



MISSISSIPPI RIVER MAINTENANCE FORUM

CONFERENCE CALL (WEBEX) MEETING ONLY

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Meeting Agenda

December 4, 2024

1. Introductions - Michelle Kornick
2. Southeast Waterways - Jane Brown
3. Mississippi River Conditions Update - Michelle Kornick
4. Neptune Pass Update
5. Next Meeting - Wednesday, January 8, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.



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MISSISSIPPI RIVER UPDATE

December 4, 2024

LATEST STAGES

New Orleans = 3.0' Baton Rouge = 9.4'

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1. CROSSINGS BETWEEN BATON ROUGE & NEW ORLEANS:

Location of dustpan/hopper dredges:

Dredge	Current	Next Week	EDC
Wallace McGeorge	Sardine	Wilkerson	TBD

2. NEW ORLEANS HARBOR:

Location of cutterhead dredges: None

Dredge	Current	Next Week	EDC
a. NO Harbor Cutterhead #2-23: 23B0027 – Bid Opening held 7/2/2024. Awarded to Weeks Marine, dredge Captain Frank worked from 8/4/2024 - 8/29/2024 and dredge JS Chatry from 10/10/2024 – 10/14/2024.			

3. SOUTHWEST PASS (SWP):

Location of hopper/cutterhead dredges: None

Dredge	Current	Next Week	EDC
a. SWP Hopper #2-23: 23C0028 - 2024 Early Award #1 –Awarded to Manson Construction, dredge Glenn Edwards worked from 3/4/2024 – 8/1/2024. Dredge is temporarily released until next highwater season.			
b. SWP Hopper #2-24: 24C0027 –Bid Opening held 8/20/2024, awarded to Manson Construction, dredge Newport. Dredge worked in the deep draft crossings from 8/30/2024 – 10/2/2024. Dredge is temporarily released until next highwater season.			

2025 Early Award Dredging:

c. SWP Hopper #1-24: 24B0011 – 2025 Early Award #1 – Bid Opening held 7/11/2024, awarded to Manson Construction, dredge Glenn Edwards. Dredge arrival February 2025.

d. Gulf Coast Regional Hopper: 24B0036 – 2025 Early Award #2 – Bid Opening held 8/15/2024, awarded to Manson Construction, dredge Newport. Dredge arrival March 2025.

5. HEAD OF PASSES, HOPPER DREDGE DISPOSAL AREA (HDDA):

Dredge	Current	Next Week	EDC
<i>RS Weeks</i>	<i>HDDA</i>	<i>HDDA</i>	<i>TBD</i>

a. HDDA Dredging 2024 (24C0030): Bid opening held 8/28/2024. Awarded to Weeks Marine, dredge RS Weeks. Dredging commenced on 11/25/2024.

6. SOUTH PASS AND SOUTHWEST PASS STONE FORESHORE & JETTY REPAIRS:

a. SWP and South Pass Stone Repairs FY23: Contract awarded to Pine Bluff Sand & Gravel. Estimated completion is late Dec 2024 pending no weather delays.

South Pass Jetties: Task Order #4, currently working West Jetty mile 13.5.

SWP Foreshore & Jetties: Task Order #3, 95% complete on the foreshore dike repairs. Jetties are complete.

7. SOUTH PASS:

a. South Pass Dredging: Dredging completed in Feb 2022.

8. BAPTISTE COLLETTE:

a. Baptiste Collette #24-1(with Tiger Pass Phase 1): Bid Opening held 8/27/2024. Awarded to Manson Construction. Estimated start Jan 2025.

9. TIGER PASS:

a. Tiger Pass Phase 1(with Baptiste Collette): Bid Opening held 8/27/2024. Awarded to Manson Construction.

For updated channel survey data visit the New Orleans District website:

<http://www.mvn.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/ChannelSurveys.aspx>

Note: Everything in this report is subject to change.



Extended Streamflow Prediction

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EXTENDED STREAMFLOW PREDICTION
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE RIVER FORECAST CENTER, SLIDELL, LA
1559 PM GMT TUE DEC 03 2024

