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2001-24a

MEMORANDUM FOR: **NAVIGATION INTERESTS**
 GULF INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY
 BRAZOS RIVER FLOODGATES, TEXAS
 --UPDATE, CLOSURE LIMITS--

SITUATION: NAVIGATIONAL RESTRICTIONS

The dredge “**J.N. Fisher**” (KINGFISHER MARINE) will be dredging in the Brazos River Crossing, and in the GIWW, east of the floodgates. This work may require the closure of the locks for periods of up to & **12** hours, as necessary. Closures will begin when the dredge will be obstructing traffic, and will not exceed & **12** hrs., then the channel will be re-opened for traffic until cleared.

TIME: 19 November, 2001 to 20 December, 2001.
Dredge will be operating 24 hrs./day. Work will be performed on weekends or holidays.

COOPERATION
SOLICITED:

Mariners should contact the Lock Master at (979) 233-1251 to confirm the closure time so as to minimize their delay. The Lock Master will be knowledgeable of the exact closure times 24 hrs in advance of closure. Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made.

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