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Safety Zone – Grosse Tête Swing Bridge Closure MM 45 – MM 47 PORT ALLEN-MORGAN CITY ALTERNATE ROUTE – Update 1

** Update** The 10-hour closure for Grosse Tete bridge testing has been rescheduled from September 12th, 2024, to September 18th, 2024, due to the impending TS FRANCINE.

- 1. The Captain of the Port New Orleans is establishing a safety zone for the waters of the Port Allen Morgan City Alternate Route. Mariners are advised that MM 45 MM 47 on the Port Allen alternate route will be closed to all marine traffic on September 18th from 7:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. for bridge repairs and testing.
- 2. Vessels are not to enter the closed area without approval from the Captain of the Port New Orleans.

For additional information, contact the following:

Gross Tete Swing Bridge: (225) 659-1487 or VHF CH. 13

Coast Guard Sector New Orleans Command Center: (504) 365-2200

Coast Guard MSU Baton Rouge Waterways Management: (225) 298-5400 x230

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