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Reference Notice
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MEMORANDUM FOR NAVIGATION INTERESTS

SUBJECT: Forecast of Dredging and Marine Construction - **Most Recent Update(s) Highlighted****SABINE NECHES WATERWAY - PORT ARTHUR CANAL, JUNTION AREA,
TURNING BASIN, AND SABINE RIVER, TEXAS**

“Dredge Leonard J” (Manson Construction, Co.) is dredging the Taylor Bayou Connecting Channel. Dredging material will be disposed into Placement Area No.8 on the east side of the channel.

**HOUSTON GALVESTON NAVIGATION CHANNEL, TEXAS – PLACEMENT AREAS NOS. 14
AND 15 EXPANSION WITH DREDGING BAYPORT TO MORGAN POINT, IN HARRIS AND
CHAMBERS COUNTIES, TEXAS**

Weeks Marine is continuing with construction of levee and shore protection on the east side of Atkinson Island.

**BAYPORT SHIP CHANNEL, TEXAS – MAIN CHANNEL AND TURNING BASIN, HARRIS
AND CHAMBERS COUNTIES, TEXAS**

Dredge Waymon Boyd (Orion Marine Group) is dredging Bayport Ship Channel near the Shore Acres shoreline. All dredged material is being placed in Placement Area No. 15. A submerged pipeline crosses the Houston Ship Channel near Bayport.

**GULF INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY, TEXAS – SAN BERNARD TO UPPER MATAGORDA
BAY, IN BRAZORIA AND MATAGORDA COUNTIES, TEXAS**

RLB's Dredge "Jonathon King Boyd" is on the project site.

EMERGENCY REPAIRS GULF COAST JETTIES AND TEXAS CITY DIKE, TEXAS

Luhr Brothers is performing revetment work on the Brazos Island Harbor North and South Jetties with equipment mounted on a spud barge and attendant plant. The barge and associated equipment will be located outside the channel and work will be performed during daylight hours.

**CORPUS CHRISTI SHIP CHANNEL TEXAS, CORPUS CHRISTI SHIP CHANNEL
CHANNEL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT IN LAQUINTA CHANNEL EXTENSION, IN
NUECES COUNTY, TEXAS**

The Contractor (ORION Marine Construction Inc) The Cutterhead Dredges “Linda LaQuay” and "John C. LaQuay" are on site. Dredging operations are ongoing extending from the end of the LaQuinta Turning Basin and continuing in a westerly direction. Contractor’s related floating plant including submerged and floating pipeline for dredging extend to both Beneficial Use Site No. 6 and PA 13.

**GULF INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY TEXAS, GULF INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY
ARANSAS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE BUS "B" BREAKWATER CONSTRUCTION
CALHOUN COUNTY, TEXAS**

The Contractor (Apollo Environmental Strategies, Inc.), will commence construction in early part of July 2013 of the Stone Breakwater adjacent to the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway at Mile Marker 500 near the west end of San Antonio Bay. Contractor will be using Barges to transport Rock to this area.

- » *Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made.*
- » *Dredging operations are continuous, 24 hrs, 7 days, unless otherwise noted.*
- » *Dredging operations will continue through the month unless otherwise indicated.*
- » *Dredges monitor channel 13 and/or 16 on marine VHF radio, respective dredges should be contacted for coordination of passing and movement near operations.*

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