

NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

Date: 06/17/2015

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WATERWAY: OKEECHOBEE WATERWAY ROUTE 2, C-10 AND C-12

EFFECTIVE: 06/17/2015 00:00 thru 06/31/2017 24:00 EST

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OKEECHOBEE WATERWAY ROUTE 2 C-10 AND C-12 CULVERT CONSTRUCTON RESTRICTING NAVIGATION

REFERENCE:

a. 33 CFR Navigation and Navigable Waters

1. Notice to Navigation

Notice is given that Thalle Construction Company, Inc. is replacing two culverts along the Okeechobee Waterway near Belle Glade, FL (Culverts 12) and Pahokee, FL (Culvert 10) as part of the overall Herbert Hoover Dike Rehabilitation Project sponsored by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Construction consists of the steel and earthen cofferdams on both the lakeside and landside of the dike to create a self-contained work area. The waterway will be obstructed during the installation and removal of the cofferdams and during the process of replacing the culverts. Recreational and commercial boaters are asked to use caution when navigating through this section of the waterway between the Paul Rardin park boat ramps location (N 878,122.07; E 759,069.20) and just north of Palm Beach Glades Airport location (N 895,943.18; E 755,262.20). Four (4) obstruction buoys with solar powered lights, reflectorized hazard warning and symbol will be placed at the outermost edge of cofferdams obstructing the waterway to delineate the cofferdam location and guide boaters through the work zone area. Also, two (2) obstruction buoys will be placed in the vicinity of boat ramps. Once the culvert replacements are complete, the cofferdams will be removed and waterway restored. Construction will occur 5 to 6 days a week, with the possibility of night time work. The project is anticipated to be completed in 2017. The Project point of contact is Tim Pernsteiner at 919-282-4674 or tpernsteiner@thalle.com.

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