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TECHNICAL SUPPORT BRANCH

NAVIGATION BULLETIN NO. 20-78

NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS:

**PANAMA CITY HARBOR**

**PANAMA CITY, FLORIDA**

Notice is given to mariners that Mike Hooks, LLC’s dredge “E STROUD” is expected to begin dredging operations on or about 29 June 2020 in the Panama City Harbor in Panama City, Florida. Dredging will be performed in the Terminal Channel and Entrance Channel and dredging operations are expected to be completed in approximately five (5) months.

The dredged material from the Terminal Channel will be disposed into existing open water sites and dredged material from the Entrance Channel will be placed onto the beach of St. Andrews Park located west of the channel.

The dredge will utilize floating and submerged pipeline, in addition to a number of support vessels. All vessels will be lighted in accordance to U.S. Coast Guard Safety Regulations. The dredge plant can be contacted on VHF-FM Channels 13 and 16.

Mariners should exercise extreme caution when transiting this area.

For further information, please contact the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Panama City Site Office at (850) 784-9780.

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