

SNOWPLOWING

RM of BIG RIVER

In severe storm conditions, the policy of Council shall be to clear all main roads and school bus routes first; secondary roads and streets after main roads and school bus routes are complete.

Custom work, including the blading of driveways, shall be done only when all municipal work is complete. Ratepayers wanting custom work done should consider having a local contractor do the work rather than the municipality.

Prior to the municipal grader operator opening a driveway:

- Driveway Snowplowing Release (Waiver) shall be signed by the ratepayer that releases the RM from any and all damages because of the work being performed.
- Any ratepayer requesting services shall purchase flag(s) from the municipal office. Each flag shall cost \$55.00 which entitles the ratepayer to no more than 15 minutes of grader work (\$55.00 per entry). The municipality's grader will only open from the municipal road allowance to the house.
- The ratepayer will be responsible to put out the flag so the grader operator knows to enter and do custom work. The grader operator will take the flag when the work is complete. Flags that are put in locations inconvenient for the operator to remove will not be provided service.
- Time in excess of 15 minutes will be billed to the landowner:
 1. Additionally, as custom work at the rate set by the municipality on an annual basis; and
 2. For any costs incurred resulting from the grader getting stuck and requiring assistance.

Any ratepayer that will require the municipality to clear their driveway of snow will have to sign the waiver and purchase their flag(s) in advance of requesting services.

If you have any questions please call your Councillor:

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