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NAVIGATION BULLETIN NO. 25-66

MISSISSIPPI RIVER
AND SOUTHWEST PASS (UPDATE)

Reference Navigation Bulletin No. 25-32, dated 9 April 2025, stating that the U.S. Government Contract Hopper Dredge NEWPORT will be working in Southwest Pass from Head of Passes (mile 0) to approximately mile 22 Below Head of Passes (BHP), and in the Mississippi River from Head of Passes to approximately mile 13 Above Head of Passes (AHP) through approximately 15 June 2025.

MARINERS ARE ADVISED THAT THE DREDGING OPERATIONS HAVE BEEN EXTENDED THROUGH APPROXIMATELY 30 JULY 2025.

The Dredge will work 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and can be contacted on either VHF marine channel 67 or 16 for passing instructions.

Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made.

The point of contact with the New Orleans District is Heather Jennings at (504) 862-1253.

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