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Six Chiefs to attend Quebec Bridge Ceremonies

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(Kahnawá:ke – 29, Seskéha/August 2006) Six Mohawk Council of Kahnawá:ke (MCK) chiefs are traveling to Quebec City to take part in ceremonies commemorating the 99th anniversary of the Quebec Bridge disaster. The bridge collapsed in 1907 while under construction; among those killed were 33 Kahnawá:ke men.

Grand Chief Michael Ahríhron Delisle, Jr. and Chiefs Johnny Montour, Mike Bush, Rhonda Lynn Kirby, Kenneth McComber and Keith Myiow will be among a significant number of Kahnawa'kehró:non to make the trek.

Today's ceremony is the first in a year-long series of events to commemorate the disaster.

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