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## **McNary Navigation Lock has two-hour closure September 13**

WALLA WALLA, Wash. – The Corps of Engineers Walla Walla District announced a two-hour closing of McNary Navigation Lock on September 13, from approximately 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Divers will be in the water during that time to remove instruments placed last Spring for Temporary Spillway Weir testing.

Persons navigating the Columbia River should contact the McNary Dam control room at (541) 922-2231 to determine the exact status of the lockage delay.

Boaters should refer to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Safe Lockage Policy for Recreational Craft on the Columbia and Snake Rivers for safety requirements, including mandatory use of personal floatation devices (PFDs). Public Notices, the Safe Lockage policy and other Walla Walla District navigation lock information are available on the Internet at [www.nww.usace.army.mil/html/offices/op/t/navdata/default.html](http://www.nww.usace.army.mil/html/offices/op/t/navdata/default.html) .

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