

# POLICY

## Town of Deer Lake

### Snow clearing damage

PURPOSE        Damage caused to Personal property in the Road Allowance .

AUTHORITY     As per resolution at Meeting No. 1175, August 17,2009

Amended:

ACTION        Any damage or repairs to personal property in the town of Deer Lake road allowance which may have been created through regular snow clearing by town employees or town vehicles will not be funded through the tax dollars of residents of the said town.

1. All Claims for damage must be made in writing to the Town Office within fourteen (14) days of the damage occurring : otherwise the claim will not be honoured. ( The Town will not respond to Verbal claims) Claims will not be honoured after May 15<sup>th</sup> each year.
2. The Town will not be responsible for any damage caused within the road right-of-way. This includes damage to fences, garbage boxes, trees, etc.
3. The Town will not be responsible for damage caused by "weight of snow" or "lawn browning"
4. When making a claim the following information should be included to enable the process of your claim. If sufficient information is not provided this could result in a claim not being honoured.
  - a. Your Full mailing address
  - b. Time that damage occurred if known e.g. 6:30 a.m. Friday, December 6, 2002
  - c. Type of equipment that caused the damage e.g. International Backhoe
5. With large amount of snow. Council may have to dump snow on vacant land and open lawns in order to widen roads. Extra care shall be taken when doing this.

Meeting Date and Number: \_\_\_\_\_ August 15, 2011, No. 1215 \_\_\_\_\_

Verified by: Don Ball