



## Notice to Navigation Interests



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NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS:

**HOLT LOCK & DAM**  
**BLACK WARRIOR/TOMBIGBEE RIVER, ALABAMA**

Notice is given to mariners that Holt Lock, BWT River mile 347, is currently closed due to a lock valve failure. The landside emptying valve, which regulates water levels in the chamber, has become stuck in the open position preventing the chamber from being filled for a lockage. Maintenance crews are currently making preparations to set bulkheads on the affected valve, so the lock can be operated on one emptying valve.

The lock will remain closed until further notice. Additional notices regarding the lock's status will be forthcoming as the situation changes.

All mariners should contact the lock or the BWT/ALA Rivers Project Management Office for the latest conditions and further information. The lock can be contacted on VHF channels 14 and 16, or at 205-553-1711. Also, please contact Mr. Anthony Perkins at the BWT/ALA Rivers Project Management Office, CESAM-OP-BA, at 205-752-3571.

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