DATE	CPGM7	CIRI2	HMK2	NMDM7	TPTM7	CRTM7	OSGA4	MENT1	MHOM6	HEEA4
12-04-24	11.4	15.6	7.9	4.6	8.9	8.0	0.4	-0.3	-1.4	6.8
12-05-24	10.5	13.8	6.9	3.7	8.1	7.3	0.1	-0.3	-1.5	7.0
12-06-24	9.9	12.3	5.7	2.4	6.8	6.4	-0.8	-0.8	-1.8	6.8
12-07-24	9.4	11.3	5.2	1.8	6.1	5.4	-2.1	-1.7	-2.5	6.5
12-08-24	9.0	10.9	4.8	1.4	5.7	4.9	-2.8	-2.7	-3.2	5.8
12-09-24	8.5	10.7	4.5	1.1	5.4	4.5	-3.2	-3.2	-3.7	5.2
12-10-24	8.0	10.5	4.2	0.9	5.2	4.3	-3.3	-3.5	-4.1	4.8
12-11-24	7.7	10.4	4.0	0.8	5.0	4.1	-3.4	-3.7	-4.3	4.5
12-12-24	7.4	10.2	3.8	0.6	4.9	4.0	-3.5	-3.8	-4.6	4.4
12-13-24	7.2	10.0	3.7	0.5	4.8	3.9	-3.6	-3.9	-4.7	4.2
12-14-24	7.2	9.9	3.6	0.4	4.7	3.8	-3.7	-4.0	-4.7	4.1
12-15-24	7.2	9.8	3.5	0.3	4.6	3.7	-3.8	-4.1	-4.8	4.1
12-16-24	7.3	9.8	3.3	0.2	4.5	3.6	-3.9	-4.2	-4.9	4.0
12-17-24	7.2	9.7	3.2	0.1	4.4	3.5	-4.0	-4.3	-5.0	3.9
12-18-24	7.1	9.7	3.1	0.0	4.3	3.3	-4.1	-4.3	-5.0	3.9
12-19-24	6.9	9.6	3.0	-0.2	4.2	3.2	-4.2	-4.4	-5.1	3.8
12-20-24	6.7	9.6	2.9	-0.3	4.1	3.1	-4.3	-4.5	-5.2	3.7
12-21-24	6.5	9.5	2.8	-0.4	4.0	3.1	-4.4	-4.6	-5.2	3.7
12-22-24	6.3	9.5	2.7	-0.5	3.9	3.0	-4.6	-4.7	-5.3	3.6
12-23-24	6.1	9.4	2.6	-0.6	3.7	2.8	-4.7	-4.8	-5.4	3.5
12-24-24	6.1	9.4	2.4	-0.7	3.6	2.7	-4.8	-4.9	-5.5	3.5
12-25-24	5.9	9.3	2.3	-0.8	3.5	2.6	-4.9	-5.0	-5.5	3.4
12-26-24	5.9	9.3	2.2	-1.0	3.4	2.5	-5.0	-5.1	-5.6	3.3
12-27-24	5.8	9.2	2.0	-1.0	3.4	2.4	-5.1	-5.2	-5.7	3.2
12-28-24	5.7	9.2	1.9	-1.1	3.3	2.3	-5.2	-5.2	-5.8	3.2
12-29-24	5.6	9.1	1.8	-1.3	3.2	2.2	-5.3	-5.3	-5.8	3.1
12-30-24	5.6	9.1	1.6	-1.4	3.1	2.1	-5.4	-5.4	-5.9	3.1
12-31-24	5.5	9.0	1.5	-1.5	3.0	2.0	-5.5	-5.5	-6.0	3.0

DATE	ARSA4	GEE6	VCKM6	NTZM6	RRLL1	BTRL1	DONL1	RRVL1	NORL1
12-04-24	6.5	16.4	11.6	19.5	23.0	9.3	5.3	4.4	3.0
12-05-24	6.7	16.7	11.6	19.3	22.8	9.1	5.2	4.1	3.1
12-06-24	6.9	16.9	11.9	19.3	22.7	9.0	4.9	3.8	3.2
12-07-24	6.8	17.0	12.1	19.5	22.7	8.9	4.8	3.8	3.2
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12-09-24	6.4	16.6	12.0	19.8	23.1	9.2	4.9	3.7	3.1
12-10-24	6.3	16.3	11.8	19.7	23.2	9.2	5.0	3.8	3.1
12-11-24	6.1	16.1	11.6	19.5	23.1	9.2	5.1	3.8	3.1
12-12-24	6.0	15.9	11.4	19.3	22.7	9.0	5.0	3.8	3.2
12-13-24	5.9	15.7	11.2	19.1	22.4	8.7	4.8	3.7	3.1
12-14-24	5.8	15.6	11.1	18.9	22.3	8.5	4.5	3.6	3.0
12-15-24	5.7	15.6	11.1	18.8	22.1	8.3	4.3	3.4	2.9
12-16-24	5.7	15.6	11.0	18.8	22.0	8.2	4.1	3.2	2.8
12-17-24	5.6	15.5	11.0	18.7	22.0	8.1	4.0	3.1	2.6
12-18-24	5.6	15.5	10.9	18.7	21.9	8.1	3.9	3.0	2.6
12-19-24	5.5	15.5	10.9	18.7	21.9	8.0	3.8	2.9	2.5
12-20-24	5.5	15.4	10.9	18.7	21.9	8.0	3.7	2.8	2.4
12-21-24	5.4	15.4	10.8	18.7	21.8	7.9	3.6	2.6	2.3
12-22-24	5.4	15.3	10.8	18.6	21.8	7.9	3.6	2.5	2.2
12-23-24	5.3	15.3	10.8	18.6	21.8	7.8	3.5	2.4	2.1
12-24-24	5.3	15.3	10.7	18.6	21.7	7.8	3.4	2.3	2.1
12-25-24	5.2	15.2	10.7	18.6	21.7	7.7	3.4	2.2	2.0
12-26-24	5.2	15.2	10.7	18.6	21.7	7.7	3.3	2.1	1.9
12-27-24	5.2	15.1	10.6	18.5	21.6	7.7	3.3	2.0	1.8
12-28-24	5.1	15.1	10.6	18.5	21.6	7.6	3.2	1.8	1.7
12-29-24	5.1	15.1	10.6	18.5	21.6	7.6	3.1	1.7	1.6
12-30-24	5.0	15.0	10.5	18.5	21.5	7.5	3.1	1.6	1.6
12-31-24	5.0	15.0	10.5	18.5	21.5	7.5	3.0	1.5	1.5

