

RATIFICATION OF MAILBOX/POST REPLACEMENT POLICY

WHEREAS, the Town of Hackettstown has a long standing policy regarding replacement of mailboxes and/or posts damaged by snow removal operations; and

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to affirm and ratify that policy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town of Hackettstown that the following mailbox/post replacement policy is hereby ratified and affirmed.

“All damaged mailboxes and/or posts shall be inspected by the Department of Public Works personnel in order to determine whether the mailbox or post was directly hit by a Hackettstown plow or other snow removal equipment and whether the mailbox/post had been properly installed in the first place. If the mailbox/post was damaged by the weight of the snow alone, the Town will not accept responsibility for replacement. If the mailbox/post was damaged by a direct hit by the Town equipment, a replacement post and/or mailbox, depending upon the damage sustained, will be supplied but not installed by the Town. The Town will purchase and have on hand a supply of standard regulation mailboxes and posts for this purpose. Anything above and beyond the foregoing shall be the sole responsibility of the resident.”