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Reminder to All Residents

Parking Prohibited on Snow Covered Roads: Clear Snow and Ice from Vehicles Before Operating

Committeewoman Gloria McCauley, Liaison to Public Safety reminded all residents, "That Ordinance 143-21 prohibits parking on snow covered roads. When snow is anticipated, use off street parking as an alternative. Vehicles are subject to summonses and the potential of being towed at the owner's expense."

Whenever snow has fallen and the accumulation is such that it covers the street or highway an emergency shall exist, and no vehicle shall be parked on either side of any of the streets or parts thereof as described in Schedule XVI (§ 143-45) of the Township Code.

"It is necessary to have the streets accessible and free from vehicles parked on the side to allow for the plows to complete their work," added Committeewoman McCauley.

The above parking prohibitions shall remain in effect after the snow has ceased until the streets have been plowed sufficiently and to the extent that parking will not interfere with the normal flow of traffic.

Additionally, the Chief of Police, Chief Kaminsky reminds residents that there are motor vehicle statutes that require all snow and ice to be cleared from a vehicle before operating

said vehicle on the roadway. "This is to avoid flying ice and snow, which can potentially cause visibility problems for other drivers," stated Committeewoman McCauley.

Snow should not be shoveled, thrown nor deposited in the roadway from sidewalks and driveways. "When clearing sidewalks and driveways, please pile snow on the side of the driveway and do not throw it in the street" concluded Committeewoman McCauley.

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