



US Army Corps  
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Pittsburgh District

# Notice to Navigation Interests

In reply refer to  
Notice No. below

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Date: March 14, 2012

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Dam Warning Buoys  
Allegheny, Monongahela, and Ohio Rivers

1. **TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:** Notice is given that effective the week of April 01, 2012, the "KEEP OUT - DAM" buoys will begin being placed above and below the navigation dams on the Allegheny, Monongahela, and Ohio Rivers in the Pittsburgh District. We will install the full complement of buoys as soon as river conditions permit, after this date. We have consulted with Water Management and the river conditions should be conducive to placing buoys at this time.
2. The river area between the dam and the warning buoys/signs is considered a "**RESTRICTED AREA**" and no vessels or floating craft shall enter restricted areas at any time. Violators may be cited and fined by state and federal officials.
3. Recreational boaters are cautioned that these buoys and signs are for their own protection. Boaters should always approach the locks, especially when proceeding downstream, with **extreme** care. Since the buoys may move off station during high flow conditions, boaters are urged to consult the Navigation Charts to be absolutely sure of their landmarks when approaching the locks and dams. Remember, all vessels are encouraged to carry Navigation Charts on board and post a proper lookout while underway on the rivers.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

//Signed//  
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