

Village of Gowanda Sidewalk Replacement Information Sheet

General Information: The Gowanda Village Board had authorized a \$2.00/square foot sidewalk replacement and a one hundred (100%) percent reimbursement to Village property owners for Village right-of-way tree impacted sidewalk damage. Only public right-of-way sidewalk found to be in unacceptable condition as per Section 44.6 of the Municipal Code will be eligible for reimbursement.

Sidewalk Replacement Process:

1. Notify the Highway Supervisor of your desire to replace your sidewalk. The Highway Supervisor will mark the sidewalk as follows: tree impacted sidewalk blocks with yellow paint means 100% reimbursement by the Village. The sidewalk needing general repair will be marked in white paint and will be reimbursed at 2.00 per square foot.
2. Fill out section I of the application, sign it and return it to the Village Hall.
3. The Village will inspect your sidewalk and determine if it is in unacceptable condition.
4. The Village will notify you of the eligible square footage.
5. During the replacement, the property owner needs to contact the Supervisor of the Village Highway Department.
6. You will need to contact the Supervisor for final inspection and reimbursement approval.
7. Your concrete forms need to be free from warp.
8. Welded wire fabric fiber reinforcement for both sidewalk and driveways are required.
9. The sidewalk and or driveway needs to meet smooth surface requirements. Meaning the concrete is free from aggregate, honeycombing, and air bubbles.
10. The concrete needs to be a uniform slip-resistant texture. Tool the edges and scored joints of all sidewalk slabs with an edging tool having a ¼ inch radius. Score and tool to the concrete surface at intervals of 5 feet, a minimum 1/8 inch to a minimum depth of one-third total thickness.
11. Immediately after finishing, and not more than 30 minutes after concrete placement, apply a clear membrane curing compound that includes a fugitive dye at a rate of 1 gallon per 150 square feet.
12. You are to notify the Village forty-eight (48) hours in advance of the replacement to verify that it was replaced to the Village specifications.
13. The Village will make payment to the property owner upon approval of the next Village Abstract (the 2nd Tuesday of each month).

Village of Gowanda

Sidewalk Replacement (Cost Reimbursement Application)

Application # _____

SECTION I (To be filled out by applicant)

Property Information:

1. Property Location: _____
2. Owner: _____
3. Contact Phone Number: _____

SECTION II (To be filled out by the Village)

Sidewalk Inspection Information

1. Date of Pre-Replacement Inspection _____
2. Sidewalk Condition- Satisfactory _____ Unsatisfactory _____
3. Square feet of unsatisfactory sidewalk _____
4. Pre-Inspection _____
(Highway Supervisor)

SECTION III

Final Inspection

1. Contact date during replacement _____
2. Inspection Approval _____
(Highway Supervisor)