

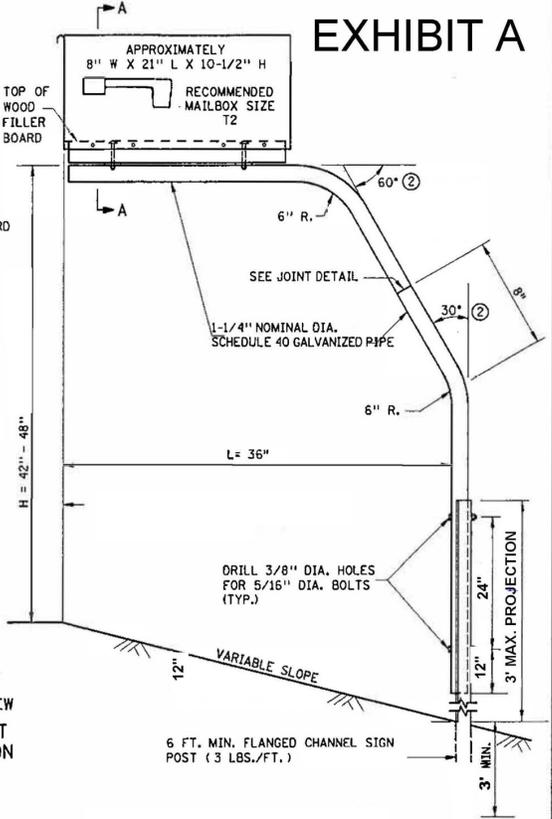
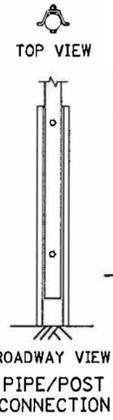
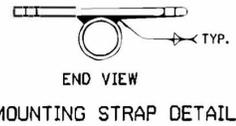
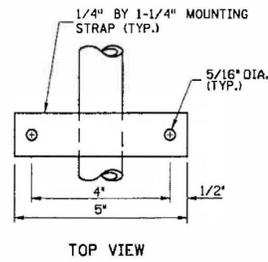
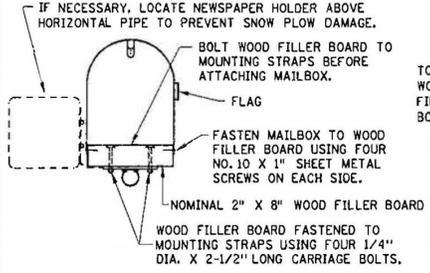


Snow Removal Damage Policy

- It is the responsibility of property owners to keep the road rights-of-way clear of vehicles, trailers, trash cans and other items of personal property in Millerville Township in order to facilitate the proper snow removal operations.
- While reasonable efforts are made to avoid property damage, snow removal operations may result in such damage. Based on the State Statute §160.2715, the Township shall not be responsible for damage resulting from snow removal operations to any lawn, landscaping, sod, plantings, buildings or other real property improvements, including fiberglass markers, that are located in the right-of-way during snow removal operations.
- Millerville Township does not require permits for the placement or design type of mailboxes, and do not desire to restrict the use of decorative mailboxes within the right-of-way. However, it is important to know that mailboxes and mailbox support posts placed within the right-of-way are property of the mail patron and are placed there at the owner's risk. Although we do not require the installation of a swinging mailbox, it is highly recommended to install one using the specifications in exhibit A.
 - *Town road rights-of-way are generally 33 feet from the centerline of the road extend beyond the edge of the pavement or gravel. They are governed under the authority of the Township, for the benefit of the public, which include snow plowing, removal and storage.*
 - *Note: It is unlawful for any person to place within the right-of-way any personal property that may obstruct the Town's snow removal efforts per Minnesota Statute §160.2715.*
- If a property owner's mailbox or support is damaged during Township snow removal activities, such damage will be considered for replacement compensation if the support was physically struck by the snowplowing equipment and if the mailbox and support was of a type in conformity with the standards specified in exhibit A, which includes proper installation. Millerville Township will compensate up to \$100 for repair and replacement. (paid receipt required) There will be no compensation for mailbox installations that do not meet the specifications in exhibit A.
- In lieu of the \$100 compensation and to expedite mailbox repairs the township will offer a swing-away post assembly if we have one in stock. (does not include mailbox) The owner is responsible to perform the repair/installation.
- To report damage to your mailbox, call a Town Supervisor, or contact the township by emailing milltown@gctel.com. Notification must be filed within 5 (five) days of the incident.

Due to installation variables, such as dead ends, cul-de-sacs and road curves some mailboxes are more vulnerable to being damaged during snow removal operations. If you feel you have an installation that may be more vulnerable please contact us and we can work with you on an alternative location that reduces the vulnerability while remaining postal service compliant.

EXHIBIT A



SWING STYLE MAILBOX SUPPORT & INSTALLATION