## Dog Tags Now Online

Starting in 2024, you can apply online to register and purchase a dog tag. All dog owners in Midland are required to register and purchase a dog tag. Reduced fee Jan. 1 - Feb. 28.

Apply for your dog's tag online or in person! Visit our website to learn more.

midland.ca/dogtag

## 2024 Budget

Budget review starts in January 2024. **How can you get involved?** 

- Check out the draft budget (posted online December 2023).
- Submit comments or attend the Public Meeting in January 2024.
  Visit the budget page on our website for further details.

midland.ca/budget2024

### Winter Parking Restrictions

In effect each winter season, from November 15th to April 1st, regardless of the weather.

Vehicles parked between the hours of 12am and 7am on Town streets, in Town parking lots, or in any manner that interferes with winter maintenance, may be ticketed or towed.

midland.ca/wpr

### Midland, did you know?

**Burning Permit** - Residents of Midland who are planning to have a bonfire, must purchase an annual Burning Permit. Apply online or in person.

Free Midland Seniors (65+) Transit -Ride the Mid-Pen Transit Service for free! Register at the Municipal office, bring photo ID with proof of age and Midland residency.

Water and Tax PAP - Set up easy and convenient pre-authorized payment plans for water and tax payments. Use the form on our website or contact us!

**Need Service? -** Connect with Town staff using our online request for service form. Report an issue or request service directly to departments by creating a case.

Help Shape Our Town - Volunteer with us! Join a board or committee or volunteer at Town events. Check our website for details.

midland.ca/didyouknow



### **Subscribe for Updates**

Stay informed. Keep updated on closures, service interruptions, town and community events, and more. Subscribe to receive emails directly to your inbox.

midland.ca/subscribe

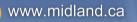


# Winter in Midland

# Town of Midland

**)** 705-526-4275

service@midland.ca



2024

### Who plows what?

#### Town of Midland

- Assumed Town roads, sidewalks and municipal parking lots.
- That's 270 kms of roads and 130 kms of sidewalks!

#### **County of Simcoe**

 County roads including; Balm Beach Road and County Road 93.

#### **Ministry of Transportation**

 A portion of County Road 93 and Highway 12.

midland.ca/wheresmyplow

### Waste Bin Placement

County of Simcoe picks up the solid waste bins.

- Place bin on a cleared driveway, up to 8ft from the road edge.
- Do not place bins on Town streets or Town sidewalks as it interferes with plowing.

simcoe.ca/winterbins

# **Resident's Duty for Safety**

What can you do to help?

- Be patient.
- Stay a safe distance away plows are big!
- Do not push snow onto the roadway or across the street.
- Follow winter parking restrictions.



## **O** What order are roads plowed in?

We follow the province's Minimum Maintenance Standards (MMS) which puts **priority roads** first to maintain public safety. After priority routes are clear, crews begin the **secondary roads**.

- Priority Roads include emergency routes, school zones and business areas.
- Secondary roads include residential and rural roads.

Find more details at midland.ca/mms.

## Can I use parks and trails during the Winter?

During winter all trails, playgrounds, sports fields and courts are **closed**. This is to keep our residents and visitors safe, as well as ensure the longevity of recreational spaces.

Enjoy winter activities by visiting the North Simcoe Sports and Recreation Centre for skating and hockey. See **midland.ca/NSSRC** for details.

### **Significant Weather Events - What happens?**

A **Significant Weather Event** may be declared when current or forecasted conditions pose a serious risk to users of roads and sidewalks. While snow is falling, the roads and sidewalks will never be completely clear and crews continue to work around the clock. Remember, a significant weather event is **not** a declaration of an emergency. Stay informed by subscribing to **midland.ca/subscribe**.

# Where's my plow?

When there is snow falling, rest assured our plows are ready to go. Curious to see when a plow will be working on certain streets or sidewalks? Check out the plow tracker on our website, **midland.ca/wheresmyplow**.

# O What can I do if I have concerns?

Contact our Customer Service for issues regarding high snow banks, lawn damage, or any other maintenance concerns. Report online, call, email, or visit the Town hall. Our helpful staff will be able to support you with any other inquiries. Visit **midland.ca/service**.

# Thank you to our crews for keeping our roads clear and safe!