## QUICK TIPS

- When shoveling snow, please remember to keep it on your property and keep the streets and sidewalks clear. Your neighbors will appreciate it.
- City crews plow the streets based on priority set by resolution. The goal is to clear all City Streets within 48 hours after the end of storm when accumulation of 6 " or more is present.
- City crews typically plow from the curb to the center of the road. If a car is parked crews will go around it and your vehicle may get buried.
- Don't follow a snowplow or sanding truck too closely. They may stop suddenly or spray sand, rocks or other material.




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For questions concerning snow and ice removal contact the City of Madras Public Works Department at 541-325-0113

Or check the website for updates at ci.madras.or.us

## Ice and Snow... *Take it Slow



A Snow and Ice Guide

## SNOW REMOVAL

When snow falls in Madras, the Public Works staff hits the streets. Crews work around the clock to keep routes open.

- Snow removal is triggered at 2 inches of accumulation.
- The order in which streets are plowed are set by City Resolution with two routes (primary and secondary).
- Upon completion of primary and secondary routes, snow is plowed in the commercial and industrial districts.
- When snow accumulation is over six (6) inches, residential neighborhoods will be plowed
- To view the current snow removal route, visit the web address below:
http://ci.madras.or.us/



In preparation of a snow event:

- Please try not to park vehicles on the street. This will allow crews to plow from the curb to the center of the street.
- If vehicles are left parked on the street they may be plowed in.
- City crews are not responsible for clearing snow around vehicles or private driveways.
- Make sure to give crews a wave, it helps us see you.



Per City ordinance, it is the Property owner responsibility to maintain clear sidewalks including snow and ice.

Many people rely on walking and transit as their primary way to get around, and without a wide, clear path through snow and ice, it is especially difficult for people with disabilities, seniors, and children to walk safely.

Please remember City Ordinance requires property owner to clear sidewalks within 6 hours after a snow event.

If you have any questions regarding snow removal you may call City Hall at the number provided below or the City Website: ci.madras.or.us/

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