



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

2025 - NOTICE TO SHIPPING #9

MAISONNEUVE REGION
MONTREAL / LAKE ONTARIO SECTION

Vessel Self Spotting and Hands Free Mooring Systems at Iroquois Lock

Mariners are advised that the installation work of both the Vessel Self Spotting and Hands Free Mooring (HFM) Systems continues at Iroquois Lock. Mariners should be aware that the systems have not yet been fully calibrated. Position information displayed on the panels should not be relied upon until the system has been deemed operational. Please continue to follow spotting instructions from lock personnel.

Testing will continue throughout the months of May and June. Once the system has been deemed fully operational, an update will be provided and HFM will be used as our primary method for securing vessels.

Your cooperation and understanding are greatly appreciated during this time.

May 20, 2025