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NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

DATE: 09/29/2016

ATTN: CEMVS-DE 1222 SPRUCE STREET ST. LOUIS MO 63103-2833 HTTP://WWW.MVS.USACE.ARMY.MIL/

POC: Project Manager: Mike Rodgers, 314-331-8215

NOTICE NUMBER: 5443-7 LOCAL NUMBER: 15-14G WATERWAY: UPPER MISSISSIPPI

EFFECTIVE: 09/04/2016 00:00 thru Until Further Notice CST

ROCK REMOVAL DREDGING UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER, MILE 46 - 38

1. The long range forecast for the Mississippi River at Cape Girardeau indicates that river levels will not be below 15-feet before late-October 2016. Rock removal dredging can resume with the Cape Girardeau gage below 15-feet. We will continue to monitor the long range forecasts and provide updates as we receive them.

2. USACE contractor, Massman Construction, will be working with two separate floating plants, consisting of barge mounted excavators between miles 46 and 38 UMR.

3. Massman Construction will be working from 07:00 to 19:00 hours, 7 days a week.

4. USCG will organize test tows to determine safe passage requirements during working hours.

5. Safe passage arrangements can be made by calling Massman Construction's contact vessel, MV Keith Jacobsen, on VHF channel 13, prior to transiting the area.

6. For additional information regarding Rock Removal floating plant activity, please contact the Area Engineer, Jeff Derrick at 573-204-7770. For overall Project information, please contact Project Manager Mike Rodgers, 314-331-8215.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

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Andrew C. Schimpf, P.E. Rivers Project Manager