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:

2022 Community Organization Investment – Applications Now Open

Applications are open for the <u>2022 Community Organization Investment</u> (COI) initiative as part of the <u>Community Benefits Plan</u>. The COI initiative will provide funding of \$50,000 (CDN) in Canada and the US to community organizations serving Sandwich/west Windsor or Delray/Southwest Detroit residents. Through this initiative, the project team will invest a total of \$500,000 (CDN) in the two communities from 2020-2024. Eligible organizations can submit funding applications for proposed initiatives ranging from \$1,000 to \$25,000 (CDN) for events, programming and infrastructure improvements that will benefit the Sandwich/west Windsor or Delray/Southwest Detroit neighbourhoods.

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION INVESTMENT APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN



Applications are open for the **2022 Community Organization Investment** as part of the Community Benefits Plan to support eligible organizations located in or servicing west Windsor/Sandwich or southwest Detroit/Delray.

This is an annual **\$50,000 (CDN)** investment allowance to be made available from **2020** to **2024** to eligible organizations.

Applications will be accepted until January 26, 2022

Learn more and apply at GordieHoweIntenationalBridge.com

Online Community Meeting

Join us on <u>Facebook</u> Live for a Community Meeting on Thursday, December 8, 2021, at 4:00 p.m. to hear the latest updates on design and construction progress on the Canadian and US project components, along with highlights from Community Benefits Plan implementation. The presentation and meeting materials will be posted to the project website following the event.





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Building Bridges and a Stronger Community

The Gordie Howe International Bridge Community Benefits Plan is investing \$40,000 in support of the United Way Windsor-Essex Ujima program that will support Black youth enrolled in <u>United Way's On Track to Success</u> program. The \$40,000 donation is part of a larger \$160,000 to be provided to United Way between 2021 – 2024 with annual investments of \$40,000. Funding will go directly into supporting programs for Sandwicharea youth. Read more <u>here.</u>

MEDIA RELEASE

Building Bridges and a Stronger Community: Gordie Howe International Bridge Team Invests \$40,000 toward United Way's Ujima Initiative



Community Benefits Report

The Summer 2021 Community Benefits quarterly report is now live on the Gordie Howe International Bridge project website. Read about neighbourhood green improvements, COI Investment updates, and workforce development <u>here.</u>





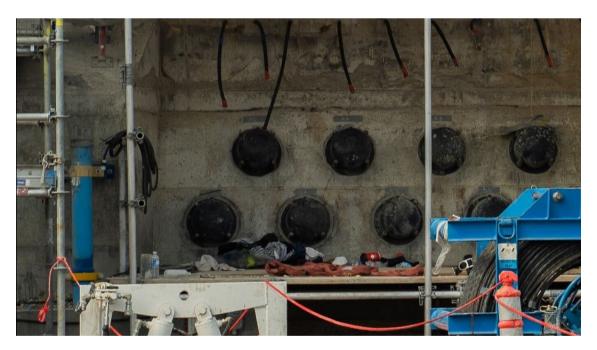
The Community Benefits Plan is a key component of the Gordie Howe International Bridge project. With a commitment to transparent and accountable implementation, the project team is proud to report on Community Benefit Plan activities and accomplishments each quarter. For more information on Community Benefits Plan initiatives visit GordieHoweInternationalBridge.com.

NEIGHBOURHOOD INFRASTRUCTURE STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION

Post-tension Work

What is post-tension work and why is it critical to the design and functionality of the

Gordie Howe International Bridge? Find out in this spotlight story.



John A. Beck Award

Another honour for the Gordie Howe International Bridge project. The project team has won the IHSA John A. Beck award for demonstrating extraordinary leadership, initiative, creativity, and innovation in keeping our workers safe on-site. <u>Read</u> more about this prestigious honour.



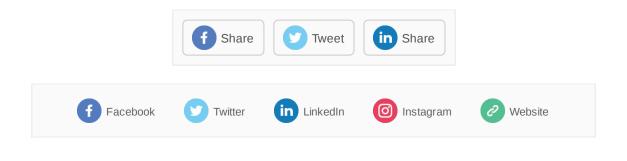
US Port of Entry Gallery

We've posted a new gallery of the US Port of Entry on the Gordie Howe International Bridge project website. See galleries of all project components <u>here.</u>





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