



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

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MONTREAL / LAKE ONTARIO SECTION

Pleasure Craft Lockages at Saint-Lambert, Côte Sainte-Catherine and Beauharnois Locks

In order to best serve our Pleasure Craft users and limit the potential risk of spreading the COVID-19 virus during this pandemic, the St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation (SLSMC) is placing certain conditions on pleasure craft lockages. Users are asked to observe these conditions and follow the guidance of public health officials, including necessary hygiene practices and physical distancing of two meters from others.

1. Reservation system

A reservation system will be in effect for the Saint-Lambert, Côte Sainte-Catherine and Beauharnois locks. Beginning on June 22 and continuing daily until September 6, there will be one upbound and one downbound lockage in the morning and one upbound and one downbound lockage in the afternoon at each lock. The availability is limited. In order to ensure a passage through the lock, pleasure craft users are required to make a reservation in advance.

To reserve a lockage time, pleasure craft users are required to:

- a) Consult the lockage availability calendars that can be found on <https://greatlakes-seaway.com/>
- b) Make a reservation by calling 450-672-8139 (Open 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. seven days per week, June 18 - September 6)
- c) Provide the following information:
 - a. Lock name, direction, date and time (morning or afternoon)
 - b. User name and pleasure craft name or registration number
 - c. Length of pleasure craft
- d) Once the reservation is confirmed by SLSMC, purchase an e-ticket with Secunik within one hour of booking (consult Pleasure Craft Tolls at <https://greatlakes-seaway.com/>)
- e) On the day of transit, consult the lockage schedule on the website www.greatlakes-seaway.com or by calling (450) 672-4115, ext. 2235, to determine expected lockage times for that day.

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2. Reporting in at the pleasure craft docks

Users with reservations are asked to arrive at the pleasure craft docks one hour before the scheduled lock time and await instructions from lock personnel. When the lock is clear and ready for entry, the lock personnel will give the green light and provide instructions to proceed via loud speaker. Please follow the instructions of lock personnel.

Telephones on the pleasure craft docks will not be available. Users are asked to remain in their boat at all times and refrain from grouped mooring.

3. In the Lock

To meet physical distancing guidelines, no grouped mooring of pleasure craft will be permitted in the lock. Pleasure craft will be secured alongside the lock wall, positioned one after the other.

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