

The Great Lakes - St. Lawrence Seaway System Le réseau Grands Lacs - Voie maritime du Saint-Laurent

2015 - Notice to Shipping # 12

MAISONNEUVE REGION MONTREAL / LAKE ONTARIO SECTION

PASSING PLEASURE CRAFT UNDER SPAN OF BRIDGES 9 AND 10

In order to reduce the number of bridge lifts for pleasure craft at bridges 9 and 10 (St-Louis and Valleyfield bridges), mariners are advised that a schedule for bridge operation for <u>pleasure craft</u> will be implemented effective **June 30, 2015**:

- 1- No bridge lifts for pleasure craft will be conducted at Valleyfield Bridge (bridge #10 / Larocque Bridge) or St. Louis Bridge (bridge #9) during peak hours on working days between 06:00 09:00 and 16:00 18:00 for the entire navigation season.
- 2- During the summer period (June 15th to September 15th), bridge lifts will be performed at fixed times (if there are pleasure craft present) every 2 hours staggered by 1 hour between bridges.

Bridge Lift Schedule for Pleasure Craft	
Valleyfield Bridge (#10)	St. Louis Bridge (#9)
09 :00	10 :00
11:00	12:00
13 :00	14:00
15 :00	16:00
17:00 (weekends and holidays)	18:00
19:00	20 :00
21:00	

- 3- The passing of pleasure craft will be done as required between 21:00 and 06:00 during the summer period.
- 4- Outside of the summer period, the passing of pleasure craft at bridges 9 and 10 will be done as required with the exception of the peak hours as described above.
- 5- There is always the possibility for one or more pleasure craft to pass during a bridge lift for a commercial vessel. If this is the case, **always be alert and careful.**

Maisonneuve Region June 29, 2015

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