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**DATE:** 11/30/2016

**POC:** Project Manager: Josh  
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**NOTICE NUMBER:** 5443-12

**LOCAL NUMBER:** 15-14L  
**WATERWAY:** UPPER MISSISSIPPI

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

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**ROCK REMOVAL DREDGING UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER, MILE 46 - 38**

1. The Rock Removal start date has been delayed due to rising river stages and an unfavorable forecast. Rock Removal can begin once river stages reach 15-feet at Cape Girardeau Gage or below. 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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