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NEWS RELEASE

The International Bridge Administration today announced that one-way traffic crossings of the International Bridge at Sault Ste. Marie totaled 65,366 for the month of May 2025. Traffic for the calendar year-to-date on May 31, 2025, is 302,472. This represents a year-to-date decrease of 22.1% compared to 2024. The bridge has processed 106.2 million bridge crossings since 1962.

This difference in crossings comparing 2025 to 2024 is down 27,788, which represents a decrease of 29.8% for the month of May.

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

Vehicle Classification	One-Way Crossings	Change from May 2024	Percent of Total Crossings
Full-Fare Passenger Cars:	27,461	-35.1%	42.0%
Commuter Fare:	29,334	-29.3%	44.9%
Car Pulling Trailers:	3,020	-14.6%	4.6%
Commercial Trucks:	5,551	-4.7%	8.5%
Totals:	65,366	-29.8%	100.0%

The International Bridge funds operational costs with toll revenue, including the bridge structure, maintenance facilities, the Bridge Authority toll plaza, and building maintenance.

Sincerely,

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