or ice from any hydrant located on their property within 24 hours of daylight after the storm ceases. Removing snow around fire hydrants greatly assists the Fire Department when responding to fire emergencies.

Parking-Off Street: If off-street parking is available to property owners, the Township asks that vehicles be parked in such locations. This will allow our crews to move more efficiently and effectively to clear the streets and roads without concern for vehicles that can be a significant hazard to our drivers. This may also help to prevent vehicles from being plowed in.

More information is available on our website at www.medfordtownship.com

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

Potholes, Drainage Issues, Downed Trees & Limbs in a public right-of-way, Dead Animal Carcasses, Missing and/or Damaged Street Name signs: Please use our automated Citizen Service Request Program to notify us of any of these or similar issues. The system will prompt you to those situations in which immediate notification in lieu of an e-mail is required.

Mosquito concerns should be addressed to the Burlington County Mosquito Control Commission. You may also call them at (609) 265-5064 or email them at mosquito@co.burlington.nj.us.

RECYCLING

Cardboard, paper, plastic, aluminum and glass containers are considered recyclable. Curbside recycling is provided by the County every other Tuesday, except for holidays. Recycling information including the collection schedule is available online at www.medfordtownship.com. The Township also provides a bulk-drop off for large amounts of recycling and other disposal items. The bulk-drop off is located at the DPW Garage, 2 Commonwealth Drive.

If you need more information, call the County Recycling Hotline at (609) 267-6889 or the Recycling Office at (609) 499-1001 weekdays between 9am and 5pm.

Residents with unused prescriptions and over the counter medicines can be dropped off at the Public Safety Building (91 Union Street, Medford) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Medications should be placed in their Medicine Drop Box located in the lobby.

Up-to-date information is available on our website.

CONTACT US:

Questions about services can be directed to the office at 609-654-6791. You can also reach our Department staff by utilizing the email addresses below:

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