## **Policing in Pitt Meadows**

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## 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 fines 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 the radio, can contribute to distracted and inattentive driving.

- Don't use your cellphone at a red light or in traffic.
- Keep your hands off. Hands-free means a Bluetooth, wired headset or speakerphone that can be operated with one touch or voice commands.
- If you have a Learner's (L) or Novice (N) licence, you aren't allowed to use any electronic devices (like phone or GPS) behind the wheel, for any purpose, even in hands-free mode.

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

104 -12027 Harris Road, Pitt Meadows, BC, V3Y 2B5

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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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