



**MIDLAND  
COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION**

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Enclosed is a copy of Michigan Act 82, of 1978.

Pushing snow across county roads or onto shoulders may cause hazards to motorists. Michigan Act 82, of 1978, prohibits this practice. In addition, snow must be piled in such a way as not to obstruct motorist's vision.

A person shall not deposit, or cause to be deposited, snow, ice or slush on any roadway or highway. Please adjust your snow plowing methods so that you are in compliance with this act.

Sincerely, *Doug Hobbs*

MIDLAND COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

Doug Hobbs  
Road Foreman

**257.677a      Snow, Ice, Slush on Roadway.  
[MSA 9.2377(1)]**

- Sec. 677a.      (1) As used in this section:
- (a) "Person" shall not include the state or a political subdivision of the state or an employee of the state or a political subdivision of the state operating within the scope of his duties.
  - (b) "Safety vision" means an unobstructed line of sight enabling a driver to travel upon, enter, or exit a roadway in a safe manner.
- 2) A person shall not remove, or cause to be removed, snow, ice, or slush onto or across a roadway or the shoulder of the roadway in a manner which obstructs the safety vision of the driver of a motor vehicle other than off-road vehicles.
- (3) A person shall not deposit or cause to be deposited, snow, ice, or slush onto or across a roadway or the shoulder of the roadway in a manner which obstructs the safety vision of the driver or a motor vehicle.
- (4) A person shall not deposit or cause to be deposited, snow, ice or slush on any roadway or highway.