

NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

US Army Corps of Engineers Jacksonville District

Date: 02/18/2016 US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT ATTN: CESAJ-CD-GS PO Box 4970 JACKSONVILLE, FL 32232-0019 813-348-0690 NOTICE NUMBER: 005 LOCAL NUMBER: 20160218 WATERWAY: KISSIMMEE RIVER EFFECTIVE: 02/18/2016 00:00 thru 11/01/2016 24:00 EST

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KISSIMMEE RIVER CANAL 38 SOUTH OF US 98 BACKFILL OPERATIONS Revision

REFERENCES:

a. 33 CFR Navigation and Navigable Waters b. NTN 2015-016, Kissimmee River Chanel 38 South of US 98 Backfill Operations

1. NTN 2015-016 is canceled and replaced by NTN 2016-005 to address public access changes.

2. Notice is given that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Jacksonville District as part of the Kissimmee River Restoration Project has commenced backfill operations of Canal 38 starting at the US 98 bridge and extending south approximately 1.5 miles. It is anticipated that backfill operations will take approximately one year. Navigation through the construction zone is prohibited. During construction the Hidden Acres community can travel to the south along the channelized Kissimmee River however, the Kissimmee River Shores community will not have access due to safety concerns. Both Kissimmee River Shores and Hidden Acres access will be restored through the historic oxbows after construction is complete. Access to the channelized Kissimmee River will remain open at the Istokpoga, Structure 65C and Structure 65D boat ramps.

3. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Point of Contact is Ms. Erin. M.Duffy@usace.army.mil at 813-348-0690.

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