

**Regulations
respecting winter
Roads.**

**Winter Roads
how to be made**

The public Roads in winter, are to be fixed annually between the first day of October and the fifteenth day of November, by the Overseers in the respective Parishes, at a Meeting to be held by them for that purpose, of which Meeting they are to give public notice, on a preceding Sunday or Holiday after morning service, at the Church door, or at the most public part of the Parish, if there is no Church; that the Persons interested may attend, and after hearing such persons, if they attend, and require to be heard, the Overseers or a majority of them, are to mark out the places, where the winter Roads shall pass, and to order the Fences to be taken down, where it may be necessary, and give such orders for keeping up and repairing such winter Roads, as they may think proper; which orders every Inhabitant bound to such repairs, must obey; although, if he thinks himself aggrieved, he may appeal to the Grand Voyer, who is to decide finally; but the Overseers are not to take down more than ten feet of any fence, nor cause any winter Road to pass through any Garden, Orchard or Field, fenced with a quick hedge, without the consent of the Proprietor. *Sec. 22.*

**The Winter
Highways and
Banal Roads to
be marked with
Poles and repaired
after every fall
of snow.**

All persons bound to repair the King's Highways, or Banal Roads, upon the first fall of Snow, are to fix poles or branches of Spruce, Cedar or Hemlock of eight feet long, on each side of the public Winter Roads, not at a greater distance than thirty six feet, one from the other; and when they fall or are pulled up, they are to replace them, without delay, and they are also bound to open and beat the Roads of a width sufficient for one Carriage, and to level the Cahots and Pentes, as soon as they are formed. *Sec. 23.*

**Winter Roads
on Rivers, how
to be made and
marked out.**

The Overseers are to point out the customary Roads upon the Ice, crossing the Saint Lawrence, or other Rivers, which are to be marked by poles

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