

Don't dump your snow on the roadway

LAURENTIAN HILLS - The Upper Ottawa Valley Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) has heard of recent incidents where residents are removing snow from private property and depositing it on public roadways. The OPP reminds residents there is a law prohibiting this. The Highway Traffic Act prohibits the depositing of snow or ice on a public roadway and carries a total fine of \$110. Municipal by-laws may also prohibit such action by residents. Depositing snow or ice on a roadway can create a hazard for drivers using the roadway. Be courteous to others and deposit snow onto your own property.