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## **Major weekend work blitzes on the Jacques Cartier Bridge in May 2020**

**Longueuil, Friday, May 8, 2020** – The Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Incorporated (JCCBI) wishes to advise users that major levelling and paving work will be done on the Jacques Cartier Bridge during weekend work blitzes in May. Thus, two major blitzes have been scheduled for the weekends of May 22 to 25 and May 29 to June 1, 2020. Only one lane per direction will be open to traffic during these blitzes, which will run from 8:00 p.m. on Friday to 12:00 p.m. on Monday. The sector should be avoided.

Note that the sidewalk will remain closed during this period and that the multipurpose path will be kept open during work.

This work is being closely coordinated with our mobility partners and is part of the major repairs being done to extend the service life of the Jacques Cartier Bridge.

Closures are required during the work to ensure user and worker safety. JCCBI recommends that users plan their travel. Note that this work could be postponed due to unsuitable weather conditions.

For real-time information about work performed by JCCBI, follow the Twitter accounts for each of our structures: [@pontChampBridge](#), [@pontJCBridge](#) and [@pontHMBridge](#). To help the public plan their travel, users can take a look at [Live Traffic](#) on our website which includes in-progress road closures or obstructions, cameras, and the seven-day work schedule. Users can also get [email alerts](#) about major closures or emergency work.

### **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 original 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. [JacquesCartierChamplain.ca](http://JacquesCartierChamplain.ca)

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