

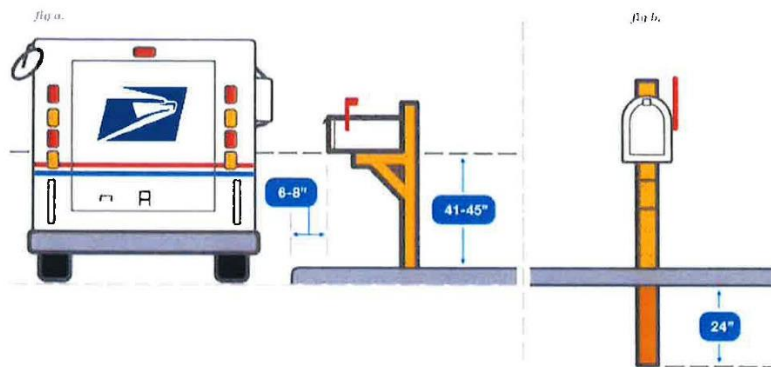


THE TOWN OF HEBRON

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

SNOW REMOVAL AND MAILBOXES

The Public Works Department makes every effort to plow the streets curb to curb. To prevent damage to mailboxes and avoid unnecessary mail interruption we have to stay farther away from the curb because a mailbox is too low and/or too close to the curb line. Setting your mailbox to the United States Postal Service (USPS) specifications in the guidelines pictured below will minimize or eliminate any possible damage from snow removal operations.



The United States Postal Service (USPS) guideline is that a properly installed mailbox is 41 inches to 45 inches above grade, at its lowest point, and approximately 6 to 8 inches from the face of the curb, it should not extend past the back edge of the curb. If there is no raised curb it should be 12 inches from the edge of the road.

Mailboxes do need maintenance. Posts shift due to frost; wooden posts can become weak due to age. Your mailbox posts must be sturdy enough to withstand the snow that is pushed from our plows. A 4"x4" wood post or a 2" metal pipe is recommended, set no more than 24" deep.

Thank you for your cooperation!

TOWN of HEBRON "A Community Working Together"