



# PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION ANNOUNCEMENT

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## Important Ice Safety Notice

**(Kahnawake – 8, Enniska/February 2024)**

The Public Safety Division (PSD) wishes to caution Kahnawà:kehró:non that there is open ice in the area of Deer's Beach and Turtle Bay.



The general rule of thumb for ice thickness is:

- Two (2) inches - STAY OFF
- Four (4) inches and up - Probably safe for walking and ice fishing on foot
- Five (5) inches and up - Probably safe for ATV or snowmobiling
- Eight (8) to twelve (12) inches - Probably safe for small cars or light pick-ups
- Twelve (12) to fifteen (15) inches and up - Probably safe for medium trucks

Please note that when ice is involved, you are, without question, at risk. There is no such thing as 100% safe ice, and it is crucial to understand this danger every time you step onto it. Use at your own risk.

For more tips on the dangers of ice, please [click here](#) or call the PSD at **450-632-0635**.