



Marine Safety Information Bulletin

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UPPER DELAWARE RIVER MAINTENANCE DREDGING

The Captain of the Port, Delaware Bay, is notifying mariners of maintenance dredging projects that are scheduled to occur in the upper Delaware River beginning September , 2020, through February 1, 2021. These dredging operations will take place between Riverview Channel and Newbold Channel located on Navigational Chart 12314.

Dredging operations will be conducted by the dredge SEVENSON and the dredge BERING SEA.

Dredge BERING SEA will begin work on the red side of the channel at the northern limit of Church Channel and work downstream into Riverview Range. Upon completion of the initial work assignment, dredge BERING SEA will be moved to the northern limit of Kinkora Range and continue to work upriver into Newbold Range.

Dredge SEVENSON will begin work in the northern part of Florence Range and work upriver into Kinkora Range.

At least 1 hour prior to arrival, vessels transiting the area are requested to make contact with the appropriate dredge, as well as make satisfactory passing arrangements in accordance with the Navigational Rules in 22 Code of Federal Regulations Subchapter E via VHF-FM channel 16.

If there are any questions regarding the contents of this bulletin or expectations of the Captain of the Port, please contact (215) 271-4807.

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