

Hi NK, Mayor Carolyn here with a very important video update. I am standing just outside of Apsley along Highway 28 at one of the 2 newly approved community safety zones by the Province. The first zone covers the 3.5km of highway 28 that runs through the village of Apsley and the second zone runs for 5.5km from Haultain right through the hamlet of Woodview. The signs have been installed at the boundaries of each zone. This means that certain fines will double, including fines for speeding if you are caught breaking the traffic rules in these zones. And I am here to tell you that enforcement begins NOW. There will be no grace period- the increased penalties will be applied immediately!

After years of advocacy and hard work, this is a major accomplishment for the safety and well-being of our community and for the tens of thousands of people that travel Highway 28 each year. This is just one of many tools that we are using to encourage safe and responsible driving on our roadways. So please everyone drive with care and be aware. Because if you don't, you may end up paying a lot more. Until next time North Kawartha, be well and take care.