



PONT INTERNATIONAL **Gordie Howe** INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE

Good afternoon,

Here are a few things we wanted you to know about:

Shining New Light on the Windsor-Detroit Skyline: Gordie Howe International Bridge Aesthetic Lighting Testing Continues

Testing of the aesthetic lighting system is well underway and is an important step in the testing and commissioning of the project to ensure everything runs efficiently and seamlessly from day one of operations.

With more than 6,000 programmable LED fixtures across the towers, cables and deck, the Gordie Howe International Bridge is lighting up the skyline through innovation and with precision. Read more in this **spotlight story**.



Safety by Design: Means Restriction Fencing on the Gordie Howe International Bridge

Safety and design go hand-in-hand. Crews have installed thousands of custom fence posts along the bridge on both sides, creating a life-saving safety feature that is intentionally designed to minimize visual obstructions to allow stunning views of the Windsor - Detroit skyline and riverfront.

As part of testing and commissioning, features like this are being carefully reviewed to make sure they work exactly as designed – supporting a safe experience for future bridge and multi-use path users. Read more in this **spotlight story**.



Aazhoge: Indigenous Art at the Gordie Howe International Bridge

The visual art program on the Gordie Howe International Bridge project includes multiple artistic features as a result of community feedback to integrate cultural and historical recognition features where possible.

The second public art commission was installed in October 2024. Titled *Aazhoge*, the free-standing sculpture is a contemporary reflection of the culture and traditions of Indigenous Peoples in Canada, with emphasis on local Anishinaabe First Nations.

Learn more from the artist Michael Belmore about his inspiration, concept, fabrication and the installation in the video below.



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