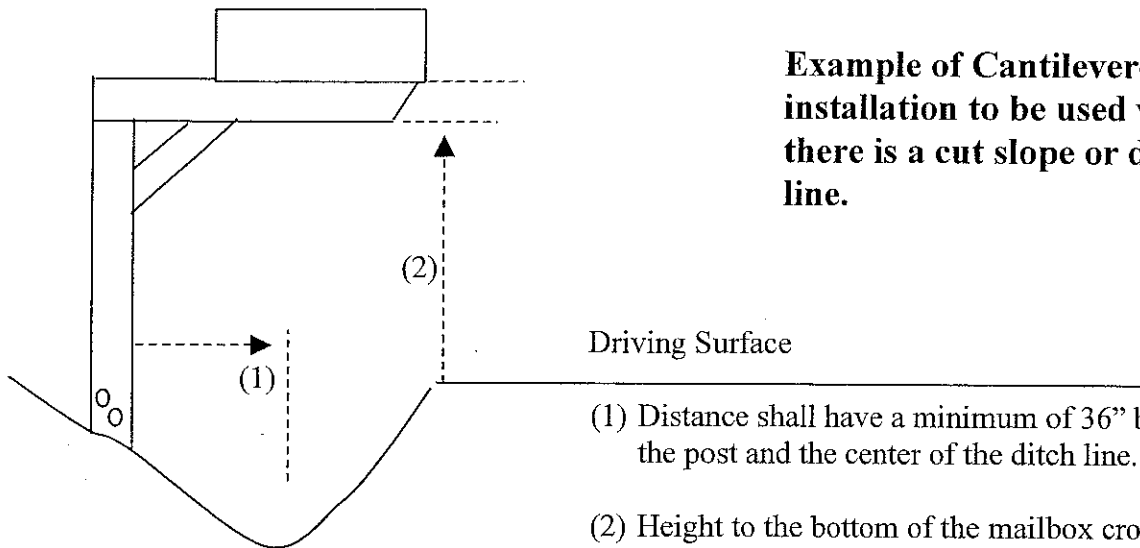


Skamania County

Mailbox Construction Standards

(Note: Skamania County does not replace mailboxes due to snow removal services, unless structure is hit by the equipment itself)



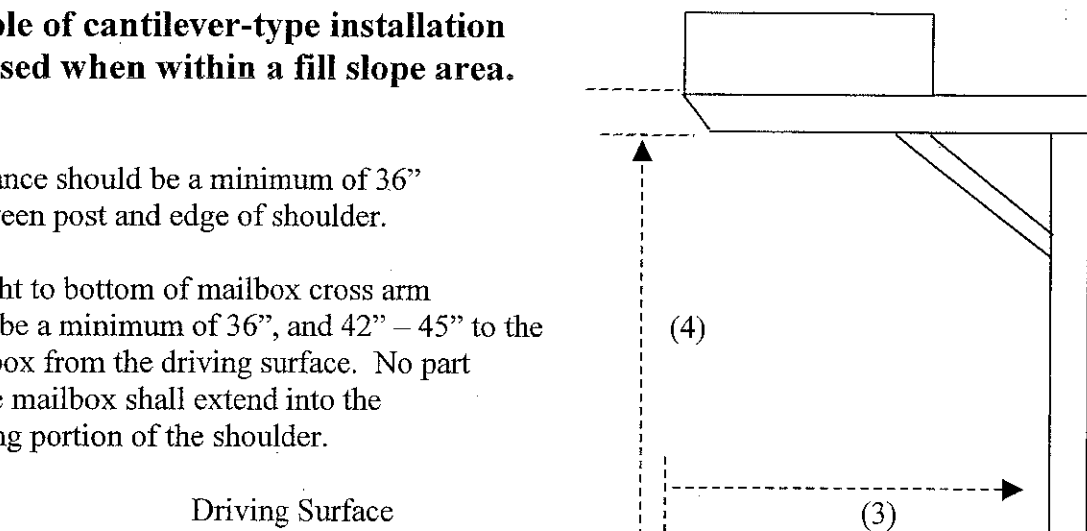
Example of Cantilever-type installation to be used when there is a cut slope or ditch line.

Driving Surface

- (1) Distance shall have a minimum of 36" between the post and the center of the ditch line.
- (2) Height to the bottom of the mailbox cross arm shall be a minimum of 36", and 42" - 45" to the mailbox, from the driving surface. No part of the mailbox shall extend into the driving portion of the shoulder.

Example of cantilever-type installation to be used when within a fill slope area.

- (3) Distance should be a minimum of 36" between post and edge of shoulder.
- (4) Height to bottom of mailbox cross arm shall be a minimum of 36", and 42" - 45" to the mailbox from the driving surface. No part of the mailbox shall extend into the driving portion of the shoulder.



Driving Surface

All materials shall be wood; steel or concrete are unacceptable unless designed for breakaway, or equivalent to WSDOT Standards. No wood post shall be anchored in concrete unless post have holes drilled above the ground line to facilitate a breakaway structure. Alternate bracing methods may be utilized if clearances can be met. Post location is determined by USPS.