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Subject / Application:

Serious safety issue due to lack of snow removal on sidewalk on High Bluff Lane that is adjacent to Township property. To the Council Members of the The Township of the Blue Mountains

November 24, 2022

RE: Serious Safety Issue due to lack of snow removal on sidewalk adjacent to land owned by The Township of Blue Mountains and west of 105 High Bluff Lane.

Dear Council Members,

The residents of High Bluff Lane are concerned for the safety of residents who access the sidewalk west of 105 High Bluff Lane.

As responsible residents, we clear the sidewalks adjacent to our properties or we risk a fine.

Foremost, we are concerned for the safety of two elementary school aged children while they wait on the street to board their school bus. Their pick up and drop off location is at the corner of High Bluff Lane and 10th Line.

Last week's storm put all residents at risk boarding their school bus, picking up their mail and trying to gain access to the Georgian Trail.

We are kindly asking the Township to please clear the snow off the sidewalk west of 105 High Bluff Lane. This portion of the sidewalk is owned by The Township.

We are asking The Township to clear the snow that accumulates on the sidewalk adjacent to their property.

Sincerely,

The concerned residents of High Bluff Lane

Name:

Elizabeth Agrawal



Sidewalk Safety Issue west of 105 High Bluff Lane

Keeping Pedestrians safe on the sidewalk during the winter months.

Children boarding the bus on the street.



<https://www.istockphoto.com/photo/blizzard-run-for-school-bus-gm155152733-18655019>

Difficulty accessing mailboxes



<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/canada-post-snow-mailboxes-1.3356782>

Injuries due to snow and ice covered sidewalks.



https://www.google.com/url?sa=i&url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.mayoclinic.org%2Fmedical-professionals%2Ftrauma%2Fnews%2Fgeriatric-winter-falls-when-a-simple-bump-on-the-ice-can-be-serious%2Fmac-20451017&psig=AOvVaw2iehrP4mtBHiyq5wRTisTI&ust=1669477730594000&source=images&cd=vfe&ved=0CBAQjRxqFwoTCID_16rXyfsCFQAAAAAdAAAAABAF

Our actual sidewalk on Saturday November 19, 2022





Bus stop

Children have been waiting on the street and are dropped off on the street.

This is a dangerous situation. It is an accident waiting to happen.

This is our actual sidewalk and mailboxes on Saturday November 2nd, 2022



Blue box to illustrate the depth of the snow accumulated on Township property.

This is our actual sidewalk west of 105 High Bluff Lane

Thank you

Thank you for your time.