



## Your City of Leadville Street Department

### Crew

- Jim** Department Manager & Operator:
- Tyler** Assistant Supervisor & Operator, Mechanic
- Marvin** Operator
- Mike** Operator
- Joe** Operator
- Larry** Operator

### Equipment

- 1 grader
- 3 loaders
- 1 sander
- 3 pickups with plows
- 4 dump trucks
- 1 water truck



### Budget 2021

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Total Expenses:    | \$597,036 |
| Employee Expenses: | \$443,726 |
| New Equipment:     | \$119,436 |



For safety reasons, and in compliance with Federal law, the City limits the shift length of an operator to no more than 14 hours or no more than 60 hours in seven days.

### Statement of Liability

The City assumes no responsibility for damage to landscaping or objects placed in the right-of-way, including alleys, which could be inadvertently damaged by City equipment.

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# The City of Leadville



## Your Snow Removal Plan



### New and Improved!

The City and County are teaming up with a large snow blower this winter in an effort to enhance snow removal efforts. We have established quadrants in the City's core to keep those areas free of snow as much as possible. There is also a plan to remove snow from all City blocks at least once during the winter season and a plan for slush mitigation later in the season when we experience warmer weather and the freeze/thaw cycle makes our streets treacherous.



# Snow Removal In the City of Leadville



## Top of the Rockies

Leadville receives an average of more than 140 inches of snow per year. Snow is one of the most magical and challenging aspects of living in Leadville.

Our City crew is very good at what they do, however, there are limitations to what is possible at any given time. Our crews work long hours to keep streets clear of snow and safe for cars and pedestrians.

## City Priorities



The first priority of the city after a snow storm is to clear the streets so they are safe to drive. Because of time constraints, this makes it necessary to plow snow towards the curb and parking areas in order to clear driving lanes. School and emergency routes have first priority.

We inform the public of specific, time sensitive snow hauling priorities through signage.

We sand streets for safety.

As a secondary priority, we plow selected alleys.



## Property Upkeep

Please clear the snow from your driveways and sidewalks and keep that snow on your property. Please do not place that snow in the street.

Please wait to shovel your parking area until after the Street Crews come by. This might save you some aggravation.

Please do not shovel or pile snow into the street (more than 6 feet from curb).

Please do not park cars more than 12 inches from the curb.

All vehicles, including trailers, must be moved every 48 hours all year around.



Please move vehicles, including trailers, off of the streets when your street is posted for snow clearing.

## Snow Plowing Schedule

Snow plowing typically begins on most mornings by 2 am when snow accumulates at least 4 inches. While operation is noisy, it is necessary to perform such operations in the early hours, before periods of heavy traffic.

It is the goal of the Street Department to clear all city routes quickly and efficiently, with emphasis on major routes, emergency routes, schools, and safe routes to schools.

## Being a Good Neighbor



Being good neighbors can help us all cope with difficult winter challenges. When clearing snow make sure you are not hindering your neighbor's efforts to do the same. Please don't park in a spot your neighbor has cleared for their vehicle. Help each other.

Considering our abundance of annual snowfall, this is no small task, and enjoying winter takes the cooperation of everyone in our community.

## How Will I Know When Snow Removal Will Occur on My Street?

When it is determined that snow removal will occur on a street, that street will be posted with signage the day before for snow removal the next morning.

When your street is posted you must find alternative parking or you may be ticketed and/or towed.

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