



Winter Weather
 Keeping sidewalks free of ice and snow is the neighborly thing to do and it's the law. Together we are all responsible for keeping Milford safe and effortless for winter walking.

•Who needs to remove snow, ice, and accumulations? Owners and occupants with businesses and properties bordering sidewalks.

•When to remove snow, ice, and accumulations? Snow and ice needs to be cleared from sidewalks in the downtown business commercial district within 12 hours after a snowfall and 24 hours for all other areas in the city.

•Where to Shovel? Clear full width of the sidewalk. Salt and sand icy spots.

•What happens if I don't remove snow, ice, and accumulations? The City may do so and assess the costs plus a \$25.00 administrative fee against property owner. Property owner will also be guilty of a municipal infraction punishable by a fine of \$100 first offense, \$150 second offense, \$250 subsequent offenses.

•How do I avoid a \$25 snow tickets? If it is snowing or if snow is in the forecast keep vehicles off streets and alleys until the street has been plowed curb to curb. Violators will be ticketed \$25 per offense.

•What happens if I throw, push, or place snow/ice from private property onto a street or alley? You will be charged with a simple misdemeanor.

•What happens if I push snow/ice across any portion of a street in a residential neighborhood? You will be charged with a simple misdemeanor.

•How can I get notifications when there is a snow emergency for Milford? Register for notifications at www.dcem.us (Dickinson County Emergency Management)

•Drive carefully, obey posted speed limits, and adjust your speed according to the current conditions. (Note: the speed limit is 25 mph unless otherwise posted)

Snowmobiles
 Snowmobiles may only be operated on city streets when traveling directly to or from the nearest designated snowmobile trail on the most direct route.

ATVs
 ATVs may be driven on city streets by licensed driver's age 18 years or older. The only two places to cross Hwy 71 is 6th and 10th Street. For a full listing of regulations visit www.milford.ia.us located under Frequently Asked Questions.

Fire Hydrants
 Please keep snow cleared around fire hydrants following each snow event. Clear a wide enough perimeter (about 3 feet) around the hydrant for firefighters to work. Your assistance with this is ap-

preciated to help ensure a rapid response by the Fire Department in the event of a fire during the winter.

Mailboxes
 All mailboxes must be located with the front of the mailbox a minimum six inches behind the back edge of the curb. The City will repair or replace a damaged or destroyed mailbox if it is deemed to result from a direct hit by plow equipment. Mailboxes damaged by snow load off the plow equipment will not be eligible for repair or replacement by the City.

Garbage Collection
 Residential garbage collection is every Tuesday unless Monday is a holiday then collection will be on Wednesday. Please have all garbage containers to the curb no later than 7 a.m. If you forget to place your garbage container to the curb you will have to wait until the next scheduled Tuesday collection.

•If you have extra bags of trash that will not fit in the cart, bag tags can be purchased at Milford City Clerk's office for \$3.00 per tag.

•Tags for white goods may be purchased at the City Clerk's office at any time during the year. Items such as furniture, mattresses etc. you may contact Waste Management at 888-960-0008 to arrange a pickup or you may take those items to the landfill east of Bridges Bay for disposal.

Recycling
 Residential curbside recycling service is split into two weeks, Gold Week and Green Week, both serviced on Tuesdays every other week. All residences located on the South side of 13th Street/220th Street will be Gold Week. All residences located on the North Side of 13th Street/220th Street will be Green Week.

•The Dickinson County Recycle Center is available to assist residents for disposal of unique and difficult items. Electronic Waste, Tires, Batteries, and Household Hazardous Materials. Or visit their SWAP shop of many unused items that are free of charge to the public. The Dickinson County Collection Center is located east of St. Joseph's Catholic Church a ½ mile on Hwy A-34. For more information contact 338-2549 or visit <https://dickinsoncountyconservationboard.com/rcc/>

Green Waste Site
 Please be aware that the Milford Green Waste site is only for Milford residential residents with green waste originating within the Milford city limits. Those not living within the city limits of Milford are not permitted to drop off at this site. Those with a Milford mailing address but living outside city limits ie. Dickinson County, Wahpeton, West Okobojo and the like can be charged for illegal dumping. This site is for the

City of Milford tax payers only. All others should contact their city or county for green waste sites or bring to the Dickinson County Regional Collection Center located east of St. Joseph's Catholic Church a ½ mile on Hwy A-34. For more information contact 338-2549 or visit <https://dickinsoncountyconservationboard.com/rcc/>

Posting Your Address
 For emergency purposes it is important that all occupied buildings post addresses that are clearly visible to the street in figures not less than 2 ½ inches in height and of a contrasting color with their background.

Planning & Zoning Commission & Airport Board of Adjustment Members Needed

The City of Milford is seeking an applicant to serve on the Planning & Zoning Commission (5 year term) to fill the (remainder of term through 6/30/2026). The Planning and Zoning Commission is in charge of adopting rules and regulations pertaining to planning, zoning and building matters and is an excellent opportunity for community involvement. A small stipend is also paid to board members. The addition of a female representative would help comply with the gender balance rules.

The City of Milford is seeking three (3) applicants to serve on the Airport Board of Adjustment. The Airport Board of Adjustment is separate from the current City Zoning Board of Adjustment. This is not a policy making board, but rather a quasi-judicial board governed by the provisions of the City Airport Land Use and Height Overlay Zoning Ordinance, Iowa Code Chapter 329, and other general and zoning ordinances of the City. If interested please contact: LeAnn Reinsbach, City Administrator at 712-338-2741, or Email: lreinsbach@milford.ia.us or visit www.milford.ia.us for a board member application.

All appointments will be in accordance with Milford City Ordinances, Iowa Code 69.16 concerning gender balanced boards, and the City's Volunteer Board Appointment Policy.

Important Phone Numbers

- City Clerk's office..... 338-2741
- Police Department..... 338-6414
 (located at 1905 Okobojo Ave.)
- Emergency..... 9-1-1
- Utilities (water & electric)..... 338-2401
- Library 338-4643
- Public Works on call 330-3081
 (after hours, weekends/holidays for sewer backup, street issue)
- Utilities on call 330-7989
 (after hours water/electric issue)

Office Hours
 7:30-4 p.m. Monday-Friday
 Closed weekends & holidays
 Sign up for notifications at www.dcem.us for up to date alerts.