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NEWS RELEASE

Traffic for the calendar year-to-date on February 28, 2021, is 23,248. This represents a year-to-date decrease of 87.2%. The bridge has processed 103 million bridge crossings since 1962.

The International Bridge Administration today announced that one-way traffic crossings of the International Bridge at Sault Ste. Marie totaled 11,362 for the month of February 2021. This figure represents a decrease of 87.3%, a difference of 77,950 crossings as compared to February 2020.

An analysis of traffic statistics for the month reveals the following:

<i>Vehicle Classification</i>	<i>One-Way Crossings</i>	<i>Change from February 2020</i>	<i>Percent of Total Crossings</i>
<i>Full-Fare Passenger Cars:</i>	637	-97.9%	5.6%
<i>Commuter Fare:</i>	4,356	-91.2%	38.3%
<i>Car Pulling Trailers:</i>	91	-93.9%	0.8%
<i>Commercial Trucks:</i>	6,278	-16.5%	55.3%
<i>Totals:</i>	11,362	-87.3%	100.0%

The International Bridge self-funds with toll revenue all operational costs. Operational costs include the bridge structure, maintenance facilities, the Bridge Authority toll plaza, and building maintenance.

Sincerely,

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