

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT FOR COUNCIL

March 4, 2008

February 2008 – WINTER EVENTS

- February 1st Started to snow at 9 a.m. Snowing hard and very windy 1:00 p.m.
Road Patrol at 3 p.m. starting to drift 5 – 6 cm down on roads.
Road Patrol at 4:30 pm drifting BAD 8 – 9 cm down.
Plows went out at 5 pm finished at 12 midnight.
- Saturday
February 2nd Plows went out at 5 am. Snowed another 5 – 6 cm last night
Total from yesterday and last night storm 20 – 22 cm.
Finished plowing 2 pm.
- February 5th Light snow fell 3 – 4 cm last night. Freezing rain 6 am.
Truck 2 salted pavement & Truck 3 sanding gravel roads @ 7 am
Finished salt 10:30 am. Truck 2 helped sand gravel roads.
Sanded all day.
- February 6th Started to snow lightly 7:30 am. Snowed 4 – 5 cm through the day.
- February 7th Started to snow 6 am. Snowing hard 7 am and very windy last night.
Drifts on Roads. Ploughs went out at 8 am. Still snowing hard @ 9 am
Plough all roads, sand intersections.
Total 10 – 12 cm down and drifting.
- February 8th Ploughs went out to plough and sand all roads for weekend.
Put salt down on pavement 10 am.
- Saturday
February 9th Snowed Lightly all day started 7 am. 5 – 6 cm down.
- Sunday
February 10th Wind blew hard all night. Started around 2 pm – drifting.
Ploughs went out at 7 pm to plough off drifts
- February 11th Drifts on Roads – very windy last night. Ploughs out at 7 am to plough
off drifts and wing back snow banks. Backhoe pushing back banks where
drifted bad.
- February 13th Snowed 7 – 8 cm last night and windy – drifts. Ploughs went out at 6 am
Ploughed all roads and pushed back snow drifts.

February 15th Snowed 5 – 6 cm last night. Got very windy 4 am. Strong wind @ 6 am
Ploughs went out at 7 am and ploughed all day.

Sunday

February 17th Started to freeze rain around 1 pm. Started to sand roads @ 2 pm.
Rained all day to 10 pm. Finished sanding 11 pm.

February 18th Started sanding 5 am. Sanded all roads. Finished 12 noon.

February 19th Started to snow lightly 7 am. Snowing hard and very windy 8 am.
Trucks went out at 8 am to sand intersections. Quit snowing 10:30 am
Ploughed off pavement 11 am. 4 – 5 cm down.
Started snowing hard again @ 1 pm. Snowed hard all afternoon.
Ploughs went out at 3:30 pm. 12 – 15 down. Ploughed main roads.

February 20th Ploughs went out at 7 am to sand and to clean up after yesterday's storm.

February 22nd Sand Roads for weekend

February 27th Snowed 3 – 4 cm yesterday and last night. Very windy – drifts on roads.
Ploughs went out at 8 am to plough off drifts.

MISCELLANEOUS JOBS

- ⇒ Worked at landfill site standing two poles to set grade for each tier
- ⇒ Kept rink cleaned off - times
- ⇒ Backhoe out pushing back snow banks and pushing back banks at turn-arounds
- ⇒ Put up three “use at your own risk” signs at the rink
- ⇒ Serviced chain saws
- ⇒ Setup the stage at Community Centre 5 times
- ⇒ Put the stage away at Community Centre 5 times
- ⇒ Kept garage floor and shop clean
- ⇒ Set out “Bump” signs
- ⇒ Open drains in Thompsonville
- ⇒ Tree removal on Pinnacle Road
- ⇒ Replaced light bulbs at Municipal Office
- ⇒ Pushed back snow banks with backhoe and grader on Fraser Road
- ⇒ Scraped ice on roads with grader

EQUIPMENT REPAIRS

- ⇒ Fixed brake line on grader
- ⇒ Fixed hydraulic line on grader
- ⇒ Fixed broken wire for wing on grader
- ⇒ Worked on plough for truck 10 – wires shorted out caused fire
- ⇒ Worked on lights for truck 2
- ⇒ Replaced wing blades Truck 3
- ⇒ Changed oil and filter on backhoe
- ⇒ Changed oil and filter on truck 10