

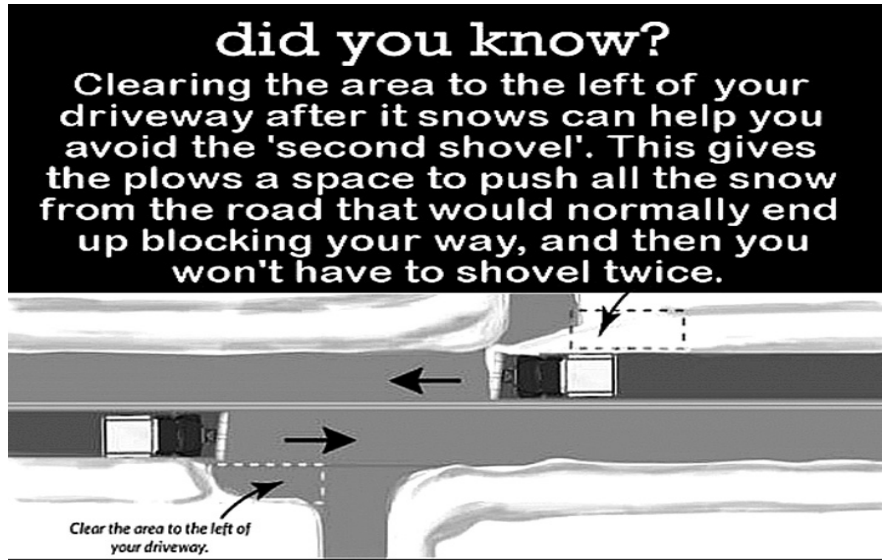
Important Notice to Owners and Residents

Help Prevent Traffic Safety Hazards

Residents and property owners are advised to keep the snow and ice they clear from their driveways, and property on their own property.

Helpful tips when clearing snow from your property:

- Refrain from pushing the snow across the road at the end of your driveway.
- Rather we ask that you push it to the “righthand side” of your driveway. This way our plows can easily pick it up without dragging it across your driveway and creating a windrow and properly push that snow back into the ditch to ensure that sightlines are maintained for safe travels. (please see diagram)



Pushing snow and ice onto County roadways, ditches, right-of-way's, and property other than your own results in:

- Increased traffic and safety hazards by making roads uneven and unpassable
- Slowing down the County's snow removal process
- Increased risk of damaging equipment during back blading of ditches
- Potentially damaging roads and road maintenance equipment
- Blocking or damaging culverts during freeze and thaw cycles which can lead to higher risks of flooding during the spring
- Causing inconveniences for other property owners, residents and motorists.
- Damaging utility lines, bridge structures, road access as well as vegetation.

Let's stay safe out there!

Invitation to Tender

Beaver County is Accepting Proposal for: **Caretaking, Handyman, Snow Removal & Lawn Maintenance Services**

for the Beaver County Service Centre, Transportation Shop, Agricultural Shop
Tender No. TEN2023-01PW Issued: January 17, 2023

Will be received by:
Beaver County ("County")
Box 140. 5120 – 50 Street
Ryley, Alberta.
T0B 4A0

Attention: Dan Blackie, General Manager of Infrastructure

Submission Deadline: February 6, 2023 at 10:00:00 am local time (the "Tender Closing")
For more information visit: <https://www.beaver.ab.ca/residents/proposals-quotes>

Notice of Rate Increase

Increase in Fees for Driveway Maintenance (includes Grading, Snow and Ice Control per Policy)

The County provides snow clearing and driveway grading for ratepayers upon request. At the January 16, 2023 Council meeting, Council passed the Fees for Service Bylaw 22-1126 with an increase to the cost of snow clearing and driveway maintenance.

Effective January 25, 2023 charges will be as follows:
\$200 per hour with a minimum ½ hour charge of \$100, plus \$35 for each 10-minute increment after the first ½ hour up to the 1 hour maximum. A signed agreement is required prior to this service being provided, please contact the Beaver County Service Center to make arrangements @ 780-663-3730.

Please note as per policy where a property is not clearly marked with a rural address sign, the County will not provide service.

This however, does not change our service for senior citizens (persons 65 years or older) or persons with health issues that would prevent the clearing of snow to a maximum 6 driveway clearings per calendar year, at a maximum of 30 minutes per removal. Please note that this free service is for snow removal only and is secondary to road clearing.