

LESAUK TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

The LeSauk Town Board of Supervisors would like to remind township residents that it is against the law to deposit snow, in any fashion, on or next to a public highway, county road, township road or street. In many cases this leaves a snow ridge on the road which may be a contributing factor to motor vehicle accidents or breakage of snow equipment.

Please refer to Minnesota Statute Section 169.42 in which it states:

No person shall throw, deposit, place, or dump, or cause to be thrown, deposited, placed, or dumped upon any street or highway or upon any public or privately owned land adjacent thereto without the owner's consent any snow, ice, glass bottle, glass, nails, tacks, wire. Cans, garbage, swill, papers, ashes, cigarette filters, debris from fireworks, refuse, carcass of any dead animal, offal, trash or rubbish or any other form of offensive matter, or any other substance likely to injure any person, animal, or vehicle upon any such street or highway.

A violation of Minnesota State Statute 169.42 is a misdemeanor (Statute 609.02 subdivision 3- Misdemeanor) and punishable by a fine of up to \$1000.00 or a jail sentence up to 90 days, and or both. A second or subsequent offense shall require a minimum mandatory fine of \$400.00