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### **NEWS RELEASE**

Traffic for the calendar year-to-date on December 31, 2020, is 340,318. This represents a year-to-date decrease of 74.9%. 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 11,453 for the month of December 2020. This figure represents a decrease of 88.6%, a difference of 88,938 crossings as compared to December 2019.

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

<b><i>Vehicle Classification</i></b>	<b><i>One-Way Crossings</i></b>	<b><i>Change from December 2019</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Total Crossings</i></b>
<b><i>Full-Fare Passenger Cars:</i></b>	807	-97.8%	<b>7.0%</b>
<b><i>Commuter Fare:</i></b>	4,163	-92.7%	<b>36.3%</b>
<b><i>Car Pulling Trailers:</i></b>	110	-81.6%	<b>1.0%</b>
<b><i>Commercial Trucks:</i></b>	6,373	-5.0%	<b>55.7%</b>
<b><i>Totals:</i></b>	<b>11,453</b>	<b>-88.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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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