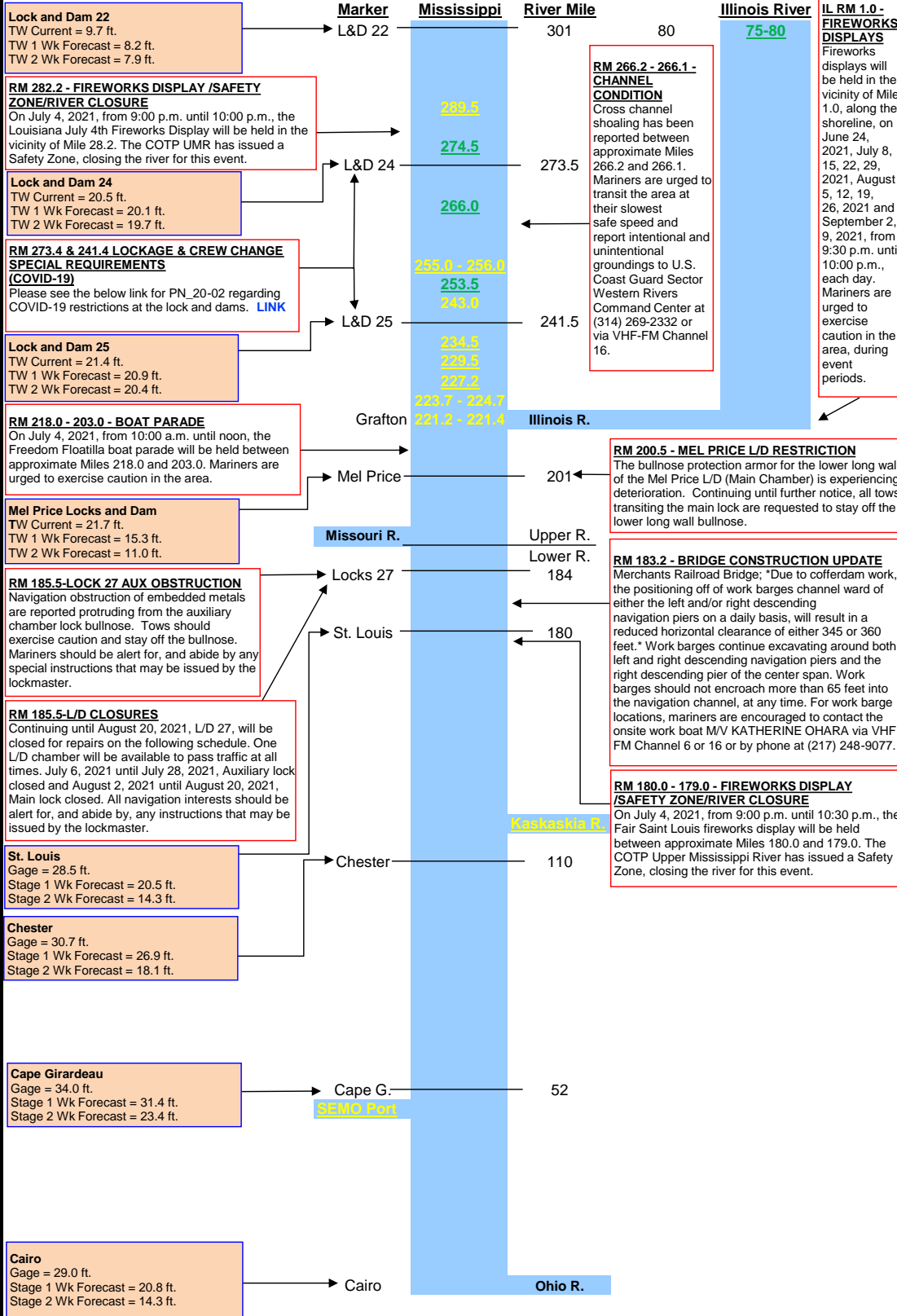




US Army Corps of Engineers
St. Louis District

Navigation Channel Condition Status Report - June 30, 2021



Dredge Status:

Dredge Potter: Mobilization on July 9th

Channel Marker Status:

Be aware that there may be other buoys off station/missing than the ones mentioned in this report. Mariners should use caution.

For ATON or Buoy issues please contact SUMRWaterways@uscg.mil or 319-520-8556.

Pathfinder: Docksides this week and next week

Additional Risks / Concerns

RM 200.5 - MEL PRICE L/D RESTRICTION
The bullnose protection armor for the lower long wall of the Mel Price L/D (Main Chamber) is experiencing deterioration. Continuing until further notice, all tows transiting the main lock are requested to stay off the lower long wall bullnose.

RM 183.2 - BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION UPDATE
Merchants Railroad Bridge: *Due to cofferdam work, the positioning off of work barges channel ward of either the left and/or right descending navigation piers on a daily basis, will result in a reduced horizontal clearance of either 345 or 360 feet.* Work barges continue excavating around both left and right descending navigation piers and the right descending pier of the center span. Work barges should not encroach more than 65 feet into the navigation channel, at any time. For work barge locations, mariners are encouraged to contact the onsite work boat M/V KATHERINE OHARA via VHF-FM Channel 6 or 16 or by phone at (217) 248-9077.

RM 180.0 - 179.0 - FIREWORKS DISPLAY /SAFETY ZONE/RIVER CLOSURE
On July 4, 2021, from 9:00 p.m. until 10:30 p.m., the Fair Saint Louis fireworks display will be held between approximate Miles 180.0 and 179.0. The COTP Upper Mississippi River has issued a Safety Zone, closing the river for this event.

Navigation Notices

Local Notice to Mariners

Weather

Highs from the high 70s to low 90s, lows from the low 60s to low 70s. Chance of showers and thunderstorms through Thursday.

Web Information

For additional River Training Structure information, see the links below:

Current Construction
Recently Completed Construction

For open Regulatory Public Notices, See the link below:

Regulatory Public Notices

For the most recent channel patrol and pre or post dredge surveys, see the links below:

Channel Patrol Surveys
Dredge Surveys

Electronic Navigation charts for the Upper Mississippi River are available online for download or to order at the below link:

Electronic Charts

More Status Reports
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Key:		Probable Dredge Areas				
		River Mile	Problematic On:	Dredge ETA	Dredge Complete	Dredge
⊕	Current Construction Location	221.2	28+ Days	9-Jul	12-Jul	Potter
◆	Anticipated Dredging Locations	221.4	28+ Days	13-Jul	13-Jul	Potter
☆	Groundings	223.7	28+ Days	14-Jul	17-Jul	Potter
△	Dredge Potter	224.7	28+ Days	18-Jul	21-Jul	Potter
▽	Dredge Goetz	227.2	28+ Days	22-Jul	25-Jul	Potter
⊞	Mechanical	229.0	28+ Days	26-Jul	26-Jul	Potter
⊞	Dredge Bill	234.5	28+ Days	27-Jul	27-Jul	Potter
⊞	Holman	243.0	28+ Days	28-Jul	31-Jul	Potter

Very Likely to be Problematic at Low Water
Could be Problematic at Low Water
Problem Resolved/Not Problematic

Please email comments or suggestions to dawn.lamm@usace.army.mil