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Grateful for another productive year ! Exciting 2020 plans !

We are proud of and grateful for the myriad of opportunities we've had this year. These are some of the highlights!

The SLS tugboat crew worked along the St. Lawrence Seaway from Toronto to Quebec, assisting with various marine services including: barge towing, shallow water transport and assisting/pushing large vessels. As the crew of the Lake Erie said upon arrival at our dock, "she looks small but she's mighty!"

Throughout 2019, we've had the privilege of supporting work at the Port of Toronto, assisted with the construction of the Amherst Island Ferry docks, restored the Wolfe Island winter ferry dock and continued efforts across our own property as we redevelop the former Bethlehem Steel site.

We are energized as we head into a new year and a new decade. In 2020, we will again work in Toronto as we build a breakwater for the Toronto Region Conservation Authority (a multi phased www.pictonterminals.ca



Offloading steel from the Lake Erie Photo by PT. Dec. 2019

project). This will require investment in new equipment. We are excited to announce the purchase of another tugboat ! Please stay tuned for announcements of the expansion of our fleet.

We continue to work toward Great Lakes Cruising opportunities and are proud members of the Great Lakes Cruising Coalition. Please contact us if you would like to join a future meeting with PEC tourism leaders as we plan for new tourism opportunities arriving via our deep water dock.

Don't miss our **2019 PT Year in Review** video of projects across the region (on Facebook, YouTube and our website).

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From our Families to yours, Merry Christmas & Best Wishes in 2020 !

We couldn't do our work without the expertise of our partners.

Thank you :

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- 343.5 million tonnes
- More than \$22 million to their local communities (2010-2014)
- Over \$200 billion worth of goods
- 213,110 direct and indirect jobs
- \$14 billion in salaries
- \$25 billion added to Canada's GDP
- More than 1.5 million cruise ship passengers
- \$53 billion in economic activity

Read more here: <u>www.acpa-ports.net</u>



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What's next @PT?

• Stormwater mgmnt plan (ECA) DRAFT approved by MECP.

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- **Tugboat** Sheri Lynn S crew are working on the Wolfe Is. Ferry dock (winter dock).
- 2019 PT Year in Review video is online!
- Operate Station 4170 MarineTraffic Picton
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- Operate NEW MarineTraffic Station 4324 Nicholsons Point
- Monitoring fish in **DFO-approved Fish Habitat** for 2 years.
- Settled 2018 legal action which Save Picton Bay took against PT and The County.

Fish Habitat monitoring for DFO

The PT Team designed a float for the underwater camera to better monitor the Fish Habitat for DFO reporting (required for the next two years).

If you see our float offshore, please know that everyone is fine and we are filming fish!



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