



Notice to Navigation interests



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NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS:

TENNESSEE-TOMBIGBEE WATERWAY MISSISSIPPI

Notice is given to mariners, in response to the recent flood event, **there are a number of areas along the waterway with channel restrictions**, where the channel has shoaled to less than authorized dimensions.

The following areas have a restricted width and restricted depth channel:

- **Columbus Lake**
 - **Mile 357.0 (lower approach to Aberdeen Lock) – 140’ width available, 8’ draft at normal pool**
 - **Mile 352.5 – 140’ width available, 8’ draft at normal pool**

Corps floating plant is underway to these locations and will mark the available channel in both areas with buoys. Corps plant will begin digging operations at Mile 357 first before descending to Mile 352.5. It is anticipated to take 3 weeks to restore a 9’ depth at both locations. Channel width restrictions will take considerable more time to remedy.

Mariners should exercise caution when transiting these locations as the Corps fleet will be working within the channel.

For additional information, contact **Mr. Roger Wilson, Jr.** at the **Tennessee-Tombigbee Project Management Office (CESAM-OP-CO)** at **(662) 245-5486** or **(662) 574-7316**.

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