Cass County Highway Department
Snow Removal Priority

Key Commuter Routes: Plowing used in combination with abrasives and/or deicing chemicals over entire route as determined appropriate. Objective is to complete first pass in both lanes with plow and/or abrasive/deicing chemicals by 7:00 AM following a normal snowfall. During operations hours, plows operate when there is a significant accumulation that a plow can remove.

Secondary Commuter Routes: In addition to plowing of the entire route, abrasives and/or deicing chemicals used at curves, intersections and extensive build-up areas as required. Objective is to complete first pass in both lanes with plow and/or abrasives/deicing by 8:00 AM following a normal snowfall. During operation hours, plows operate when there is a significant accumulation that a plow can remove.

Other County Hard Surfaced Routes: In addition to plowing of the entire route, abrasives and/or deicing chemicals used at curves, intersections and extensive build-up areas as required. Objective is to complete first pass in both lanes with plow and/or abrasives/deicing by 9:00 AM following a normal snowfall. During operation hours, plows operate when there is a significant accumulation that a plow can remove.

Gravel Surfaced County Route: Cleared by plowing. Generally abrasives and deicing chemicals are not used. Objective is to complete a single pass with plow by 1:00 PM following a normal snowfall. Supervisor may elect not to plow for very light snowfalls or when unfrozen gravel conditions exist. Generally plows operate when there is an accumulation in excess of 3 inches.

For more information visit: http://www.casscountynd.gov/county/depts/highway/Pages/RoadBridgeMaintenance.aspx