## City of Alpena

### News Release of January 8, 2014

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<th>Sidewalk Snow Removal</th>
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<td>In the light of the large amount of snowfall recently, the City of Alpena has received several complaints regarding sidewalk snow removal. Therefore, City residents are reminded of the requirement to keep snow and ice accumulations off the sidewalks in front of their residences and businesses. This requirement is the responsibility of the property owner. The City allows a reasonable time for people to accomplish this, usually 24-48 hours, depending on the severity of the storm. Residents who anticipate being gone for the winter, are encouraged to make arrangements with their neighbors or a snow removal company to ensure their sidewalks are clear. The Building Department will make periodic inspections of City sidewalks and will also respond to citizen’s complaints.</td>
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Questions or concerns may be directed to the City Building Department, at 989-354-1760.