

# LIVONIA SNOW & ICE CONTROL PROGRAM

Each year the snow and ice control program for city streets is evaluated for ways to reduce increasing costs while maintaining service. Two types of salt routes exist – “24/7” around-the-clock routes and the **Weekday** routes, which are maintained Monday through Friday, during business hours. These routes are designed to provide access to serviced roads throughout sections of the City, per the Livonia Salt Routes Section Map on the following page.

**Please note: Most of the major roads in Livonia are maintained by Wayne County Department of Public Services. (See County road map on the bottom right of the page).**

The Livonia Public Service Division follows the developing weather and road conditions carefully, evaluates maintenance needs, and mobilizes personnel and equipment to respond accordingly. Each snowfall

creates unique circumstances, with decisions based on snowfall amounts and weather predictions. Conditions can vary from one area of the city to another. Road conditions are inspected by supervisory

*The Livonia Police Department monitors road conditions and notifies the DPS to respond to hazardous driving conditions after hours, evenings and weekends.*

personnel. The following guidelines are used to address a snow or ice event.

## Level I Light Snowfall:

For snowfalls of approximately four inches or less, priorities are to keep **24/7** routes as clear as possible on an around-the-clock basis with an emphasis on salt-spreading, with plowing possible as needed. **Weekday** routes are maintained Monday through Friday, during business hours, with salt spreading and/or plowing as needed.

## Level II Moderate Snowfall:

With snowfall accumulations of over four inches occurring throughout the City, a snow emergency may be declared, based on travel conditions. A snow emergency declaration will then require that all parked vehicles be removed from the roadway, until the roadway has been cleared, to enable a

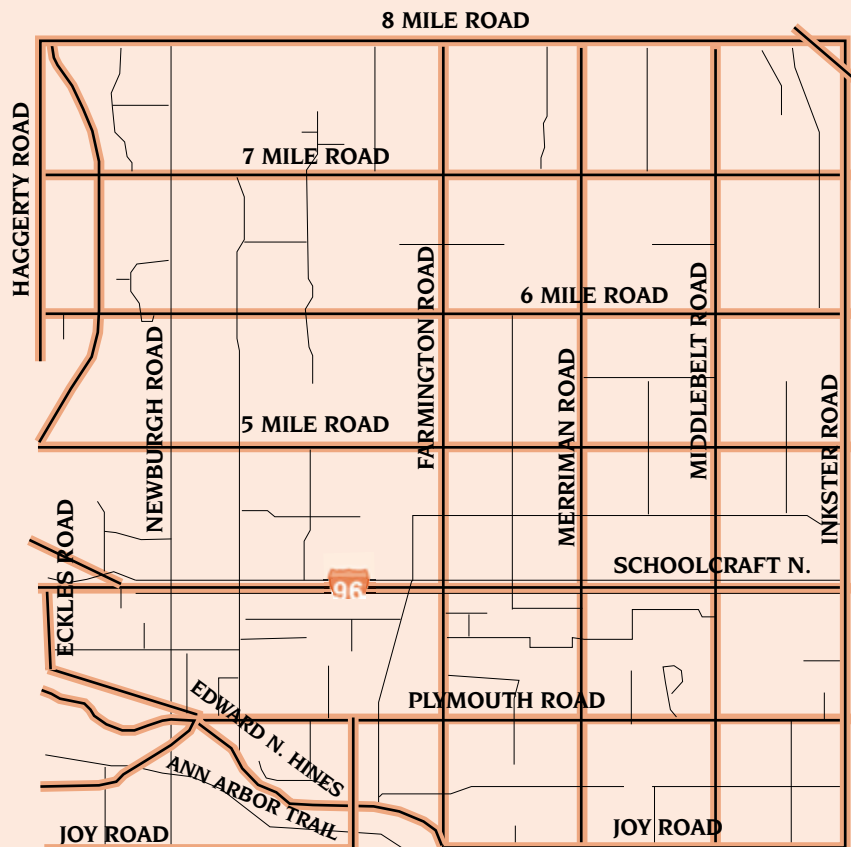
citywide plowing operation (see Snow Emergency Information on page 6). The priority is to clear the primary 24/7 routes first, then clear all remaining city-maintained streets, cul-de-sacs, dead-ends and service drives as soon as possible. (Note: Due to the size of the snow removal equipment, some courts, dead-ends, cul-de-sacs, etc., may require follow-up later with smaller equipment.)

## Level III Major Snow Storm:

Accumulation in excess of eight inches has the same response as Level II, with the recognition that completion of city-wide plowing will require more time depending on the severity of the storm. A snow emergency will be declared that will require that **all parked vehicles be removed from the roadway** until the roadway is cleared.

## WAYNE COUNTY SALT ROUTES

Residents reporting snow or ice concerns on the following Wayne County Salt Routes (depicted below in red), please do not call the City of Livonia, since these roads are not plowed by the City. Contact Wayne County at 1-888-ROADCREW.



# CITY OF LIVONIA SALT ROUTES

24/7 Route



Weekday Route

