

Policy Group: Public Works
Policy Title: Snow Clearing Damages/Freeze Up's
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General Statement of Policy

All claims for damage must be made in writing to the Town Office within fourteen (14) days of the damage occurring, otherwise the claim will not be honoured.

A form requiring the following information is available at the council office:

- a. Time that the damage occurred;
- b. Type of equipment that caused the damage;
- c. Name of company who owns the machine;
- d. Type of damage and approximate amount in dollars of the claim;
- e. If possible, a picture of the property before the damage occurred.

The Town will not be responsible for any damage caused within the road right of way. This includes damage to fences, garbage boxes, trees, etc.

The Town will not be responsible for damage caused by “weight of snow” or “lawn browning”.

Residents are also advised that the Town of Carbonear is not responsible for “Freeze Ups”. Residents must take proper precautions to prevent their water line from freezing.