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WATERWAY: UPPER MISSISSIPPI

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**CHANNEL MAINTENANCE DREDGING - UPDATE 5 FEB 2021  
USACE Dredge Potter  
Upper Mississippi River mile 0 - 300**

1. Commencing on 7 February 2021 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's upcoming schedule is as follows:
  1. Grand Chain Light, (mile 42.3): 8 Feb 2020.
  2. Grays Point (mile 47.0 - 45.5): 9 - 16 Feb 2020, nightly river closure
  3. Flora Creek (mile 56.5): 16 - 18 Feb 2020.
3. Due to channel dimensions and for safety of the dredge and navigation traffic, a nightly river closure is required while working at Grays Point. Starting on 9 February, the river will be closed for dredging operations nightly from 1700 hours to 0700 hours, and ending at 0700 hours on 16 February. The river will be open from 0700 to 1700 during the day. This closure has been coordinated with RIAC and the USCG.
4. 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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