Seasonal Lock Closings and Schedule of Operations for Allegheny River

Navigation Notice #12-40, dated September 20, 2012 has been revised. The lock hours for Lock 5, Allegheny are shown below in paragraph 1.b.

1. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is given for seasonal lock closings and schedule of lock operation for the Allegheny River, as follows:

   a. Lock 2, C.W. Bill Young Lock (formerly Lock 3), and Lock 4, Allegheny River will continue to operate daily from 8:00 A.M. till 12:00 Midnight.

   b. Lock 5, Allegheny River will be open Monday thru Friday from 7:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. beginning October 29 thru March 2013. It is anticipated that Lock 5 will return to their normal operating schedule when dredging operations resumes in the spring of 2013.

   c. Locks 6 and 7 Allegheny River will be closed for the season effective 30 September 2012, except for commercial appointment lockages.

   d. Locks 8 and 9 Allegheny River will remain closed, except for commercial appointment lockages.

2. Commercial operators desiring appointment lockages at any of the closed locks must make arrangements at least 24 hours in advance by calling one of the following offices between the hours of 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday:

   Locks 5, 6, 7, 8, & 9, Allegheny River at 724-295-3775

   Lock 2, C.W. Bill Young, and Lock 4, Allegheny River at 412-661-2217

   Locks and Dams Area Office at 412-395-7650.
3. Commercial operators who require double lockages through Locks 2 and CW Bill Young will be required to provide, at a minimum, 24 hours advance notice of their arrival, so that we can assure adequate lock staffing.

4. Because of limited staffing, no lockages will be made between 12:00 Midnight and 8:00 A.M. No appointments will be accepted for lockages that would occur during this 8 hour period.

5. This notice will be updated, as required. Impending changes will be addressed in a future Navigation Notice.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

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