

Section 1.18 Dirt and Trash on Highways

1. No person engaged in the excavating, repairs to structures or grounds, or construction or having charge or control of excavation, repairs to structures or grounds, or construction, or who may be engaged in or have charge or control of conveying material to or from excavations, repairs to structures or grounds, or construction, shall deposit, or permit to be deposited, in any manner, upon the surface of any street, alley, avenue, highway, footway, sidewalk, parking or other public space within the corporate limits of the Town of Burkittsville either by placing, spilling, dropping, or tracking from wheels of vehicles, or from the feet of animals, or otherwise, any earth, clay, mud, sand, gravel, or other material. If any such deposit occurs, every person whose duty it is under this Section to prevent such deposit shall promptly remove the same. All macadamized or broken stone roadways adjacent to excavations nor traversed by vehicles either in the process of conveying material from an excavation or in returning from the place of deposit to place to place of excavation shall be covered with planking so far as may be required to prevent any mud, earth, clay or other material from the excavation or from the place of deposit from reaching the surface of such roadway.
2. No one being the owner, driver, manager, or conductor of any cart or other vehicle shall carry or convey, or cause to be carried or conveyed in such vehicle any coal, earth, sand, gravel, broken stone, dirt, ashes, paper, and other rubbish, or any loose fluid or offensive articles or matter, or any articles whatsoever within the corporate limits of said Town of Burkittsville so that the same shall or may be scattered, dropped, let fall, blown or spilled therefrom; and all vehicles conveying combustible refuse or foul, dusty, or offensive matter of any sort shall have tight bodies and be closely and securely covered. All vehicles conveying wastepaper and wastepaper products, baled, sacked, or otherwise, shall be closely and securely covered.
3. Owners of lots abutting upon streets, avenues, or alleys, or upon public parking or other public space, in the Town of Burkittsville and which are above grade, shall protect such lots so as to prevent dirt, sand, or gravel, or any bushes, trees, or like thing from falling or being washed upon the sidewalks, streets, alleyways or other public space adjacent to the same.