



# Notice to Navigation Interests

**US Army Corps  
of Engineers**

Huntington District

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## EMERGENCY MAINTENANCE

### BELLEVILLE LOCK AND DAM PROJECT POOL AREA

#### OHIO RIVER, MILE 161.7 THRU 203.9

Due to barge salvage operations at Belleville Locks and Dam, and the resultant loss of pool, locking is stopped through Belleville Locks (River Mile 203.9) and Willow Island Locks (River Mile 161.7).

During this time, emergency permits are being issued for maintenance dredging of water intakes and several other operations relating to the loss of pool.

The U. S. Army Corps of Engineers will resume locking through Belleville and Willow Island Locks as soon as the pool has returned to a safe elevation for navigation. Once locking operations are resumed, mariners are urged to be aware that maintenance activities may be on going at several locations, and transit at their slowest safe speed and proceed with extreme caution. Mariners are urged to check with lock personnel for other hazards to navigation in the Belleville pool.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Arlie D. Bishop".

ARLIE D. BISHOP

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