

## OPP reminds motorists of the dangers of distracted driving

OPP officers remind motorists of following facts:

- ? Vehicle drivers still are using their cellphones while driving
- ? Continue to exceed speed limit putting themselves and other citizens at risk.
- ? Distracted driving remains a leading cause of motor vehicle collisions resulting in serious bodily harm or death.

Motorists are reminded to:

- ? Use your cell phone in a hands free setting /or
- ? Pull over completely off the roadway and not in a live lane.
- ? Stop your vehicle and focus on making phone call with no distractions
- ? Waiting at a red light or while stopped in a line-up of traffic is not considered 'off the roadway' and you risk being charged for the offence.

If you see a distracted driver please call nearest OPP Communications Centre at 1-888-310-1122 on your hand free device or \*677.

Please do your part to stop this dangerous and reckless behaviour.