

New information from Gordie Howe International Bridge project team

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Good afternoon,

Here are a few things we wanted you to know about:

Volunteers needed for Community Stories Committee

The Windsor-Detroit Cross-River Tour is an international Community Benefits Plan initiative that will celebrate the unique culture, history and diversity of the Sandwich/west Windsor and Delray/Southwest Detroit communities through interpretive signage that will be installed on pedestrian and cycling paths leading to the Ports of Entry in Windsor, Ontario and Detroit, Michigan. To deliver this initiative, the project team will engage local community members and subject matter experts through the Community Stories Committee to support the development of content for the interpretive signs that celebrates important moments in each community's history.

Representatives are needed to fill two-year positions in the following roles:

Canada

- Three representatives of cultural and historical associations within Windsor-Essex County
- One representative that is a resident of the Sandwich community
- One representative that is a resident of Windsor-Essex County

US

- Three representatives of cultural and historical associations within the Greater Detroit Area
- One representative that is a resident of the Delray community
- One representative that is a resident of the Greater Detroit Area

The deadline for applications is **noon on Thursday, September 1, 2022**, from eligible volunteers to fill the ten open volunteer positions on the Community Stories Committee.

The Community Stories Committee will include an additional four members from the project's [Local Community Group](#), as well as a representative from Walpole Island First Nation and a representative from Caldwell First Nation. Learn more and [apply here](#).



COMMUNITY STORIES COMMITTEE

Do you know everything there is to know about the history and culture of Sandwich/west Windsor and/or Delray/Southwest Detroit? Be part of your community's history – join the Gordie Howe International Bridge Community Stories Committee!

10 volunteer positions available
Applications due at noon on September 1, 2022

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New Drone Footage

We have New drone footage from the Canadian and US Gordie Howe International Bridge project sites. Check out the progress below.





Windsor-Detroit Bridge Authority Seeks Feedback on Accessibility

Windsor-Detroit Bridge Authority (WDBA) is seeking community feedback on service offerings and facilities through an accessibility lens via an online survey. Feedback from the survey will be used to support further development and improvements to WDBA's Accessibility Plan. **The survey will close September 7, 2022.** [Take the survey now.](#)

A graphic with a white background on the left and a dark blue background on the right. The text 'WINDSOR-DETROIT BRIDGE AUTHORITY ACCESSIBILITY' is in large, bold, blue letters. Below it, a paragraph of text explains the survey. A date and website are listed. There is a clipboard icon with three checkmarks and the Gordie Howe International Bridge logo.

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Community Benefits Year-In-Review

The project team is proud to have partnered with 50 agencies, associations and community representatives over the past year to deliver upon community benefits commitments, including the addition of eight new delivery partners that participated in this important work in 2021. Over the past year, the Gordie Howe International Bridge team has worked with many partners to deliver Community Benefits Plan activities, including workforce initiatives and neighbourhood investments. Virtual engagements, events and programming provided benefits to residents, businesses and organizations in

Sandwich/west Windsor and Delray/southwest Detroit by connecting them to opportunities available on the project.

Reports on Community Benefits Plan progress are published seasonally. Each summer the project team is pleased to provide a summary of past year's achievements and outcomes through a Year-in-Review report that includes statistics, photos and quotes from recent beneficiaries to provide a comprehensive update on community benefits progress. Read the [2021-2022 Community Benefits Year-in-Review Report](#) to learn more about the positive impacts that occurred locally and regionally as a result of the Community Benefits Plan and the hard work of our many delivery partners.



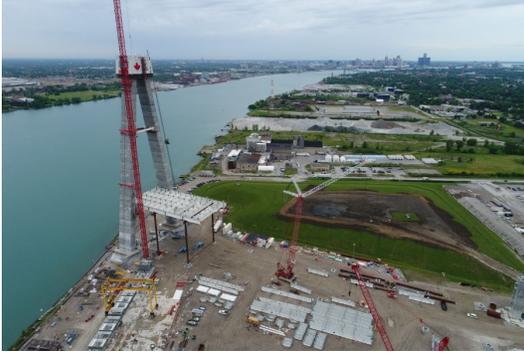
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New Photo Galleries

We've posted new galleries of the Canadian Bridge Site and Michigan Interchange work on the project [website](#). Another new gallery will be posted next week.



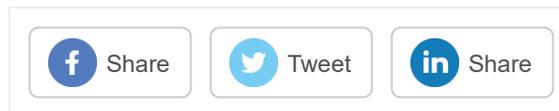
Summer 2022 Co-op Students

Check it out. We're highlighting our Summer 2022 Windsor-Detroit Bridge Authority co-op students assisting with work on the Gordie Howe International Bridge project. [Read more.](#)



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