



# Press Release

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## **Snow Ordinance in Effect on Friday**

AMES, Iowa – The weather forecast is predicting a significant accumulation of snow in the Ames area. Based on this forecast, the City of Ames Snow Ordinance will go into effect at:

**12:01 a.m. FRIDAY, December 25, 2009**

Snow routes are marked by red and white, or red, white, and blue signs, and vehicle parked on snow routes may be ticketed and towed. All vehicles should be moved to off-street parking or to streets that are not designated snow routes. **It is important to remember the snow ordinance remains in effect until the streets are completely plowed from curb to curb, AND it has stopped snowing.**

To assist in the plowing efforts, **all** Ames residents are asked to remove parked vehicles from residential streets. However, only those on snow routes are required to move them.

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