CITY OF AMMON BONNEVILLE COUNTY, IDAHO RESOLUTION NUMBER 2018-013R

(Establishing a Policy for Snow Removal Regulations and Operating Procedures)

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMMON, IDAHO ESTABLISHING A POLICY FOR SNOW REMOVAL REGULATIONS AND OPERATING PROCEDURES

WHEREAS, the City of Ammon maintains city streets for the safety and mobility of all users in all seasons of the year; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Ammon prioritize the efficient removal of snow from Ammon public streets; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Ammon have adopted a balanced budget for Fiscal Year 2019 which includes expenditures dedicated for the removal of snow from public streets within the City of Ammo; and

WHEREAS, Exhibit A of this resolution establishes Snow Removal Regulation, Policies, and Operational Procedures for the City of Ammon for the winter season of 2018-2019, hereafter referred to as the Snow Removal Policy; and

WHERAS, the Snow Removal Policy establishes Winter Snow Regulations and procedures for Snow Removal Operation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ammon adopted Resolution 2018-007R establishing the first citywide fee resolution on August 3, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the effective date of this resolution shall be November 1, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and the City Council of Ammon, Idaho that the City Council hereby adopt this resolution and accompanying Exhibit A, thereby establishing a policy for snow removal regulations and procedures.

This Resolution will be in full force and effect upon its adoption this 1st day of November, 2018.

CITY OF AMMON

Sean Coletti, Mayor

ATTEST.

Rachael Sanders,

City Clerk

EXHIBIT A

SNOW REMOVAL REGULATIONS, POLICIES, AND OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES Adopted by Resolution 2018-013R

Section 1: Winter Snow Removal Regulations

- 1. Dates of Regulations. Regulations are effective November 15 March 15 every year.
- 2. Snow Event Definition. A Snow Event in the City of Ammon is when the National Weather Service predicts the possibility of snowfall in excess of 2 inches and/or snow accumulation reaches 2 inches in any single snowstorm within the City of Ammon.
- 3. On-Street Parking Regulations
 - a. **Prohibited Parking.** On-street parking is prohibited during a Snow Event on all city rights-of-way and for such period of time thereafter and until the City has completed snow removal operations as provided for in Section 2 below [Ammon Municipal Code Section 9-9-4]. For the definition of a Snow Event, see above.
 - b. Citations. Vehicles parked on public streets during a Snow Event may receive a minimum citation of \$50.00. [9-9-10]
 - c. Towing. Vehicles parked on public streets during a Snow Event may be towed and impounded without notice at the owner's expense [9-9-7]. If a vehicle is towed, owners will contact Bonneville County dispatch at (208) 529 1200 to pick up their vehicle.
- 4. Moving Snow into City Right-of-Way (ROW)
 - a. **Snow Moved into ROW.** Moving snow from private property to the public right-of-way is prohibited at all times. [9-9-8]
 - b. Snow Moved Across ROW. Moving snow across the public right-of-way is prohibited. [9-9-8]
 - c. Violations. Any person found storing snow in the right-of-way that originated on private property or moving snow across the public right-of-way shall receive a minimum citation of \$50.00. [9-9-10]

Section 2: Snow Removal Operations

- 1. **Authority of Public Works Director**. The Public Works Director shall be authorized to initiate the operational actions necessary to remove snow from city streets during a Snow Event.
- 2. Snow Removal Street Priorities. Snow shall be removed from city streets according to the follow priority order:
 - Priority 1: Arterial streets. Examples of arterials include Sunnyside, Ammon, 17th, 1st, 21st, and 49th streets
 - Priority 2: Collector streets. Examples of collector streets are Midway, Ross, Stonehaven, Windsor, Ridgewood, Eagles Homestead, Thunder, Millcreek, John Adams, Tiebreaker, Stafford, Fieldstone, Stonegate, Owen, Caballero, and Judy streets.
 - **Priority 3:** Neighborhood streets. These streets will be cleared as quickly as possible after Priority 1 and 2 Streets are cleared and based on essential city services, garbage collection, and/or snow depth.
- 3. Garbage Collection. Snow Event and operational needs may necessitate a one-day delay for garbage collection.
- 4. Driveway Access. Driveway access will not be cleared by the City of Ammon.

Notification. As early as possible, the City of Ammon will notify the public of an upcoming Snow Event on the city's Facebook page, website, and with the moveable electronic billboards.

