

# Corporation of The Township of Stone Mills

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## **WINTER PARKING, MAINTENANCE AND SNOW REMOVAL ON MUNICIPAL ROADS, ROAD ALLOWANCES AND SIDEWALKS**

### **Winter Parking**

In accordance with the Township of Stone Mills by-law #98-53, parking and leaving of motor vehicle on property of the municipality (which includes Township roads and road allowances) are prohibited from December 1 until April 15<sup>th</sup> of the following year. Any vehicles parked or left on municipal property may be removed and impounded at the expense of the owner without notice.

### **Winter Maintenance and Snow Clearing/Removal**

According to Section 181 of the Highway Traffic Act, it is illegal to plow snow onto the road.

#### **Deposit Of Snow on Roadway**

*181. No person shall deposit snow or ice on a roadway without permission in writing so to do from the Ministry or the road authority responsible for the maintenance of the road. R.S.O. 1990, c. H.8, s. 181.*

### **Damage To Mailboxes During the Clearing of Snow.**

The Township of Stone Mills would like remind residents of the Townships policy pertaining to privately owned mailboxes in the Municipal road allowance. Mailboxes which are not ruggedly constructed or are not securely affixed to their post or cantilever arm may be damaged or dislodged by the direct weight and force of snow thrown from the plow. Under by-law 244-2004 the Township of Stone Mills bears no liability for such damage or impact and is only responsible to advise the mailbox owner of this By-laws limitation should an inquiry be made.

### **Removal Of Items Obstructing, Encumbering, Damaging the Safety Of Public Travel**

The Township of Stone Mills by-law 245-2004 also ensures that residents refrain from depositing snow, ice or other debris in a manner to obstruct, interfere or endanger the safety of Public Travel on any Municipal Road or Bridge. If a person or property is in default of this removal being done, the matter can be done at the person's expense by the Municipality with the Municipality billing the property owner.