



TOWN OF BELMONT MASSACHUSETTS

WEATHER UPDATE, FEB. 24, 2026, 2:45 PM

THANK YOU!

The Town of Belmont Department of Public Works (DPW) continues around-the-clock snow plowing and removal operations following the recent blizzard.

We want to sincerely thank the entire Belmont community for your patience, cooperation, and support as crews work to clean up the cement-like snow. With cold temperatures following the storm, snow remains heavy and difficult to move, and operations will continue as we clear roadways, sidewalks, and public areas.

What to Expect

- Ongoing snow removal and hauling in certain areas
- Possible narrowing of roadways while cleanup continues
- Cold temperatures creating icy spots

Please continue to use caution when walking or driving. Thank you again for your patience as we work to fully restore normal conditions across town.

For live updates, visit:

www.belmont-ma.gov/EMERGENCY

PARKING BAN LIFTED

The **EMERGENCY PARKING BAN** has been lifted as of **7:00 AM Tuesday, February 24, 2026**.

MEETING & BUILDING UPDATES: REOPENINGS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2026

- **School Committee Meeting** - Will take place VIRTUALLY on Tuesday, February 24, 2026 at 6:30 PM. View the meeting information on our Town website:
www.belmont-ma.gov/Calendar.aspx?EID=1804.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2026

- **Town Buildings and Offices** - OPEN at 8:00 AM. - resume normal schedule
- **Belmont Public Schools** - To reopen for a normal school schedule on Wednesday, February 25, 2026.
www.belmont.k12.ma.us/page/school-closing-and-delayed-opening-process.

TRASH & RECYCLING COLLECTION

- **Trash and Recycling** will continue on a 1 day delayed schedule.
 - **Monday → Tuesday**
 - **Tuesday → Wednesday**
 - **Wednesday → Thursday**
 - **Thursday → Friday**
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SIDEWALK CLEARING REMINDER

The Town's residential snow removal bylaw requires sidewalks along residential property to be cleared of snow and ice by **8:00 PM the day after the storm ends**. Snow and ice must be cleared or treated to a minimum width of **36 inches**. For additional information, please visit:

www.belmont-ma.gov/EMERGENCY

PRIORITY ROADWAY CLEARING PLAN

DPW Crews will be out this evening and overnight working to clear non-residential sidewalks (sidewalks that residents are not responsible for under the snow removal by-law). The sidewalks listed here are where DPW will be focusing their efforts tonight.

- **MILL STREET** – From McLean Hospital lights to Trapelo Rd
- **TRAPELO ROAD** – Traffic Islands @ Mill & Trapelo Rd, Waltham line to Montessori
- **TRAPELO ROAD @ PLEASANT STREET** – Concrete Islands from the Pleasant St entrance @ Shaw's to the entire sidewalk @ gas station.
- **WAVERLEY SQUARE** – Sidewalks around train station, delta in front of Belmont Media & Island @ Lexington St @ Church St, Moraine St to the entrance to the Lexington St Gas Station.
- **PQ FIELD** – Maple St along the field
- **TRAPELO ROAD @ SLADE STREET** – Concrete Island
- **CUSHING SQUARE** – In front of Payson Rd & Common Street & delta, Crosswalks & Islands @ Common St @ Trapelo Rd.
- **BELMONT STREET**- In front of delta @ Oakley Country Club
- **OAKLEY ROAD** – Delta @ Payson Rd across from Reservoir
- **PAYSON ROAD** – Delta @ Hillside Ter across from Reservoir
- **PAYSON PARK** – From 290 Payson Rd down to 14 Elm St.
- **GROVE STREET** – Grosvenor Rd to end of field, also sidewalk in front of Cemetery from entrance on Huron Ave to end of chain-link fence #8789 Grove St.
- **SCHOOL STREET & WASHINGTON STREET** – Entire intersection.

