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## **PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT**

## **MTQ testing culverts on Route 207**

**(Kahnawake – 28, Ohiarí:ha/June 2010)** The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke would like to inform the community that a firm contracted by the Ministère de Transport du Quebec (MTQ) is conducting testing around two culverts on Route 207 today (June 28<sup>th</sup>) and tomorrow (June 29<sup>th</sup>) in order to draw up plans for the replacement of the two culverts, which will take place at the end of summer or early fall.

One lane of the roadway will be closed in the area where the testing will occur. Proper signage will be installed to minimize the impact on traffic. No testing is planned on private properties. Please note that the work may be postponed due to rain.

The Kahnawà:ke Environment Protection Office is aware of the testing and had a technician on site during an environmental inspection performed by the MTQ. For further information, contact the Lands Unit at (450) 638-8244.

## SUGGESTED INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEDIA

Please run at your discretion until 4pm 29, Ohiarí:ha / June. For further information on this release, contact Gene Diabo at 450-632-7500, ext. 2254