



**The St. Lawrence  
Seaway Management  
Corporation**

**Corporation de Gestion  
de la Voie Maritime  
du Saint-Laurent**

### **Welland Canal Season Extension - Pilot Project**

Following a review of the 2019 season extension pilot program, the St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation (SLSMC) has decided to extend the Welland Canal navigation season by approximately one week into January, operating conditions permitting, for a trial period of five years. Details surrounding the program (dates, terms and conditions) will be communicated via Seaway Notice issued mid-November. The MLO section of the Seaway will not be impacted by this extension program. The end of its navigation season will be determined jointly with the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation (SLSDC) following established practices.

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