



Ponts
JACQUES CARTIER +
CHAMPLAIN
Bridges
Canada

PRESS RELEASE
For immediate distribution

Appointments to JCCBI's Board of Directors

Longueuil, June 29, 2017 – The Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Incorporated (JCCBI) is pleased to welcome three new members to its Board of Directors. Following a selection exercise steered by the Governor in Council, the Government of Canada has announced the appointment of three new directors: Catherine Lavoie, Sylvain Villiard and Dale Ellen Williams (effective as of December 18, 2017).

“The appointment of directors who have specialized and complementary expertise will support our Board’s efforts to make JCCBI a leader in the management of major infrastructure as an innovative expert, mobility leader, and social and urban contributor. We are pleased to welcome them,” announced Paul T. Kefalas, Chairman of the Board of Directors, JCCBI. “We also want to acknowledge the contribution of Serge Martel to our Corporation’s governance in recent years. I thank him for his commitment and significant contributions.”

About JCCBI

As a manager of important infrastructure, The Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Incorporated is a Crown corporation established in 1978 that is responsible for the Jacques Cartier Bridge, the Champlain Bridge, the Champlain Bridge Ice Control Structure, the Île des Sœurs Bypass Bridge, the federal sections of Bonaventure Expressway and the Honoré Mercier Bridge, as well as the Melocheville Tunnel. The Corporation manages, maintains, and repairs these important Greater Montreal structures to ensure the safe passage of thousands of users every day. It also ensures that these critical structures remain safe, fully functional and aesthetically pleasing both today and in the future. www.JacquesCartierChamplain.ca

- 30 -

For more information:

Julie Paquet
Director, Communications
Office: 450-651-8771, ext. 2232 / Cell: 514-458-6925
jpaquet@pjcci.ca



News Release

For immediate release

Appointments to The Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Inc.: More talent and experience appointed to the Board of Directors

June 22, 2017 – Montreal, Quebec

The Honourable Amarjeet Sohi, Minister of Infrastructure and Communities, today announced the appointment of Catherine Lavoie, Dale Williams, and Sylvain Villiard to the Board of Directors of The Jacques-Cartier and Champlain Bridges Inc. for a three-year term, following an open, transparent, and merit-based selection process.

Catherine Lavoie is an engineer with 25 years of high-level experience with concrete and asphalt companies and associations. She is currently the President and CEO of the Centre d'expertise et de recherche en infrastructures urbaines (CERIU). She coordinates all activities of the urban infrastructure expertise and research centre. The non-profit organization helps municipalities to rehabilitate their infrastructure and to ensure its sustainability. Her appointment is effective immediately.

Sylvain Villiard is an experienced public administration manager and lawyer. He previously served as Associate Executive Director of the Centre hospitalier de l'Université de Montréal (CHUM). As a Partner of GP Gouvernance Plus, he helps clients and suppliers with project planning and management. His appointment is effective immediately.

Dale Williams has extensive experience in transportation management, sales and marketing. She has worked with GATX Rail Canada for several years first as Sales Director, and then Vice President, Canadian Regional Sales. She is also a member of the Board of Directors. In this capacity, she is responsible for commercial relations with the Canadian National Railway Company (CN), Canadian Pacific (CP), and other Canadian rail companies. Her appointment will be effective December 18, 2017. National Railway

Quote

"I am very pleased that the board of directors of The Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Incorporated will benefit from the solid experience of Catherine Lavoie, Dale Williams, and Sylvain Villiard. Their combined experience of the business world, public administration, and engineering will serve JCCBI well as it continues its important work to ensure the operation, maintenance and rehabilitation of federal infrastructure assets in Montreal."

The Honourable Amarjeet Sohi

Minister of Infrastructure and Communities

Quick Facts

- JCCBI is a Crown Corporation that operates at arm's length from the government and reports to Parliament through the Minister of Infrastructure and Communities.
- JCCBI owns and operates four federal transportation corridors in the Montreal Area, including the Champlain Bridge, the Jacques-Cartier-Bridge, the Melocheville Tunnel and the federal section of the Honoré-Mercier Bridge.

Associated Links

[Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Incorporated](#)
[Governor in Council appointments](#)

Contacts

Brook Simpson

Press Secretary

Office of the Minister of Infrastructure and Communities

Tel: 613-219-0149

Brook.Simpson@canada.ca

Infrastructure Canada

613-960-9251

Toll free: 1-877-250-7154

Email: infc.media.infc@canada.ca

Twitter: [@INFC_eng](https://twitter.com/INFC_eng)

Web: Infrastructure Canada