Notice to Navigation Interests

Notice No. 13-003               Date: 26 February 2013

Waterway: Michigan City Harbor   Location: Michigan City, IN
Waukegan to South Haven NOAA Chart 14905 and
Chicago and South Shore of Lake Michigan NOAA Chart 14926

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MICHIGAN CITY HARBOR
AFTER MAJOR STORM OUTER HARBOR CONDITION SURVEY POSTED
SEVERE SHOALING IN WESTERN HALF OF CHANNEL

1. A hydrographic survey of Michigan City Outer Harbor was completed on December 6, 2012 and the survey is posted on the Chicago District Channel Condition Survey page. 

2. As a result of Hurricane Sandy, the Michigan City entrance channel has sustained severe shoaling. Seven feet of shoaling extends from the vicinity of west pierhead light northeast to the channel centerline. The eastern half of the 150 feet wide channel sustained light shoaling and has a controlling depth of -13 feet LWD. The outer harbor channel was last dredged in June 2012 to a depth of -15 feet LWD.

3. The following is a link to Chicago District Notice to Navigation Interests page where all Chicago District notices are posted.

4. If you have any comments or questions regarding this notice, you may contact Tim Kroll in Chicago District Operations at 312-846-5484 or tim.kroll@usace.army.mil.

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