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NAVIGATION BULLETIN NO. 25-70

GULF INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY
ALGIERS LOCK (UPDATE)

Reference Navigation Bulletin No. 25-38, dated 21 April 2025, stating that the guidewall and dolphin construction by a U.S. Government Contractor at Algiers Lock has been postponed until further notice due to high river stages on the Mississippi River.

MARINERS ARE ADVISED THAT THE GUIDEWALL AND DOLPHIN CONSTRUCTION BY A U.S. GOVERNMENT CONTRACTOR AT ALGIERS LOCK WILL RESUME ON MONDAY, 21 JULY 2025.

ALGIERS LOCK WILL HAVE DAYTIME CLOSURES FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M., EACH DAY, MONDAYS THROUGH SATURDAYS, BEGINNING 21 JULY 2025 AND CONTINUING UNTIL 11 AUGUST 2025, TO COMPLETE THE RIVER END GUIDEWALL AND DOLPHIN CONSTRUCTION.

TOW RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE FOR BOTH DIRECTIONS AT ALGIERS LOCK TO A MAXIMUM WIDTH OF 54 FEET AND A MAXIMUM LENGTH OF 700 FEET, OR A MAXIMUM WIDTH OF 70 FEET AND A MAXIMUM LENGTH OF 600 FEET (REF. NAVIGATION BULLETIN NO. 20-197).

The Lockmaster at Algiers Lock, David A. Smith, can be reached at 504-354-1795 for up-to-date information (lockwall number is 504-354-1861).

The points of contact with the New Orleans District are Robert Swayze at 504-862-2060, Jesse Adams at 504-862-1061, and Brandon Keck at 504-862-2630.

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