

## NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT ATTN: CEMVS-DE 1222 SPRUCE STREET ST. LOUIS MO 63103-2833 HTTP://WWW.MVS.USACE.ARMY.MIL/ **DATE:** 07/07/2020

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NOTICE NUMBER: 12102 LOCAL NUMBER: 20-10 WATERWAY: UPPER MISSISSIPPI

EFFECTIVE: 07/07/2020 07:00 thru Until Further Notice CST

## CHANNEL MAINTENANCE DREDGING USACE Dredge Potter Upper Mississippi River mile 0 - 300

- 1. Commencing on 7 July 2020 and continuing until further notice, the US Army Corps of Engineers Dredge Potter will perform channel maintenance dredging at various locations on the Upper Mississippi River from mile 0 to 300.0.
- 2. The Dredge Potter has departed the St. Louis District Service Base this morning and is in transit to its first assignment in Mel Price Pool at mile 221 UMR. Below is the anticipated schedule for work in Mel Price Pool.

UMR mile 221: 7-11 July
 UMR mile 223.5: 12-13 July
 UMR mile 236.5: 14 July
 UMR mile 241: 15-16 July

- 3. Surveys in Pool 25 and 24 are ongoing and additional dredging assignments will be scheduled.
- 4. The Dredge Potter and its attendant plant, to include tender boats, small boats, barges and pipeline, etc., work 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. When dredging, removed material is pumped through a pontoon pipeline or self-floating pipeline, which may be crossing the channel, and is placed outside of the navigation channel. Mariners should be on the lookout for tender boats, barges, small survey boats, and pipeline when transiting the dredge area.
- 5. The Dredge Potter may be contacted on VHF-FM radio channels 13 and 16. Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made with the Dredge Potter.

## FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

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