

# A stop sign means stop

**S**TOP. The Pocket Oxford Dictionary defines it as "Prevent passage of, prevent motion or action of, cease, discontinue".

**ROLL.** Is defined as "Move or send or go in some direction".

**TICKET.** Something you will get if you combine the two.

There is no such thing as a "rolling stop", and it certainly cannot be used as an excuse for not coming to a complete halt at a sign.

Sometimes a complaint is made to the police about a particular intersection where people are not complying with stop signs. When I was a patrol officer, I was often sent by my supervisor to enforce these signs. I would sit, in a marked police car, and watch the intersection. When someone would do a "rolling stop" I would pull them over and write a ticket. Many times the driver would insist that they had come to a complete stop.

Try a little experiment: stand for five or 10 minutes near a busy intersection that is controlled by a stop sign. Count how many cars come to a complete stop. There won't be many.

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mails from parents who are concerned about their children walking to school. A child should be able to cross at an intersection that is controlled by a stop sign without any difficulty, but there are times when they step out into the crosswalk only to find that a car is not stopping at the sign.

Please help to make the community safer (and save yourself \$110 and three demerit points!) by obeying all traffic signs.

If you have any questions about this or any other police issues, contact me at laurel.barnett@hrps.on.ca or 905-878-5511 ext 2120.

—Const. Laurel Barnett is the community support officer for District 1



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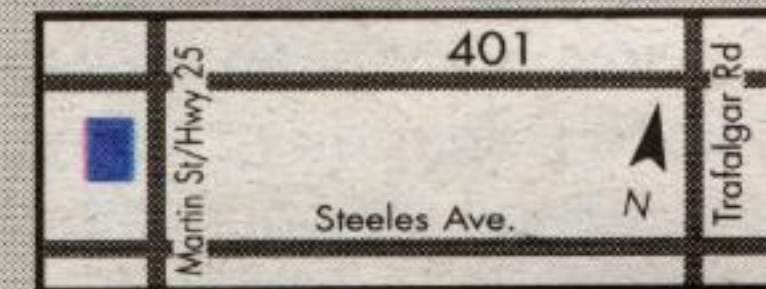
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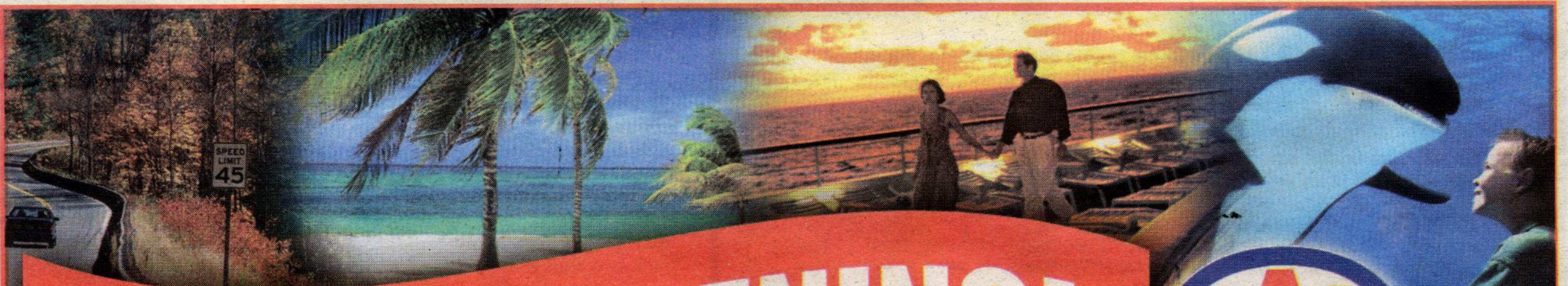
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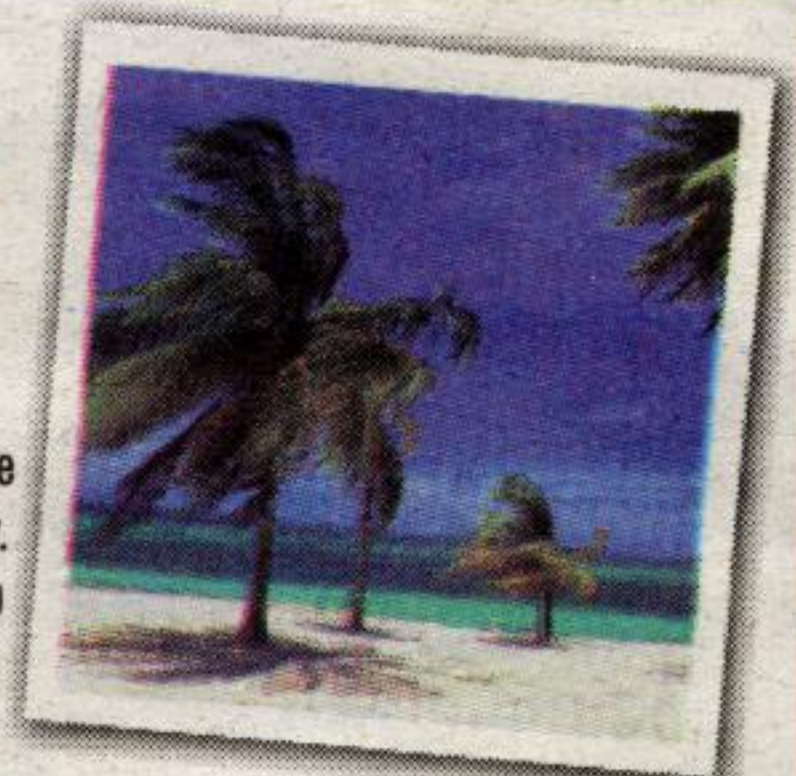
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