NOTE: STAGE FORECASTS ARE BASED ON FUTURE RAINFALL COVERING THE NEXT 48 HOURS.

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MISSISSIPPI RIVER

3-Dec-2024

45' DEEP DRAFT CROSSINGS

(Raw Water Depths at the time of survey)

CROSSING NAME	MILEAGE	LWRP	DATE 2024	250 LDB	125 LDB	CENTERLINE	125 RDB	250 RDB	SHAPE	PROJECT DEPTH	DREDGE
Upper Baton Rouge	232.5	2.6	19-Nov	52.0	50.0	49.5	48.0	48.0	XXXX	51.4	--
Baton Rouge	231.0	2.6	19-Nov	56.5 J K	57.5 J	58.0 J K	59.0 J	54.5 J K	XXXX	56.4	--
Red Eye	224.0	2.4	19-Nov	56.5 G	61.0 D	61.0 D	60.5 C	59.5 B C	60.5	56.1	--
Sardine Point	219.3	2.3	18-Nov	55.5	59.0	57.5	58.5	58.0	58.0	55.5	McGEORGE
Medora	212.0	2.1	18-Nov	57.5 A B	58.5 A B	58.5 C D	58.5 C D	58.5 D	58.0	54.8	--
Granada	204.3	1.9	18-Nov	55.5 A B	57.0 G H	57.0 G	56.5 F G	56.5 F	59.0	54.0	--
Bayou Goula	197.8	1.8	21-Nov	58.5 F G	58.0 I	58.0 H I	59.0 D	54.0 F G	58.0	53.8	--
Alhambra	190.5	1.7	21-Nov	57.0 G	56.5 G	57.5 G	57.0 G	57.0 H	60.0	53.1	--
Philadelphia	183.0	1.5	21-Nov	56.5 F G	57.5 H I	57.5 G	56.5 H I	56.5 H I	57.5	52.4	--
Smoke Bend	174.2	1.4	31-Oct	51.5	53.5	54.0	54.0	53.5	XXXX	51.3	--
Rich Bend	158.5	1.2	20-Nov	59.0	60.5	63.5	64.5	64.5	XXXX	55.9	--
Belmont	154.0	1.2	20-Nov	57.0	59.0	59.0	58.0	58.5	XXXX	55.6	--
Fairview	115.7	0.7	2-Dec	60.0	59.0	58.0	56.5	52.0	XXXX	51.1	--

An asterisk (*) indicates survey data was incomplete or off-line due to dredging operations. Shallower depths may exist in areas not adequately surveyed. See plotted survey on our "Mississippi River Crossings - Full and Profiles Only" webpage for more detailed depth information.

NAVD GAUGE	MILEAGE	LWRP	DATE								
			31-Oct	18-Nov	19-Nov	20-Nov	21-Nov	2-Dec			
Baton Rouge	228.4	2.5	4.3	13.9	14.0	14.5	14.2	9.2			
Donaldsonville	173.6	1.4	2.7	7.1	8.0	7.9	7.8	4.2			
Reserve	138.7	1.0	2.3	5.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	2.8			
New Orleans	102.8	0.6	1.6	3.1	4.0	3.7	4.0	1.2			

"LDB" and "RDB" = left and right descending banks, respectively.

For additional survey data, visit our Navigation Condition Survey website at <http://www.mvn.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/ChannelSurveys.aspx>

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