



Notice to Navigation interests



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NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS:

LOWER TOMBIGBEE RIVER, ALABAMA
SUNFLOWER BAR, MILE 78

Notice is given to mariners that the river is closed until further notice. A number of commercial tows have reported grounding on the shoal and this is interfering with dredging operations. Due to the urgency of dredging a pilot channel, commercial traffic is being suspended to allow the dredge to expedite its work unimpeded.

Reference Navigation Bulletin 19-83 for information on the shoaling below Coffeerville.

Reference Navigation Bulletin 19-81 for information on the dredge COASTAL ROSE.

We are currently a dredging pilot channels through the Sunflower location. Once completed, it will be marked with buoys.

For further information please contact **Chad Brumelow** or **Anthony Perkins** at the **Black Warrior/Tombigbee & Alabama Rivers Project Management Office** at (205) 752-3571.

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