

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY PITTSBURGH DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS WILLIAM S. MOORHEAD FEDERAL BUILDING 1000 LIBERTY AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15222-4186

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MEMORANDUM FROM: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh District, Operations Division, William S. Moorhead Federal Building, 1000 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4020

FOR: Waterways Association of Pittsburgh, P.O. Box 534, Lyndora, PA 15045

SUBJECT: Items of Interest to Navigation, August 13, 2014

1. LOCK CLOSURES AND DELAYS

Ohio River

- Dashields L/D The USACE Repair Fleet mobilized to conduct phase 2 work of the lock closure system in the primary 110-ft x 600-ft land lock chamber on 11 August 2014. The chamber is expected to be out of service until 19 September 2014 (33 days). Reference Navigation Notice 14-17.
- Montgomery L/D The USACE Repair Fleet (Huntington District) is scheduled to begin downstream miter gate repairs in the primary 110-ft x 600-ft river lock chamber on 18 August 2014. The chamber is expected to be out of service until 05 September 2014 (18 days). Reference Navigation Notice 14-18.

Monongahela River

 Maxwell L/D - The river lock chamber at Maxwell L/D is out of service until further notice. This unscheduled lock closure is the result of a navigation accident that happened early Thursday morning on October 31, 2013.
 Reference: Navigation Notice 13-43.

Allegheny River

• L/D 5 – Resumed LoS 2 operations beginning the week of 11 August 2014. Service will be 2 shifts, 7 days per week, available from the hours of 0700 thru 2300. Reference: Navigation Notice 14-31 (Rev 1).



2. OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

- Dane P. Summerville has been selected as Supervisory Operations Specialist for the Allegheny River. He will assume the duties of the position effective 10 August 2014.
- LTC Gerald Dull assumed the duties of Deputy Commander effective 28 July 2014
- HQUSACE "listening sessions" on the WRRDA of 2014 begin today at 1400
- LRD Regional Command Council (RCC) will meet in Pittsburgh on 21 and 22 August 2014 and will tour the work at Montgomery on the 21st.
- The new IMTS Levels of Staffing OPORDER has been released and is expected to take effect by the end of the year.

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