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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 177,752 for the month of September 2011. This represents an increase of 7.6% as compared to September 2010.

Traffic statistics for the month are as follows:

<i>Vehicle Classification</i>	<i>One-Way Crossings</i>	<i>Change from September 2010</i>	<i>Percent of Total Crossings</i>
<i>Full-Fare Passenger Cars:</i>	81,303	4.5%	45.7%
<i>Commuter Fare:</i>	82,084	12.4%	46.2%
<i>Car Pulling Trailers</i>	6,206	0.6%	3.5%
<i>Commercial Trucks:</i>	8,159	0%	4.6%
<i>Totals:</i>	177,752	7.6%	100.0%

Traffic for calendar year 2011 has totaled 1,504,354 vehicles; this represents an increase of 10.33% as compared to 2010. Since the bridge opened in 1962, over 91.4 million vehicles have crossed the structure.

Sincerely,

International Bridge Administration

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