TOWN OF HEART'S DELIGHT - ISLINGTON

SNOW CLEARING REGULATIONS

Pursuant to the authority of Section 414 (2) (m) of *The Municipalities Act*, 1999, the Town of Heart's Delight - Islington has adopted the following Regulations this 7^{th} day of <u>November, 2001</u> and may be cited as the **Heart's Delight - Islington Snow Clearing Regulations.**

The regulations will come into effect on **December 01, 2001.**

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REGULATIONS

- 1. In these regulations.
 - (a) " Council means The Town of Heart's Delight Islington

(b) " Park means to permit a vehicle whether occupied or not, to stand in a position as to impede snow clearing.

(c) " street reservation means the portion of a highway being under the jurisdiction of Council and being thirty-three (33) feet on either side of the center portion of the highway or not less than (15) feet from center of local roads as established by resolution of Council in accordance with the provisions of *The Municipalities Act*.

(d) "Town means the Town of Heart's Delight - Islington as defined by Order-in-Council dated October 24, 1972 or any amendments thereto, made or continued under provisions of *The Municipalities Act*.

(e) "vehicle means a device in, upon, or by which a person or property may be transported in, drawn upon a highway.

- 2. During this period from the first day of December in each year up to and including the last day of April in the succeeding year, no person shall park an unattended vehicle upon any street reservation at any time during a snow storm and for twelve (12) hours thereafter.
- 3. During the winter months of each year, no person shall shovel, plow, cause to be shoveled or plowed, any residue snow from a driveway or parking lot on to any road within the municipal boundaries of *The Town of Hearts Delight Islington*.
- 4. Council reserves the right to dump snow on vacant lots and on open lawns in order to widen roads, especially with large accumulations of snow. Care will be taken to avoid damaging property. However, during snow clearing, Council will not be responsible for any damage to fences or private property unless said fence is set back the required distance from the center of the road. Neither will the town be liable for any damage to trees, garbage boxes, or damage caused by weight of snow or lawn browning. Any claim for damage must be in writing within seven (7) days of damage occurring. Verbal damage claims will not be accepted. Claims must include, date and time damage occurred, type of equipment used, dollar value of claim, etc.
- 5. The town and fire department will endeavor to keep hydrants cleared on a regular basis, however, residents are asked to help where possible to keep the hydrants free of snow in case of an emergency.
- 6. Every person who violates any of the provisions of these regulations is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a penalty prescribed by Section 419 and 420 of *The Municipalities Act*. First offence \$100.00, subsequent offences \$500.00
- 7. The plow will not operate during severe storms, but in the case of a Medical or Fire Emergency, residents may call the **Emergency Line at 588-2333.**

Stan Reid, Mayor