

# **CITY OF MIDDLETON**

## **SEASONAL REMINDERS**

### **Snow Removal**

Winter is coming!!! City Ordinance says that the owner, occupant or person in charge of each building, structure or unoccupied lot in the City fronting or abutting a street shall remove snow and ice from the sidewalk, including handicap ramps (the ramps between the sidewalk and the street) as well as from any fire hydrant adjacent to such building, structure or unoccupied lot. The snow and/or ice must be removed from the entire width of the sidewalk and handicap ramps and from fire hydrants within 24 hours following the end of the snowfall. If ice cannot be removed immediately, it shall be sprinkled with salt, sand or combination thereof until it can be removed. Snow shall be removed from fire hydrants to a point no higher than four (4) inches below the lowest outlet. No person may deposit snow or ice from private property or sidewalks, upon the sidewalk, roadway or street, or cause or order the same to be done.

### **WINTER PARKING**

Middleton's long standing alternate side parking ordinance is in effect from November 15 to March 15. The purpose of the ordinance is to facilitate snow removal and street maintenance. If it is necessary for you to leave a vehicle on the street between 1:00 AM and 7:00 AM, park on the even numbered side of the street on even numbered calendar days and likewise, park on the odd numbered side of the street on odd numbered days. You should anticipate the midnight date change.

If signs prohibit parking on one side of the street alternate parking does not apply. If the addresses on your street are all even or all odd numbered, the alternate side parking regulations still applies. In effect, there is no on street parking every other night. To do otherwise would mean that one side of the street could not be plowed.

### **CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL**

The City will collect and chip Christmas trees in January on an as-needed basis. All tinsel, decorations, tree stands, etc. must be removed. Trees placed in plastic bags or buried in snow banks will not be collected.