

HÉRITAGE CHAMPLAIN

DECONSTRUCTION OF THE CHAMPLAIN BRIDGE



Project to redevelop the shoreline and Champlain Estacade

The deconstruction of the Champlain Bridge will free up 7 hectares along the river shoreline for the redevelopment project, which will also include the Champlain Bridge Estacade.

This is an opportunity to create a unique site, provide the community with enhanced access to the St. Lawrence River, and preserve components of the bridge to commemorate its part in Montreal's history.

Héritage Champlain is an opportunity to:

- + Commemorate the history of the Champlain Bridge
- + Highlight and provide safe access to the river
- + Preserve the shoreline and restore natural fish habitats
- + Create observation points of local species
- + Promote activities and attractions organized near the river and give residents a sense of ownership over these newly freed-up spaces
- + Improve the existing active transportation network



A vast sector to redevelop

The sector to be redeveloped has four separate areas, which include three tracts of land totalling seven hectares as well as the Champlain Bridge Estacade:

1. Montreal shoreline
2. Champlain Bridge Estacade
3. Area around the St. Lawrence Seaway dike
4. Brossard shoreline

FACT SHEET

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Montreal shoreline – Île des Sœurs sector

Accessible via the road network.

As of 2021, a station of the Réseau Express Métropolitain (REM) will make this site accessible via public transit.

A bicycle path along the Route verte crosses part of the St. Lawrence River and connects up with the St. Lawrence Seaway.

Champlain Bridge Estacade

The Estacade of the original Champlain Bridge provides an access road to the seaway dike and has a dedicated bicycle path.



St. Lawrence Seaway dike

Accessible from Île des Sœurs via the Champlain Bridge Estacade, or from the cities of Sainte-Catherine and Saint-Lambert via the seaway dike.

The river can be accessed from the dike.

A large part of the site is targeted for the creation of new aquatic habitats.

Brossard shoreline

Accessible via the Route verte that runs along the shoreline in the city of Brossard.



What is your vision of Héritage Champlain?

The project to redevelop the shoreline and the Estacade structure will be created with the help of the community.

You will have many opportunities to let us know your ideas about developing this significant area:

1. Share your ideas at champlaindeconstruction.ca
2. Sign up for workshops that will be held in fall 2019.
3. Attend public meetings scheduled for 2020 to talk with our experts.

Together, we can
advance innovation



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