POLICY #7.20

SNOW REMOVAL

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PREAMBLE

An accumulation of snow and ice on school grounds can make student, staff and other pedestrian access difficult and hazardous, can prevent vehicular access and can impede parking. Heavy, wet snow can cause structural damage if it is permitted to accumulate on roofs, particularly if the load is unevenly distributed. Melting of heavy snow fall accumulation can also cause flooding and other damage due to water run-off if drains and sewers are not kept clear.

POLICY

THE SECRETARY-TREASURER, OR DESIGNATE, SHALL ENSURE THE FACILITIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT DEVELOPS A SNOW REMOVAL AND SALTING PLAN FOR THE DISTRICT THAT IS BROADLY COMMUNICATED WITH CLEARLY DEFINED ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

OBJECTIVES

- 1. To minimize snow and ice safety hazards for students, staff and members of the public on school district property.
- 2. To minimize safety hazards for parking and for vehicular traffic on school district property.
- 3. To provide pedestrian and vehicular access