

YORKVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Winter Driving Reminders

Winter weather can bring about dangerous driving conditions. Below are several tips for driving during the cold winter months:

- Bridges and overpasses freeze first, so always slow down and avoid sudden changes in speed or direction.
- Keep your vehicles windows clear
- Look farther ahead in traffic. Actions by other drivers will alert you to problems and give you extra time to react.
- Use your brakes cautiously. Abrupt braking can cause brake lock-up and cause you to lose steering control
- To make antilock Brakes work correctly, apply constant and firm pressure to the pedal
- Leave plenty of room for stopping and brake early. It takes more time to stop when the roads are wet and icy
- Slow Down! Drive according to road and weather conditions. Remember, the posted speed limits are for dry pavement.
- Drive with your headlights on.
- Semi-Trucks take longer to stop, so don't cut in front of them
- If you get stuck in the snow, straighten the wheels and accelerate slowly. Avoid spinning the tires.

SNOW PARKING RESTRICTIONS – Title 6 (Motor Vehicles and Traffic) Chapter 2 (Additional parking Prohibitions) Section G (Parking After Snowfall

Parking After Snowfall:

- 1. There shall be no parking on any city streets in the united city of Yorkville, except for emergency vehicles during emergencies, after a snowfall of more than two inches (2").
- 2. There shall be no parking on any city street in the united city of Yorkville after a two inch (2") snowfall for twenty four (24) hours after the snowfall has ended.
- 3. The public works department is directed to prepare and install signs throughout the community regarding this subsection G. (Ord. 2002-33, 9-24-2002)
- 4. (Rep. by Ord. 2008-74, 8-26-2008)
- 5. Additionally, the city shall further be allowed the right to tow any illegally parked vehicle and to assess to the owner or driver of said vehicle any and all reasonable towing charges as are billed to the city. (Ord. 2002-33, 9-24-2002)