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**SAULTEAUX PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE LANDSCAPING AND DISPLAY PROJECT AT THE WDM
MOOSE JAW**

The WDM Moose Jaw in partnership with the Wakamow Valley Authority and Tourism Moose Jaw are thrilled to have the Thunder Creek Model Railroad Club working on a project to enhance the model of the Saulteaux Pedestrian Bridge.

Visitors to the Museum will be able to see the Thunder Creek Model Railroad Club hard at work over the next few months. The 1/20 scale model of the bridge was constructed to serve as a template when the actual construction took place in September 2016. The Club will be adding landscaping features of Paashkwow Park for the model.

“The WDM is thrilled to be part of this partnership and to help facilitate this project. We are proud of the work done by Thunder Creek Model Railroad Club and are pleased that visitors to the WDM will be able to witness the transformation of the bridge model,” said Kathy Fitton, Manager of the Western Development Museum - Moose Jaw.

Upon completion, the Saulteaux Pedestrian Bridge model will be permanently displayed at Tourism Moose Jaw.

“Tourism Moose Jaw is both honoured and excited to be the future home of the Salteaux Pedestrian Bridge scale model, thanks to the Wakamow Valley Authority, the Thunder Creek Model Railway Club and the Western Development Museum. With more than 30,000 visitors at the Information Centre each year, we know this work of art and science will be an excellent and useful tool to promote Moose Jaw as a whole, and Wakamow Valley as the truly hidden gem that it is,” said Jacki L’Heureux-Mason, Executive Director of Tourism Moose Jaw. “I am always so pleased when so many organizations can come together for a common goal, and we are so happy to be a part of this exciting project!”

“Similar to the partnership Wakamow Valley established with Trans Canada Trail and the Canadian Armed Forces 38 Combat Engineer Regiment, Wakamow Valley is pleased to partner with the Thunder Creek Model Railroad Club, Western Development Museum and Tourism Moose Jaw to enhance the model of the Saulteaux Pedestrian Bridge located in Wakamow Valley,” said Margaret Moran, CEO of Wakamow Valley Authority.

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