

MAILBOX AND ROADSIDE RECEPTACLES

Replacement Policy

This policy addresses the TOWN OF OCONTO FALLS policy regarding mailboxes and roadside receptacles damaged as a result of Town Road operations.

Mailboxes and roadside receptacles are defined as any container used for the delivery of mail, newspapers advertising circulars, or other printed material, along any Town Roads in the Town of Oconto Falls, Oconto County.

The mailbox or receptacle base shall be placed two feet from the back of the shoulder of the road; the box shall be 46 inches above the grade of the shoulder, and the front of the box shall not extend beyond the back of the shoulder of the road. The mailbox and receptacle base should be able to withstand flying snow or slush from traffic and snowplows.

If a mailbox or receptacle base is damaged by flying snow and is not placed at the proper distance and height from the roadway, it will not be replaced by the TOWN. Any mailbox or base damaged by slush or heavy snow will be investigated by the Town Chairman.

If a mailbox is hit and damaged by a snowplow or other piece of equipment, it will be replaced with a metal or plastic box acceptable to the U.S. Postal Service. Decorative or other types of ornamental mailboxes will not be replaced in kind.

NOTICE

ROADWAYS OBSTRUCTION IN THE TOWN OF OCONTO FALLS

Pushing snow and other materials onto or across the roadways from private driveways can cause accidents and deaths and is prohibited by Wisconsin Statutes 86.01 and /or 346.94(5)

BY ORDER OF THE OCONTO FALLS TOWN BOARD

ALFRED KRAUSE JR
CHAIRMAN