



US Army Corps
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Pittsburgh District

Notice to Navigation Interests

In reply refer to
Notice No. below

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Notice No. 12-33

Date: August 6, 2012

Demolition of Span 24, 25, and 26 of the 31st Street Bridge Allegheny River, back channel, River Mile 2.5

1. **To All Whom It May Concern:** Notice is given that Trumbull Corporation employed by the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation will be demolishing three spans of the 31st Street Bridge at Herra Island over the back channel of the Allegheny River at river mile 2.5. The work is scheduled to begin on Monday, August 13, 2012 and be completed by Friday, August 17, 2012. As part of this demolition effort, blasting is scheduled to occur on August 16, 2012, at approximately 1000 hours.
2. A tow boat and floating crane will be operating in the back channel during this period to remove the sections of the bridge that will be dropped into the backchannel and on adjacent shorelines.
3. Commercial navigation in the main channel will not be interrupted. Minor impacts to recreation traffic in the back channel may occur during this time. Mariners should monitor radio frequency channel 12 while transiting in the vicinity of the construction site.
4. Navigators, please note the contractor will continue to work within the area Monday through Friday, 0700 to 1700 hours, beginning August 20, 2012 and ending December 2012.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

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