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NAVIGATION NOTICE NO. 2014-NH-003

**ATLANTIC CHANNELS,**  
**ATLANTIC HARBOR OF REFUGE**  
**REACH 3**

A hazard to navigation exists in the Atlantic Harbor of Refuge at Reach 3 (authorized depth -7 ft.) near Atlantic, NC. Severe shoaling restricts the entire length and width of the Federal Channel. Conditions in this area are shallower than -0.5 ft in the Federal Navigation Channel at Mean Low Water.

Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed and proceed with extreme caution. The latest hydrographic survey information can be viewed and downloaded from the Wilmington District website: <http://www.saw.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/HydrographicSurveys/SideChannelsSmallHarbors.aspx>

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