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CALCASIEU RIVER

Commencing on approximately 5 November 2018 and continuing until approximately 4 September 2019, the U.S. Government Contract Cutterhead DREDGE 32 will be working in the Calcasieu River from mile 5 to mile 17, including Devil's Elbow.

The dredge will work 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and will give way to passing navigation.

There are numerous work and support vessels associated with this dredging operation, which include tender vessels M/V CAPTAIN HAYES, M/V LITTLE MIKE, M/V SAM SAM, and M/V LAINE, as well as various work barges.

The Dredge can be contacted on either VHF marine channel 13 or 16 for sailing instructions.

Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made.

The DREDGE 32 can be contacted at (337) 244-3911. The field point of contact for the U.S. Government Contractor, Mike Hooks, Inc., is Captain Curtis Savoi at (337) 842-8826. The alternate point of contact is David Hudson at (337) 515-4038.

The point of contact with the New Orleans District is Tracy Falk at (504) 862-2971.


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