



City Administration Offices, P.O. Box 108, 104 Main Street, Nevis, MN 56467, (218) 652-3866

## Public Works

Winter is here, and along with that comes snow. Most vehicles are parked off street, but if you must park on the street and it is allowed, we will work around you. After the storm has passed, moving the vehicle will allow us to clean up that area.

Colder temps are also on the way. One thing you, as a resident, can do to help prevent water freeze ups is to check water temps (run the cold tap for 5 minutes and check water temperature). If water is colder than 34 degrees, please give the office a call and we can look at your situation.

Frozen sewer lines are usually caused by a slow leak. Most times, it will be a leaky toilet or your propane furnace. To check the toilet: put food coloring in the tank (not the bowl). If the color runs into the bowl, the flapper is leaking and may need to be replaced. Propane furnaces may have a small amount of water that comes out as the furnace is running. This, too, will freeze the sewer line.

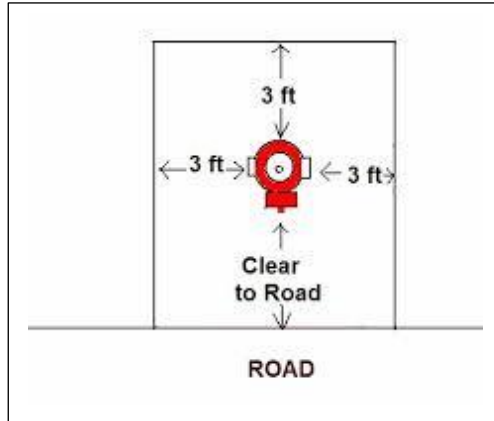
## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire department had another good year. We are looking forward to 2022. We have a busy year of training planned. Heating is a leading cause of residential fires and almost all of them are preventable; remember to have your furnaces and fireplaces serviced annually.

### **ADOPT-A-HYDRANT**

Please consider adopting a hydrant by keeping a path shoveled to the hydrant so they can be easily – and more important, quickly accessed by the fire department in the event of an emergency at your home or in your neighborhood.

**Keep snow and ice 3 feet away from fire hydrants.**



**Happy  
New Year!**



## Desk of the Administration

### New Office Hours:

Monday – Wednesday 8:00-4:30  
Thursdays 8:00 – 6:00  
Fridays 7:30 – 12:00

View Meetings on our Website  
and to stay connected.

[www.nevis.govoffice.com](http://www.nevis.govoffice.com)

Happy New Year!

### **Police:**

Police Protection is provided by the Hubbard County Sheriff's Office. Their Office is located at 203 Court Avenue Park Rapids, MN. For Non-Emergencies Call City Hall At 652-3866. For Emergencies Call 911

### Snow Season Reminders

Please keep in mind, property owners are responsible to clear the snow around their mailbox. The city will consider making repairs to mailboxes only if the snowplow equipment *physically* hits the mailbox or post, and only if the mailbox conforms to City Ordinance installation requirements. To prevent damage to lawns, landscape, irrigation heads or other items that will get buried under the snow along the curb or edge of the road, it is recommended that residents clearly mark these areas with reflective stakes.

### Ice Skating Rink

We had another warm start to winter which means a late freeze for our communities Ice Rink. Now that we've had some cooler weather, the rink is ready for public use.

### Muni:

January is a slow month at the Nevis Municipal. We are going to spend the month getting more organized and making everything more efficient. Spring is not that far away when it comes to planning big events so we will start working on that as well.

Erin Rhoades, Liquor Store Manager.