

Why load safety is a concern:

- Loose debris is dangerous because it can fall or blow onto the road, creating hazards for other drivers.
- Roadside debris is unsightly and an environmental concern.
- Taxpayers pay hundreds of thousands of dollars each year to clean up the mess.

If you are transporting a load, tie it down to avoid a \$250 fine and help keep our roads clean and safe.

If you lose an item during transport:

- Safely remove litter and debris from the roadside, if possible.
- Report the incident to the City by calling **311** if safe removal is not possible.
- If necessary, notify the Edmonton Police Service at **780-423-4567** to report a hazard.

**A clean and safe
Edmonton is a shared
responsibility.**

For more information:
Call 311
Visit www.edmonton.ca



Secure your Load



How to properly secure a load

Ties and tarps cost less than \$20 at most stores. Use them to properly secure your load.

Tie large items like mattresses, furniture and appliances directly to your vehicle.

Other Tips:

- Put sand, gravel and dirt in a container, keeping it 7.5 cm (3 inches) below the top of the container.
- Place light-weight items low in the box.
- Put loose trash into a container with a lid.
- Secure your load no matter how far you are travelling.
- Always double check your load to make sure it's completely secured.
- Before you hit the road, ask yourself: Will other drivers feel safe following behind me?

Cover your load with a secured tarp or net.

Avoid a \$250 fine: secure your load.

