

Don't Forget The Winter Parking Bans



Four Winter Parking Bans to Remember

Ensuring safe travel on Winnipeg's streets is a high priority for the Public Works Department. During the winter months this means ensuring snow removal crews can work as quickly and efficiently as possible.

Parked cars can seriously impede snow clearing operations — as a result a number of parking bans are implemented to help us keep our roads in top condition throughout the winter.

Snow Route Overnight Parking Ban

Winnipeg has a system of important routes designated as Snow Routes. These routes typically carry high volumes of traffic and are particularly important to ensuring rapid movement of emergency vehicles such as Police, Fire and Ambulance.

From December 1st to March 1st, parking on city streets designated as Snow Routes is prohibited between 2:00 am and 6:00 am. This ban is in effect annually. Snow Routes are clearly marked with signs similar to the one shown.



Violators may be ticketed.

Residential Overnight Parking Ban

When major plowing is required on residential streets, the Director of Public Works may declare a 'Residential Overnight Parking Ban.' This parking ban means you may not park at all between midnight and 6:00 am on any street not designated as a Snow Route. Motorists will be warned of this ban through local radio stations and other news media. A Residential Overnight Parking Ban will last until lifted by the Director.

Violators may be ticketed.

Major Snowfall Parking Ban

When major plowing is required on Snow Routes, the Director of Public Works may declare a 'Major Snowfall Parking Ban.' This ban prohibits any

parking on Snow Routes between midnight and 6:00 am. When declared, this ban will be announced on local radio stations and other news media.

A 'Major Snowfall Parking Ban' will normally only last one night, but may be extended as required.

Violators may be ticketed and towed.

Temporary No Parking Ban

Occasionally, individual streets require special snow removal work. In such instances temporary 'No Parking' signs will be posted on these streets. Temporary 'No Parking' signs look similar to the one shown. If you see one of these signs, please don't park on that street during the times indicated.



Violators may be ticketed and towed.

Better Winter Driving for All

We take pride in keeping Winnipeg's streets clear of snow and ice. Clear streets make winter driving safer, easier and less stressful.

By listening to local media for parking ban announcements and watching for 'Snow Route' and temporary 'No Parking' signs, you can help create safe, trouble-free winter driving for all of us.

For up-to-the-minute status of parking bans, please call:

775-SNOW (7669)

or visit the Public Works web site
www.city.winnipeg.mb.ca/publicworks

Register for automatic e-mail notification of winter parking bans.

If you have e-mail service you can register for automatic notification of winter parking bans as they occur. Each time a winter parking ban is declared or rescinded, you will be notified on your e-mail. For details go to the web site listed above and look under 'Parking Bans.'