

## TOWN OF STRAFFORD P. O. Box 27 Strafford, Vermont 05072

Town Office 1-802-765-4411 Town Garage 1-802-765-4550

## Town of Strafford Mailbox Policy After a Snow Event

Purpose: To provide guidelines for replacement of mailboxes damaged during snow events.

The Town of Strafford will compensate for damaged mailboxes (up to a monetary limit of \$35 per mailbox per event) only when the Road Foreman determines that a Town plow caused the damage to the mailbox as a result of plowing. If the damage was caused by flying snow and ice as a result of plowing, there will be no compensation. This observation will be made based on cut marks, chipped paint or similar evidence.

Clearing around mailboxes is the sole responsibility of the owner.

In accordance with this policy, items should not be placed in the right-of-way. Common items are trees, fences, flowers, stone walls etc. placed in the Town's right-of-way. Such objects so placed in the right-of-way are the responsibility of the owner.

The Town assumes no responsibility for damage to any objects placed in violation of this policy.

Adopted on May 25, 2011 by the Strafford Board of Selectmen:

Stephen Willbanks

Roderick J. Maclay

Victoria Lloyd