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PHASE II - SNOW REMOVAL CONDITIONS

Mayor Chuck Oberlie issued the following statement:

“Effective at 6:00 p.m. Thursday evening, February 5, 2009, we will begin the Phase II Snow Removal. A Phase II Snow Removal Condition places a parking ban on both sides of all identified snow routes and on the south and east sides of all other remaining streets.

Our City Code defines a number of streets throughout Michigan City as “Snow Routes” and these streets are identified with Snow Route signage. While a Phase I or Phase 2 Snow Condition is in effect, a vehicle parked in violation of the snow condition parking bans can lead to the ticketing, towing and impounding of the vehicle at the owner’s expense. Beginning tomorrow morning, Thursday, February 5, 2009, at 6:00 a.m., the city will begin towing vehicles that have received tickets and/or vehicles that are in violation of the City Code.”

Mayor Oberlie stated, “I would like to thank the citizens for their cooperation and especially the businesses and citizens on marked snow routes. By declaring the Phase II Snow Removal, our Street Department will be able to clear the streets curb to curb.” The Mayor would also like to remind citizens to check on their neighbors, especially the elderly.