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SNOW PLOWING REST POLICY

PURPOSE: The purpose of this policy is to provide guidance to the Road Foreman and DPW staff to ensure that adequate rest periods are available to the DPW staff during a winter weather event.

GOAL: The goal of this policy will be to strike a balance between the need to keep the Town Roads passable during winter weather events and the need for the DPW staff to be rested.

The Road Foreman shall schedule the work time of the DPW staff to ensure that the DPW staff is available to properly treat roads in advance of periods of high traffic volume. These periods are considered to be between 6:00 and 8:00 AM and 4:00 and 7:00 PM. Drivers will be provided with a minimum of 2 to 4 hours of rest during and after a 16 to 20 hour work period. During a work period, drivers will be allowed the normal breaks as well as any that are determined appropriate by the Road Foreman.

Adopted by the Board of Selectmen

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