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NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

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POC: NWW Operations Division, (509) 527-7115 or (509) 527-7112.

NOTICE NUMBER: 6323-1 LOCAL NUMBER: 16-12 WATERWAY: COLUMBIA RIVER SNAKE RIVER

EFFECTIVE: 05/15/2016 00:01 thru 09/15/2016 23:59 PDT

ADDITION OF SNAKE RIVER WATERWAY TO NAV NOTICE NAV NOTICE: 6323 LOCAL NUMBER: 16-12

2016 Summer Lockage Schedule for Recreational Vessels on the Snake and Columbia Rivers

The Walla Walla District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, is implementing the 2016 summer lockage schedule for the passage of recreational vessels through the following navigation locks:

- McNary Dam, Columbia River Mile 292
- Ice Harbor Dam, Snake River Mile 9.7
- Lower Monumental Dam, Snake River Mile 41.6
- Little Goose Dam, Snake River Mile 70.3
- Lower Granite Dam, Snake River Mile 107.5

Accordingly, the following annual recreational craft lockage schedule will be implemented beginning May 15, 2016.

Annual Seasonal Recreational Lockage Schedule

For the Period May 15 Through September 15							
Direction	McNary	Ice Harbor	Lower Monumental	Little Goose	Lower Granite		
Upstream	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.		
•	12:01 p.m.	12:01 p.m.	12:01 p.m.	12:01 p.m.	12:01 p.m.		
	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.		
	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.		
	9:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.		
Downstream	9:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.		
	12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.		
	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.		
	6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.		
	9:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.		

The Corps will consider special lockages, outside the above scheduled lockage times, for flotillas or other unique requirements sponsored by yacht clubs, marinas, and other groups, provided advance (at least 24-hours) arrangements have been made with the appropriate control room operator. Contact the following control room operators via VHF-FM Channel 14 or commercial telephone for scheduling of special lockages:

Lock	River Mile	Call Sign	Commercial Telephone
McNary Lock and Dam	Columbia River Mile 292	WUJ 41	541-922-2231
Ice Harbor Lock and Dam	Snake River Mile 9.7	WUJ 42	509-543-3253 x231
Lower Monumental Lock and Dam	Snake River Mile 41.6	WUJ 43	509-282-7231
Little Goose Lock and Dam	Snake River Mile 70.3	WUJ 44	509-399-2233 x231
Lower Granite Lock and Dam	Snake River Mile 107.5	WUJ 45	509-843-1493 x231

When a recreational vessel lockage schedule is in effect, recreational vessels will only be allowed to lock through at the times designated for such lockages and they will take precedence over commercial vessels. Commercial vessels will continue to be locked through upon arrival except during the times specified for recreational vessel lockages. At the discretion of the lock operator, recreational vessels may be allowed to lock through with commercial craft.

Everyone in the vessel must be wearing a personal floatation device throughout the duration of the lockage. All vessel owner/operators lock through at their own risk and must follow the directions of the lock operator when using the locks or operating in the vicinity of the locks. The lock operator has final authority on the suitability of a craft for lockage. Please refer to U.S. Corps of Engineers Safe Lockage Policy for Recreational Craft on the Columbia and Snake Rivers, published separately, for additional safety requirements.

For additional information on this matter or copies of our Safe Lockage policy, please call Operations Division, at (509) 527-7115 or (509) 527-7112.

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