

TOWN OF SPRINGSIDE

BYLAW NO. 2022-03

A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF SPRINGSIDE TO CONTROL THE REMOVAL OF SNOW FROM PRIVATE PROPERTY

The Council of the Town of Springside in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts as follows:

PART 1 – INTRODUCTION

1. This Bylaw shall be known and may be cited as the Snow Removal Bylaw.
2. The purpose of this Bylaw is to regulate the removal and/or placement of snow on private property and to prohibit the placement of such snow on roadways, public drainage ditches, and public property.

PART 2 – DEFINITIONS

3. Whenever in this Bylaw, the following terms are used, they shall, unless the text otherwise provides, be held to have the following meanings:
 - a) “Town” shall mean the Town of Springside.
 - b) “Public Place” shall include all or any part of a street as defined by *The Municipalities Act*, a park, municipal reserve, environmental reserve, buffer strip, drainage ditch, or other property in the Town of Springside.
 - c) “Sidewalk” shall mean a sidewalk within the meaning of *The Municipalities Act*.
 - d) “Street” shall mean a street within the meaning of *The Municipalities Act*.

PART 3 – REGULATIONS

4. Owners or occupants of property within the Town shall cause to be removed all snow, ice, dirt, debris or other loose debris from the sidewalks adjoining premises owned or occupied by them.
5. No person shall push, blade, shovel, blow or place snow that has accumulated on private property onto any sidewalk, street, or public place.

6. The Town may designate an area for the disposal of accumulated snow and upon such designation being made the owner or occupier of private properties may dispose of snow upon such places, notwithstanding that such places are public places.
7. The Public Works Department of the Town shall have the authority to request any owner or occupant of property, within the municipality, to remove any vehicles as defined in *The Highways and Transportation Act, 1997* to remove snow, ice, or loose debris on any street, sidewalk or lane. Owners or occupants will be given twenty-four (24) hours notice for removal of all vehicles or the said vehicles will be removed by the municipality at the owner/occupants' expense.
8. The owner or occupant of property shall ensure when clearing or removing snow, ice, or other loose debris, that he or she shall refrain from causing injury or unduly interfering with any person lawfully using the sidewalk, streets, or public places.
9. The owner or occupant of the property shall ensure snow disposal be undertaken in such a manner that it does not create a hazard or interfere with the use of streets, sidewalks, drainage ditches, or public places.
10. No person shall place, cause or permit to be placed any snow, ice, dirt, debris, or other loose debris removed from any street or other public place within the Town upon any other portion of any street, public place within the Town or private property, other than their own unless authorized by the Town.
11. If this Bylaw is contravened, the Town may, by written order, require the owner or occupant to remove the snow or ice or other loose debris from the street, sidewalk, or public place, failing which the Town may take whatever actions or measures are necessary to remedy a contravention of the Bylaw, including removal of the accumulation and adding to the tax roll any unpaid expenses and costs incurred by the Town for removing the accumulation.

PART 4 – PENALTIES

12. Any person who contravenes the provisions of the Bylaw or fails to comply herewith or with any notice or order given hereunder shall be guilty of an offense and shall be liable on summary conviction to the penalties as follows:
 - a) \$50.00 – First Offence
 - b) \$100.00 – Second and Subsequent Offenses

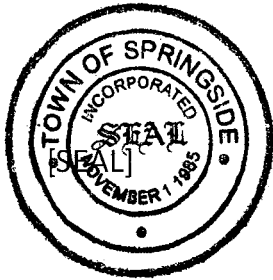
13. A person who refuses or neglects to comply with an order by the Bylaw Enforcement Officer to move snow or ice or other loose debris from the street, sidewalk, or public place, in addition to the penalties prescribed in Section 11, shall be liable to an additional penalty of \$50.00 per day that they refuse or neglect to comply with said order.

PART 5 – REPEAL

14. Bylaw No. 97 is hereby repealed.

PART 6 - COMING INTO FORCE

15. This Bylaw shall come into force and take effect on the day of final passing thereof.



Debbie Banks

↓ Mayor

[Signature]

Acting Administrator