

Midway City Council  
5 March 2019  
Regular Meeting

Ordinance 2019-04 /  
Snow Removal and Fire Hydrants



## ORDINANCE 2019-04

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 8.05.090 AND ADDING SECTION 8.05.100 TO THE MIDWAY CITY CODE REGARDING THE REMOVAL OF SNOW NEAR FIRE HYDRANTS LOCATED ON PRIVATE STREETS, AND MAILBOXES LOCATED ON ALL STREETS, AND RELATED MATTERS.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of Midway City desires to amend the Midway City Code regarding the removal of snow near fire hydrants adjacent to private streets and near mailboxes located adjacent to all streets; and

**WHEREAS**, the addition of the language contained herein will improve safety and make the provision of municipal type services, including fire protection, on private streets more efficient during snow months; and

**WHEREAS**, the addition of the language will improve access to mailboxes for mail delivery on all streets;

**NOW THEREFORE**, for the reasons stated above, the City Council of the City of Midway, Wasatch County, Utah, hereby adopts, passes and publishes the following:

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the City Council of Midway City, Wasatch County, State of Utah:

Section 8.05.090 is hereby amended and 8.05.100 is hereby added to the Midway City Code, as follows:

**Section 8.05.090 Snow Removal Near Mailbox Receptacle on all City Streets**

It shall be the duty of every property owner to monitor, uncover and remove accumulated snow and windrows of snow from over and around the owner's mailbox. If the snow is not removed in a manner that the postal delivery employee can access the mailbox then mail may not be delivered, at the postal delivery employee's discretion, to the inaccessible mailbox.

**Section 8.05.100 Snow Removal Near Fire Hydrant on Private Street**

It shall be the duty of every property owner on a private street to monitor, uncover and remove accumulated snow and windrows of snow from over and around any fire hydrant located in front of or adjacent to the owner's property. The fire hydrant area shall be uncovered for a minimum distance of not-less than three feet on all sides. Snow removal must occur within twelve hours from the end of each snow storm. Failure to remove snow around fire hydrants as described in this Code shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.

This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage. A copy of this ordinance shall be posted at each of three (3) public places within the corporate limits of Midway City and a summary published in a paper of local circulation.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of Midway City, Wasatch County, Utah  
this            day of            , 20            .

|                                | AYE   | NAY   |
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| Council Member Jeff Drury      | _____ | _____ |
| Council Member Lisa Orme       | _____ | _____ |
| Council Member Bob Probst      | _____ | _____ |
| Council Member JC Simonsen     | _____ | _____ |
| Council Member Ken Van Wagoner | _____ | _____ |

APPROVED:

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Celeste Johnson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Brad Wilson, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Corbin Gordon, City Attorney

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