

**ORDINANCE NO. 1570**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 18 – STREETS AND SIDEWALKS – ARTICLE IV  
– SIDEWALKS BY AMENDING SECTION 18-74 REGARDING SNOW AND ICE TO BE  
REMOVED FROM SIDEWALK BY PROPERTY OWNER**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MADISON, SOUTH  
DAKOTA:

That Section 18-74 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Madison, also known as the Code of  
Ordinances, be amended to read as follows:

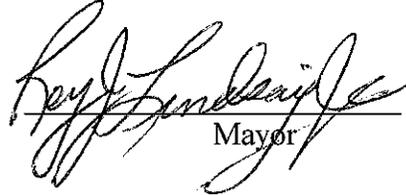
**Sec. 18-74. Snow and ice to be removed from sidewalk by property owner.**

The owner of any property must remove all snow and ice from any sidewalk upon the owner's  
property within 48 hours after any snowfall, snow or ice accumulation so that sidewalks are clean and  
safe for pedestrians for safe and convenient foot travel. Snow and ice must also be removed from that  
portion of the sidewalk which ends at an intersection or crosswalk, including the curb ramp. The  
owner of property abutting sidewalks on two intersecting streets must remove all snow and ice from  
the sidewalks of both streets, regardless of the source of the snow accumulation. Snow and ice  
deposited on the sidewalk from the street snow removal process must also be removed within 48 hours  
of being deposited. Failure to remove snow and ice from a sidewalk in accordance with this division  
constitutes an ordinance violation.

In the event ice has so formed upon a sidewalk that it cannot be removed, then the owner must use  
sand, salt or other suitable substance in such manner as to prevent the ice from being dangerous until  
such time as it can be removed. Snow and ice which is removed from a sidewalk may be placed on the  
boulevard or yard. It is unlawful for any person to dispose of or move snow from a sidewalk or other  
private property onto a public street, alley or sidewalk.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.

CITY OF MADISON

  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Finance Officer

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