

Eyota Township Chloride Policy

Purpose:

The Township of Eyota recognizes the effectiveness of applying road dust suppressants as a safety issue. Therefore the following policy defines the Township of Eyota's practice of applying suppressants to township roads.

Policy:

The township will apply suppressants on roads in front of homestead for a distance of approximately 300 ft, 12 ft wide. The distance is measured as approximately 150 Ft in either direction centered on the driveway. Chloride will be applied a distance of 100 ft from intersections. Chloride will be applied on roads under the authority of the township board only.

Chloride will be applied to all roads receiving new rock each year.

Residences of the township may request chloride applications to exceed the 300 Ft distance. Additional applications are for owner's driveway and/or township roads only. Any additional applications will be at the expense of the property owner. The township will bill the landowner, at the township rate, for any additional chloride. Failure to pay will result in denial of the additional applications in future years.

Procedure to request additional Chloride:

Residents requesting additional Chloride either on the township road in front of the homestead or in their driveway need to contact the Township by May 1 of the current year. The current year's price for Chloride will be posted on the Eyota Township website by April of each year. The application is available on the website. To request additional chloride residents must contact the Town Board as follows: Download the application form onto their computer, fill out the application, and email, or applicants may print a copy of the application, fill it out by hand and mail via US mail or personally deliver to Daniel O'Neill. All applications must be received by May 1, each year.

Once the request has been submitted the resident must mark the area (exceeding the 300 ft) for which they are requesting additional chloride (start and stop area).

Residents can calculate the cost of additional chloride using the following application rate:

9 foot wide application uses 0.3 gallons per foot

12 foot wide application uses 0.45 gallons per foot.

Multiply the rate for the width chosen, times the distance. Than multiple that figure times the cost per gallon.

Example:

Example 1: 9Ft wide

0.3 gallon/Ft X 100Ft = 30.00 gallons

\$0.82/gallon X 30 gallons = \$25.00

Example 2: 12Ft wide

0.45 gallons X 100Ft =45.00 gallons

\$0.82/gallon X 100Ft = \$37.00

All figures will be rounded up to the next dollar.

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