

City of Long Prairie Snow Removal Policy

With the winter snow season here, the Long Prairie City Council wishes to remind residents of the following:

Vehicle parking is not allowed from 1:30 a.m. until 5:30 a.m. in the city center.

The center of the city is Central Avenue from Highway 71 to Todd Street and each block north and south of Central Avenue between Highway 71 and Todd Street.

Damage to personal property during snow removal - Only property that is installed correctly and allowed by city ordinance that is close to the streets and is damaged by actual contact with the city equipment, will be taken into account for repair or replacement at the expense of the city. Damage to trees, shrubs and landscaping will not be considered for compensation. Damage to personal vehicles will be considered only if they are legally parked and only if there was physical contact with the equipment.

State law prohibits blowing or shoveling snow on streets and roads.

The council would also like to ask people, if possible, not to park their vehicles on city streets when snowfall is expected. Not parking on the street will allow city workers to clean the streets more efficiently.

The City of Long Prairie warns that plowing or shoveling snow from your driveway or sidewalk onto a public road, pushed across a public road, or dumped onto a public road right of way causes a real hazard and is against the law



Your cooperation during the winter season will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you!