



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

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**Re: SEAWAY RADIO MESSAGE NO. 3 OF 2020**

***This is the final message for the opening of the 2020 navigation season.***

The Welland Canal and the **Montreal/Lake Ontario section are now open to navigation.**

Transit restrictions are in place at opening. Details on the maximum permissible drafts for both the Montreal-Lake Ontario Section and the Welland Canal are available in Seaway Notice no.8 of 2020.

**WELLAND CANAL**

The Welland Canal and Lake Erie are open water

**MONTREAL-LAKE ONTARIO SECTION**

The Montreal-Lake Ontario section is open water.

The Prescott-Ogdensburg ice boom A and Galop ice boom G have been removed from the navigation channel.

Navigation may be restricted until the commissioning of lighted aids has been completed. Mariners are warned to exercise extreme caution in the use of winter markers as the position of the markers may have been affected by ice. Further information concerning this is available from the appropriate traffic control centre.

**DOT/CCG STATION**

Please broadcast 3 times at time coinciding with regular radio broadcasts.

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