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**Statement from the Coalition on Governor Dayton's
Deadline for Congressional Action**

"We thank Governor Dayton for his unequivocal support, and we understand the Governor's insistence that this project move forward now, because we share the same urgency. We have never been closer to getting this bridge built. The future of our region is too important; too much time and money have been invested, and too many jobs are on the line for us to not succeed.

We know that the strong bi-state and bi-partisan support for this project will help us meet Dayton's deadline of March 15 and will allow the St. Croix River Valley to celebrate an important victory and avoid another generation of gridlock, pollution, and public safety risks."

From Ken Harycki, Mayor of Stillwater and Co-chair of the Coalition for the St. Croix River Crossing

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Business, labor, government, and community leaders from Minnesota and Wisconsin who support building a new bridge that balances community needs and benefits the entire region