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CORE BORING

OHIO RIVER MILE 316.4 AND BIG SANDY RIVER MILE 3.2

Notice is given that on or about 12 August 2013, Amherst Madison Inc. will commence core drilling operations on the Ohio River, mile 316.4, along the left descending bank. Then on or about 14 August, the floating plant will move to the Big Sandy River, mile 3.2, to conduct core borings along the left descending bank.

The contractor's floating plant will consist of M/V LADY LOIS and one barge mounted crane. The M/V LADY LOIS will be monitoring marine channels 13 and 16. The work will be performed from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and is expected to be completed on or about 30 September 2013.

During non-working hours, the floating plant will be moored at the worksite, along the left descending bank, and lighted according to regulations.

Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake, and proceed with caution.

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