
Navigation Notice

McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River Navigation System



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Tulsa District

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1645 S. 101st E. Ave.
Tulsa, OK 74128-4609

NOTICE OF "SMALL CRAFTS"

USE CAUTION WHEN TRANSITING NM 439 to NM 444.8

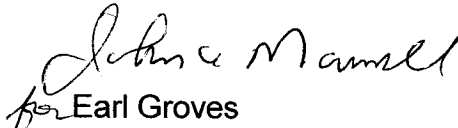
McCLELLAN-KERR ARKANSAS RIVER NAVIGATION SYSTEM, OKLAHOMA

The Tulsa Rowing Club and Tulsa University have rowing teams that operate seasonally on the navigation channel between NM439 and the Head of Navigation at NM444.8. These rowing crews are on the water for practice periods daily on weekdays from 0600 to 0830 and 1530 to 1830, and Saturdays from 0600 to 1130 during the months April thru 10 June 2015. Throughout the year they also hold racing events which result in a larger number of these small craft in a concentrated area within the navigation channel. Approximate location, the 2000 meter race course is marked between NM443 (just below I-40 Bridge) and NM444.2 (just below Hwy 66 Bridge). Safety Launches monitor channel 16 closely for barge traffic moving into the area and suspend racing anytime a tow is visible, all rowing crews move to the shore and wait for the vessel to pass safely.

Mariners are advised to use extreme caution when transiting this area during the event dates listed below:

Route 66 Regatta (Tulsa Rowing Club) Saturday 11 April 2015 from 0700-1800

Waterway users are asked to check with Newt Graham Lock and Dam 18 for the latest information concerning these events at 543-2216 ext 1. Questions or requests for additional information concerning this notice should be directed to Mr. Kenneth Todd; Navigation Operations Manager: 918-687-4501 ext 2 or Mr. Vic Heister; Navigation Field Engineer: 918-669-7244.


for Earl Groves
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