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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Mercier Bridge Montreal-bound complete closure Thursday night

(Kahnawà:ke – 17, Kentenhkó:wa/November 2014) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke (MCK) has been informed by Ministère des Transport du Quebec that both Montreal-bound lanes of the Mercier Bridge will be <u>completely closed</u> to traffic from 11:59pm Thursday evening (November 20th) until 5am Friday, November 21st.

The closure is necessary due to the reconstruction of the Monette overpass on the LaSalle side of the bridge. Road users are encouraged to use the Champlain or Jacques Cartier Bridges to gain access to the island of Montreal.

Both Kahnawà:ke-bound lanes will remain open.

The MCK reminds the public that works/closures on the Mercier Bridge are subject to change due to weather conditions, operational constraints or work progression, and that it does not take part in the scheduling or cancellation of such works.

SUGGESTED INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEDIA

Please mention at your discretion until Friday, November 21st at 6am For further information on this release contact Justus Polson-Lahache at 450-632-7500, ext. 2267