- **SCHOOL STREET** – #6 Shaw Rd to Washington St intersection, Hillside Ter to #335 School St.
- **BRIGHTON STREET** - Across from #90 & 45 Brighton St
- **HITTINGER ST** – Hittinger St from Light Dept Substation to School parking lot entrance, Up Underwood St to Concord Ave
- **LOWER CONCORD AVENUE** – From Underwood St along Clay Pit Pond to the drop off next to Mobil gas station, From Underwood Pool to Music School, Belmont Center Bridge to Good Look Optical
- **COMMON STREET** – From the Powers Music School @ 396 Concord Ave up to the first residential home on Common St.
- **COMMON STREET @ ROYAL ROAD** – Cross over Royal Rd & clear sidewalk on Island. Lion’s Club lower sidewalk by pedestrian tunnel.
- **SCHOOL ST** –Top of Underwood Park across from Wellington Elementary School
- **WINN BROOK** – From 131 Cross St @ the Tennis Courts down to entrance of parking lot @ Waterhouse Road
- **BELMONT CENTER** – Both sides of bridge, Leonard St @ Concord Ave Traffic Islands
- **TOWN HALL COMPLEX** – Start at exit at Bank Drive-through, up Concord Ave, right on to Pleasant St, right on to Moore St ending at entrance to People’s Savings Bank Drive-through.
- **UPPER CONCORD AVENUE** – From People’s Savings Bank to Pleasant St, from Police Station to MBTA tunnel and bridge upper & lower sidewalk
- **PLEASANT STREET** – From My Other Kitchen to Police Station, Sidewalk in front of the Women’s Club entrance to exit. Delta on Pleasant St @ Concord Ave intersection.
- **WAVERLEY STREET & BEECH STREET** – Sidewalks around Town field to Senior Center property line.

In addition DPW will be clearing these **parking areas tonight:**

- Belmont Center
- Pleasant Street/Town Hall
- Parts of Concord Ave
 - Library to Cottage St
 - Claypit to Jug Handle

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

Belmont Public Works (DPW): 617.993.2680

Belmont Light: 617-993-2800

Eversource: 800-592-2000

Belmont Police (Non-Emergency): 617-484-1212

Emergencies (including downed wires): 911

HOW YOU CAN HELP

Our DPW crews and contractors have been working tirelessly since Sunday night. You can make a big difference by helping us with a few simple steps:

Please avoid pushing snow into the street

Snow placed back into roadways slows plowing operations and can create hazardous driving conditions. If you hire someone to plow your driveway, we kindly ask that you remind them as well.

Keep Vents Clear

Be sure to clear snow away from exhaust vents for direct vent gas furnace systems to prevent carbon monoxide buildup. Please also check that your carbon monoxide detectors are working properly — carbon monoxide is invisible and odorless, but extremely dangerous.

Help Clear Hydrants & Storm Drains

If it's safe to do so, clearing snow from nearby fire hydrants and storm drains greatly supports emergency access and helps prevent flooding as temperatures fluctuate. Our firefighters and DPW crews truly appreciate your help.

A Note on Driveways

With significant snow already on the ground, plows may push snow back onto cleared driveway entrances and sidewalks. We understand this is frustrating and appreciate your patience as we work to clear the entire community as quickly as possible.

Thank you for doing your part to help Belmont weather this storm safely.

OUR COMMITMENT AND APPRECIATION

All available equipment, staff, and contractors are working around the clock to clear and treat roadways as quickly and safely as possible. We truly appreciate your continued patience and cooperation as we recover from another significant winter storm.

We're Committed to Keeping You Informed.

We will continue to provide updates as snow removal operations progress. **Updates will be posted on our Emergency Status page at www.belmont-ma.gov/EMERGENCY** and on our official social media pages. We encourage you to check these channels regularly for the latest information.

Let's Stay Connected!

Follow us on social media for more updates:

- Instagram: [@townofbelmont](#)
- Facebook: [Town of Belmont](#)
- Bluesky: [Belmont-ma.gov](#)

Thank you Belmont...Stay warm & stay safe!