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Update: Kingston Mills Road Closure Will Begin on September 6th, 2016

Rideau Canal National Historic Site

Smiths Falls, Ontario, August 30, 2016 – Kingston Mills Road, in the City of Kingston, will be closed on September 6th, 2016 until mid-May 2017. This closure is necessary for the repair and replacement of the Kingston Mills swing and fixed bridges.

Construction will begin on the fixed bridge on September 6th, 2016, with swing bridge construction to follow in October 2016. The alternate vehicle route across the Rideau Canal during this closure is Highway 401, just south of Kingston Mills Road, which can be accessed from Battersea Road or Highway 15. Sunbury Road also offers vehicle crossing of the Rideau Canal north of the Kingston Mills site.

Parks Canada is investing an unprecedented \$3 billion dollars over 5 years to support infrastructure work to heritage, visitor, waterway and highway assets located within national historic sites, national parks, and national marine conservation areas across Canada. These investments represent the largest federal infrastructure plan in the history of Parks Canada.

Parks Canada would like to thank the community for their cooperation and understanding as we complete this important infrastructure work. For more information about this project and the Rideau Canal, please visit www.pc.gc.ca/rcInfrastructure. If you have questions about the repair or replacement of the Kingston Mills bridges or if you would like to be added to our community engagement list and receive email updates about this project, please contact us at RideauCanal.info@pc.gc.ca and include Kingston Mills in the subject line.

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