



**CITY OF MANSFIELD
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When a snow event hits the City of Mansfield your street department is called into action.

The city is divided into ten zones and within those zones is first and second priority streets. Snow plow drivers receive assignments in the priorities first in order to keep the city's main arteries moving through town. Once the first priorities are completed they are dispatched into the second priorities. Any street that is not a priority street is considered a zone street. Zone streets are not cleared until all priorities are completed. The premise is, even though it may be difficult to get out of neighborhoods once you reach a priority street you can reach your destination safely.

The City of Mansfield street department maintains 321 "centerline" miles of roadway and alleys. It requires two passes to open a two lane street for traffic, this equivalent to 642 miles of roadway. That's the same distance as driving from Mansfield Ohio to Memphis Tenn. Depending on the duration of the storm, it may be necessary to revisit priority streets several times before entering the zones.

When your drivers are battling snow, traffic, and other obstacles it takes time to get the streets cleared.

Attached is a map showing 1st priorities (in red) and 2nd priorities (in green). If a street is not highlighted it is considered a zone street (zones numbered 1-10). We ask of our residents is to give your plow drivers plenty of room to operate. It is difficult to plow and open intersections when traffic gets too close to safely clear the street of snow.

Thank you,
City of Mansfield Service Complex