Snow Blower

Facility:	Written By:	Approved By:	Date Created:	Date of Last Revision

Hazards Present:	PPE or Devices Required:	Additional Training Required:
Vehicle or property damage	Hearing Protection	Operator Training/Certification
Serious injury	Safety Glasses	Manufacturer's Specifications
Eye Injury	Steel toed Boots	
Trauma	Hard Hat	
Foot Injury	Protective Winter Clothes	
Noise		

Safe Work Procedure:

- 1) Use two people to lift
- 2) Take breaks to avoid injury from cold, vibration and repetitive motion
- 3) Be aware of the discharge direction and distance to avoid injury or property damage
- 4) Clothing worn in layer and vented to avoid overheating or injury
- 5) Ensure that bare skin does not touch metal surfaces
- 6) Be cautious on slippery/icy surfaces
- 7) Stop the engine and disconnect the spark plug before performing maintenance or refueling
- 8) Block/chock the snow blower
- 9) Always operate in a well-ventilated area
- 10) Keep all guards and shields in place
- 11) Proceed in a forward gear and only use reverse when necessary
- 12) Keep others away from the flying debris area
- 13) Allow machine to cool off before shutting off

If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, engage the emergency stop and follow the lock out procedure

REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS TO YOUR SUPERVISOR

Guidance Documents/Standards:	This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed any
MB Workplace Safety & Health Act &	time the task, equipment or materials change and
Regulations:	at a minimum of every three years
2.1 Safe Work Procedures	Reviewed By WSH Committee:
4 General Workplace Requirements	
6 Personal Protective Equipment	Date:
16 Machines, Tools and Robots	