



**US Army Corps
of Engineers**
Jacksonville District

NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

Date: 09/21/2017
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NOTICE NUMBER: 011
LOCAL NUMBER: 20170921
WATERWAY: OKEECHOBEE WATERWAY Caloosahatchee River
EFFECTIVE: 09/21/2017 00:00 thru 10/30/2017 24:00 EST

POC: <http://www.saj.usace.army.mil/Missions/CivilWorks/Navigation/NoticestoNavigation.aspx>

**OKEECHOBEE WATERWAY
CALOOSAHATCHEE RIVER
SUNKEN SAILBOAT
CREATING HAZARDOUS NAVIGATION**

REFERENCE:

a. 33 CFR Navigation and Navigable Waters

1. Notice to Navigation

Notice is given that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is advising commercial and recreational vessels to use extreme caution traveling the Okeechobee Waterway in the Caloosahatchee River 1 mile west of Ortona Lock where a sailboat has sunk. Recreational and commercial vessels are asked to use caution and be aware of shallow water and submerged objects when navigating through this section of waterway. FWC and U.S. Coastguard have been notified. Actions to remove the vessel are ongoing.

Point of contact is Gary Hipkins or Carl Williams at 863-983-8101.

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