## **Snow Plowing**

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

Hazards Present:	PPE or Devices Required:	Additional Training Required:
Weather conditions	Two-way radio	
Icy Roads	Cell phone	
Traffic	Layered Clothing	
	Gloves	
	Steel toed boots	

## **Safe Work Procedure:**

- 1) Fasten seat belt before beginning operation of machine
- 2) Lift plow to "U" position for transport.
- 3) Drive to work site.
- 4) Plan your plowing pattern so that you are driving forward as much as possible
- 5) Drive around worksite and check for hazards and obstacles
- 6) Check for locations to pile the snow
- 7) Drop plow, put vehicle in drive and slowly accelerate to push snow
- 8) Come to a complete stop before shifting from forward to reverse.
- 9) Back drag in necessary areas
- 10) Continue to plow until worksite complete. Lower the blade to the ground and turn the plow control off for safety.
- 11) Lift flow to "U" position before leaving site

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 time
	the task, equipment or materials change and at a
MB Workplace Safety & Health Act & Regulations:	minimum of every three years
	Reviewed By WSH Committee:
Part 22 Powered Mobile Equipment	
	Date: