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**United States
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LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS

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CORRESPONDENCE TO:
COMMANDER
DISTRICT ELEVEN (DPW)
COAST GUARD ISLAND BUILDING 50-2
ALAMEDA, CA 94501-5100

REFERENCES: COMDTPUB P16502.6, Light List Volume VI, 2017 Edition, U.S. Chart No.1 12th Edition, and Coast Pilot Volume 7 49th Edition. These publications, along with corrections, are available at: <https://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/>

BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS - Information concerning aids to navigation and waterway management promulgated through BNM HB-0004-24, SF-0037-24, LA-0046-24, and SD-0025-24 have been incorporated in this notice, or will continue if still significant.

ABBREVIATIONS

A through H

ADRIFT - Buoy Adrift
AICW - Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway
Al - Alternating
B - Buoy
BKW - Breakwater
bl - Blast
BNM - Broadcast Notice to Mariner
bu - Blue
C - Canadian
CHAN - Channel
CGD - Coast Guard District
C/O - Cut Off
CONT - Contour
CRK - Creek
CONST - Construction
DAYMK/Daymk - Daymark
DBN/Dbn - Daybeacon
DBD/DAYBD - Dayboard
DEFAC - Defaced
DEST - Destroyed
DISCON - Discontinued
DMGD/DAMGD - Damaged
ec - eclipse
EST - Established Aid
ev - every
EVAL - Evaluation
EXT - Extinguished
F - Fixed
fl - flash
Fl - Flashing
G - Green
GIWW - Gulf Intracoastal Waterway
HAZ - Hazard to Navigation
HBR - Harbor
HOR - Horizontal Clearance
HT - Height

I through O

I - Interrupted
ICW - Intracoastal Waterway
IMCH - Improper Characteristic
INL - Inlet
INOP - Not Operating
INT - Intensity
ISL - Islet
Iso - Isophase
kHz - Kilohertz
LAT - Latitude
LB - Lighted Buoy
LBB - Lighted Bell Buoy
LHB - Lighted Horn Buoy
LGB - Lighted Gong Buoy
LONG - Longitude
LNM - Local Notice to Mariners
LT - Light
LT CONT - Light Continuous
LTR - Letter
LWB - Lighted Whistle Buoy
LWP - Left Watching Properly
MHz - Megahertz
MISS/MSNG - Missing
Mo - Morse Code
MRASS - Marine Radio Activated Sound Signal
MSLD - Misleading
N/C - Not Charted
NGA - National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
NO/NUM - Number
NOS - National Ocean Service
NW - Notice Writer
OBSCU - Obscured
OBST - Obstruction
OBSTR - Obstruction
Oc - Occulting
ODAS - Anchored Oceanographic Data Buoy

P through Z

PRIV - Private Aid
Q - Quick
R - Red
RACON - Radar Transponder Beacon
Ra ref - Radar reflector
RBN - Radio Beacon
REBUILT - Aid Rebuilt
RECOVERED - Aid Recovered
RED - Red Buoy
REFL - Reflective
RRL - Range Rear Light
RELIGHTED - Aid Relit
RELOC - Relocated
RESET ON STATION - Aid Reset on Station
RFL - Range Front Light
RIV - River
RRASS - Remote Radio Activated Sound Signal
s - seconds
SEC - Section
SHL - Shoaling
si - silent
SIG - Signal
SND - Sound
SPM - Single Point Mooring Buoy
SS - Sound Signal
STA - Station
STRUCT - Structure
St M - Statute Mile
TEMP - Temporary Aid Change
TMK - Topmark
TRLB - Temporarily Replaced by Lighted Buoy
TRLT - Temporarily Replaced by Light
TRUB - Temporarily Replaced by Unlighted Buoy
USACE - Army Corps of Engineers
W - White
Y - Yellow

Additional Abbreviations Specific to this LNM Edition: None

SECTION I - SPECIAL NOTICES

This section contains information of special concern to the Mariner.

Oakland Harbor Bar Channel Lighted Bell Buoy 1 (LLNR 4605)
Crescent City Harbor Lighted Bell Buoy 6 (LLNR 8375)
Please direct questions, comments, or concerns no later than 13 March, 2024 to LTJG Samantha Hu at 510-437-2983 or
Samantha.G.Koval@uscg.mil.

Charts: 18603 18653

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA-REPLACE SAFE WATER BUOY WITH V-AIS-PROPOSED CHANGE

The U. S. Coast Guard is proposing to remove the Santa Cruz Lighted Whistle Buoy SC (LLNR 4080) and replace with Virtual AIS (V-AIS) Aid to Navigation. The aid is in position: 36-56-20.377N 122-00-34.656W. Direct any questions, comments, or feedback no later than 03 April, 2024 to LTJG Samantha Hu at 206-827-3518 or Samantha.G.Koval@uscg.mil.

