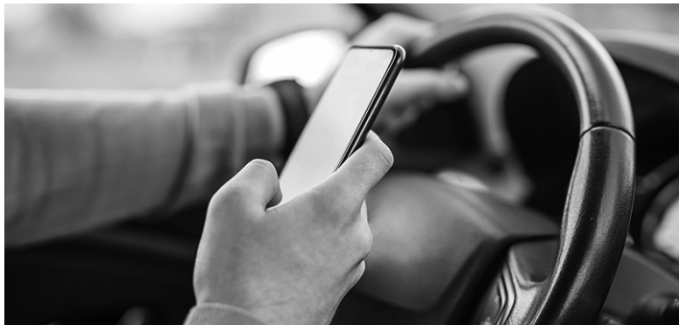


# Policing in Pitt Meadows

March 2020

## Always Keep Your Eyes on the Road!



**Roughly one in four fatal crashes on B.C. roads involves driver distraction. Not only is it dangerous, but the costs can add up quickly.**

Even if you're not using your phone, you may still be distracted. Any diversion of your attention away from the safe operation of your vehicle, like chatting with passengers, eating or drinking, or adjusting radio or vehicle settings, can contribute to distracted and inattentive driving.

- If you're caught distracted driving, you'll be ticketed and receive a fine of \$368.
- Every ticket for distracted driving also adds four driver penalty points to your driving record. If you have four or more points at the end of a 12-month period, you pay a driver penalty point (DPP) premium. These premiums start at \$252 and increase for every point you accumulate. You may also have to pay a driver risk premium.

We all play a part in making our roads safe – when you're behind the wheel, focus on the road.

### **Pitt Meadows Community Policing Office**

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#### **Hours of Operation**

8:00am to 4:00pm  
Monday to Friday

### **What can the Community Policing Office do for you?**

The Community Policing Office is a close and convenient place for residents to:

- Report a crime
- Obtain a criminal record check
- Find safety information
- Get advice or talk to a police officer

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