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## INFORMATION REGARDING SNOW REMOVAL

Pursuant to Maine State Law Title 29A-2396-4

"A person may not place, and allow to remain on a public way, snow or slush that has not accumulated there naturally."

Title 29A 101-59 defines a public way as "'Public way' means a way, owned and maintained by the State, a county, or a municipality, over which the general public has a right to pass."

This includes, but is not limited to *roadways, road shoulders, bike lanes and sidewalks*.

Due to an increasing number of incidents and complaints, the Falmouth Police Department would like you to be aware of the law. During the removal of snow from private property, any person found to be plowing, shoveling, snow blowing or otherwise placing and/or leaving snow or slush on any portion of any public way, may be served a violation and complaint summons which includes a waiver fine of:

**\$205.00**

The Falmouth Police Department appreciates your cooperation in regard to this matter.