



# City of Revelstoke

## Media Release

**For Immediate Release**

**August 1, 2024**

### **Fourth Street Bridge Incident, Revelstoke, BC**

**Revelstoke, B.C** – The City of Revelstoke was alerted to a vehicle incident on the Fourth Street Bridge on Thursday, August 1, at approximately 11:50 a.m. Two people were involved in the incident, they were immediately transported to the hospital for assessment.

By 12 p.m., the RCMP, Revelstoke Fire Department and multiple City crews were on the scene closing the bridge to traffic and assessing the situation. This incident occurred due to an operator error and resulted in damage to the Fourth Street Bridge and a vac truck.

The City of Revelstoke's Public Works crews cleared the scene and removed the obstacle. Other City staff coordinated with BC Ambulance, RCMP, Revelstoke Fire Department and the Ministry of Transport and Infrastructure to ensure the situation was managed appropriately, safely and quickly. The bridge was reopened to pedestrians and lightweight vehicles at approximately 13:40 p.m.

A structural assessment of the bridge's condition will be completed on August 1. The City will provide an update as new information is made available.

The City thanks all teams and stakeholders involved in ensuring this situation was managed safely.

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