

# Chapter 1

## STREETS AND SIDEWALKS

### 8-1-10: INJURY TO STREETS:

- (A) No person shall damage or cause damage to any area of the public right of way including any sidewalk, street, parkway or alley in the village.
- (B) No person shall discharge any water from sump pumps, gutters, roof drains or similar drainage devices in a concentrated manner onto or over a public sidewalk or street.
- (C) No person shall install, or maintain if previously installed, any private posts, columns, stanchions, supports or other similar devices or structures or decorative rock on or in any area of the public right of way including any sidewalk, street, parkway or alley.
- (D) Any person: 1) discharging any water onto or over a public sidewalk or street in a prohibited manner, 2) installing or maintaining a previously installed private post, column, stanchion, support or other similar device or decorative rock in any area of a public right of way, including, any sidewalk, street, parkway or alley, or 3) otherwise damaging or causing damage to any area of the public right of way, including any sidewalk, street, parkway or alley in the village, shall immediately cease such prohibited activity upon receipt of notice to do so from the village. If any person damaging, causing damage or maintaining any discharge, supporting device or decorative rock in any area of the public right of way in violation of this section shall not immediately abate such nuisance after being notified to do so, then the village shall proceed to abate such nuisance without further notice and, in addition to any penalty or fine, the expense of such abatement shall be collected from the person who it is determined to have created, continued or suffered such nuisance or damage to exist. (Ord. 3829, 4-22-1991)
- (E) No part of any mailbox or appurtenance thereto shall be located or maintained closer than eight inches (8") to the back of the curb or edge of pavement on streets without curbs on the parkways. Support structures that hold the mailboxes shall be forty inches (40") in height from the ground to the bottom of the mailboxes. Support structures for mailboxes shall be constructed of breakaway material, either four inch by four inch (4" x 4") lumber or two inch (2") in diameter, thin wall steel pipe with a wall thickness of less than 0.155 inches. The support structure shall be buried no more than twenty four inches (24") into the ground. Any other mailbox support structure is not acceptable. Unacceptable support structures include, but are not limited to, brick, block, stone or concrete masonry columns, wagon wheels, steel pipes in excess of the previously defined two inch (2") diameter and 0.155-inch thickness, and lumber posts in excess of four inches by four inches (4" x 4").

Any mailbox or any appurtenance thereto which does not conform with this subsection and is in existence at the time of its enactment is exempt from this provision; but when any such mailbox, support structure, or any appurtenance is removed and replaced for any reason, the new structure shall conform with the provisions of this subsection.

The village will not be responsible for any damage or destruction done to any such mailbox constructed contrary to the provisions of this subsection due to work performed by the village to maintain the right of way or village utility systems in the right of way. (Ord. 4861, 8-14-2000)