

During the winter months, Delmar Township will occasionally receive calls regarding damage to mailboxes either from the snowplows directly or from the force of the snow being thrown by the plows. Remember, snowplows can burl hundreds of pounds of snow in one pass. If the damage is indeed, caused by snow removal, **IT IS NOT DONE INTENTIONALLY** but is an unfortunate consequence of snow removal.

The snowplow blades on most of the trucks are up to 12 feet in width and just about 6 feet in height, which creates a great deal of force when plowing snow. The driver must adjust the vehicle speed according to various conditions such as heavy or wet snow, ice, or residential areas. When the plow goes by, it must throw the snow somewhere, and this your yard.

Snowplow drivers work long and hard hours to ensure the safety of the roads. Their goal is to keep our roads clear so you and your family can travel safely and without major delays. The Delmar Township provides winter maintenance to over 100 miles of road. Bus routes are the first to be plowed and cinder for their safety.

When mailboxes are placed in the Township Right-of-Way, we are not responsible for any damage caused by our road maintenance or snowplowing to any private property located in the right-of-way.

Please remember not to shovel or push snow and ice onto the roadway when clearing your driveway, sidewalks, or parking areas.

Thank you

Delmar Township Roadcrew