



# The City Of Montreal Is Infested With 4,000,000 Rats

**News** There are more of them than are of you.

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**Over the last** few weeks, I've been spotting more and more rats in the city. Especially when I cross through alleyways. And for every rat I see I see at least 5 dead ones nearby.

**And I'm not** the only one. Residents of Ahuntsic Cartier-Ville have also **reported** a lot of rat sightings in the area recently.

**It's not that unusual.** After all, every big city has a large rat population. But in Montreal, even though we know they're there, we don't usually see them. But studies show at least **1 in 3 homes in Montreal has a rat problem.**

**Normally they remain** hidden underground, but something has been happening recently that's causing the rats to come out of their hiding spots in droves.

**You probably guessed** by now. It's all the construction and underground sewer work.

**As if nightmarish** traffic jams and **toxic fumes** weren't enough to deal with, now we have to deal with a rat problem too.

**And since** this winter was especially mild, there are more rats than ever.

**Experts estimate** there are about 4 million on the island alone, that's 2 rats for every person.

**One lady** from Ahuntsic even **claims** she caught 6 rats herself in a single afternoon.