

Review of Regulations in Other Canadian Municipalities

City/Bylaw	Time to Clear (Residential Properties)	Time to Clear (Non-Residential Properties)
Abbotsford Bylaw No. 1256-2003	24 Hours*	24 Hours*
Calgary Bylaw No. 20M88	24 Hours	24 Hours
Edmonton Bylaw No. 14600	No timeframe, immediate removal required	No timeframe, immediate removal required
Kitchener Municipal Code	24 Hours	24 Hours
Moose Jaw Bylaw No. 5514	48 Hours	24 Hours
Regina Bylaw No. 2021-69	48 Hours	24 – 48 Hours**
Toronto Municipal Code	12 Hours	12 Hours***
Vaughan Bylaw No. 227-2022	No time frame, immediate removal	No time frame, immediate removal
Windsor Bylaw No. 8544	12 Hours	4 Hours****

* Sidewalks are required to be cleared no later than 12:00 noon the day following the accumulation of snow or ice.

** Bylaw provisions were modeled after the City of Saskatoon's Sidewalk Clearing Bylaw with Schedules outlining areas with 24-hour removal timeframe.

*** City crews clear all residential and commercial sidewalks when snowfall accumulation is 2 cm or more in depth.

**** Timeframe applies to "commercial buildings". Under the definition, "commercial" means a building in which the activities are primarily the buying and selling of merchandise or the provision of services.