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Time to Change Your Clocks and the Batteries in All Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Alarms

Daylight savings ends on Sunday, November 6, 2011 and Peterborough Fire Service reminds residents to install new batteries in their smoke and carbon monoxide alarms when they change their clocks this weekend.

It is the law to have working smoke alarms on every storey of the home and outside all sleeping areas. For added protection, it is recommended that smoke alarms are installed inside all bedrooms. Take a few minutes to plan and practice a home escape plan with the people you live with.

A working carbon monoxide alarm will protect your family against deadly carbon monoxide poisoning. If your alarm goes off, get out of the house and call the fire department at 911.

This information is also available on the City of Peterborough website at www.peterborough.ca.

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