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SECTION VII - GENERAL

This section contains information of general concern to the Mariners. Mariners are advised to use caution while transiting these areas.

ANNOUNCEMENT – U.S. Coast Pilot® 7 and U.S. Coast Pilot® -NEW EDITIONS-Spring 2023

PUBLICATION–National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) – U.S. Coast Pilot 7, Pacific Coast: California, 55th Edition, 2023, has been issued and is ready for free download and weekly updates at www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/publications/coast-pilot/index.html. Only Print-on-Demand (POD) bound copies are available for purchase; visit nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/publications/print-agents.html#coast-pilot. The 2023 Edition cancels the preceding 2022 Edition, and incorporates all previous corrections.

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ARIZONA/NEVADA-COLORADO RIVER-BRIDGE

NEW LAUGHLIN-BULLHEAD CITY BRIDGE- The new bridge, in approximate position 35-03-17N 114-36-45W, completely spans the waterway. Work continues Monday through Friday, 0630 to 1430. The center span of the bridge provides 30 ft of vertical clearance at ordinary high water and is lighted on the upstream and downstream sides with green center channel lights. For on-site conditions contact 702-455-6030 or 702-817-7088, or 702-286-0137. For further information contact the Coast Guard Bridge Office at 510- 437-3515.

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CALIFORNIA-USCG-NEW MERCHANT MARINER CREDENTIAL

The U.S. Coast Guard announced a new merchant mariner credential (MMC) set to launch on March 1, 2024. This milestone marks the first comprehensive revision of the mariner credential in nearly a decade and is strategically designed to enhance both quality of service and security within the Marine Transportation System (MTS). U.S. Coast Guard Marine Safety Information Bulletin (MSIB) 01-24, New Merchant Mariner Credential Passport Booklet Replacement, has been posted on the DCO's MSIB Site and announced at the National Maritime Center (CG-NMC) Home Page (uscg.mil). Please visit these resources for more information on the credential.

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LOWER COLORADO RIVER-LAKE HAVASU, AZ–MARINE EVENT

3 Disciplines will be sponsoring the Lake Havasu Triathlon on Sunday, 17 March, 2024 from 5:30am to 10:30am. The event will involve approximately 350 swimmers racing on a course starting at Lake Havasu State Park Beach, down Bridgewater Channel and returning to Lake Havasu State Park Beach. A special local regulation (SLR) will be established for this event. Non-participants will be prohibited from entering the event while the SLR is in effect. Mariners are requested to transit the area with caution. For more details or comments, contact Kenny Krell at 810-965-5460.

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LOWER COLORADO RIVER-LAKE HAVASU-MARINE EVENT

The Lake Havasu Yacht Club will be sponsoring the McCulloch Cup Regatta on 16-17 March, 2024. The event will involve approximately 20 sailing catamarans racing on a course in North Lake Havasu from 11:00am to 4:00pm each day. Mariners are advised to exercise caution while transiting the area. For more details or comments, contact Rex Miller at 760-801-4968.

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LOWER COLORADO RIVER-LAKE HAVASU-MARINE EVENT

RPM Racing Enterprises will be sponsoring the Best of the West Series Kickoff personal watercraft (PWC) race on 15-17 March, 2024 from 6:00am until 6:00pm each day. The event will involve approximately 150 participants racing on a closed course in the vicinity of Blue Water Resort and Casino. Mariners are requested to transit the area with caution. For more details or comments, contact Ross Wallach at 310-318-4012.

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LOWER COLORADO RIVER-LAUGHLIN NV TO LAKE HAVASU CITY AZ -MARINE EVENT

Dangie Bros, INC. will be sponsoring the Boat Train event from 15-19 March, 2024. The event will consist of five houseboats interconnected creating one continuous vessel starting from Laughlin NV and ending in Lake Havasu City AZ. Mariners are requested to transit the area with caution. For more details or comments, contact Marlena Muro at 909-763-8855.

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LOWER COLORADO RIVER-PARKER, AZ-MARINE EVENT

International Water Ski Racing Association will be sponsoring the International Open Water Ski Race from 8-10 March, 2024 from 7:00am to 5:00pm each day. The event will involve approximately 30 vessels pulling water-skiers on a closed course in the vicinity of the Blue Water Resort & Casino. Mariners are requested to transit the area with caution. For more details or comments, contact Brian Vesely at 982-208-2263.

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