

MARINE SAFETY INFORMATION BULLETIN

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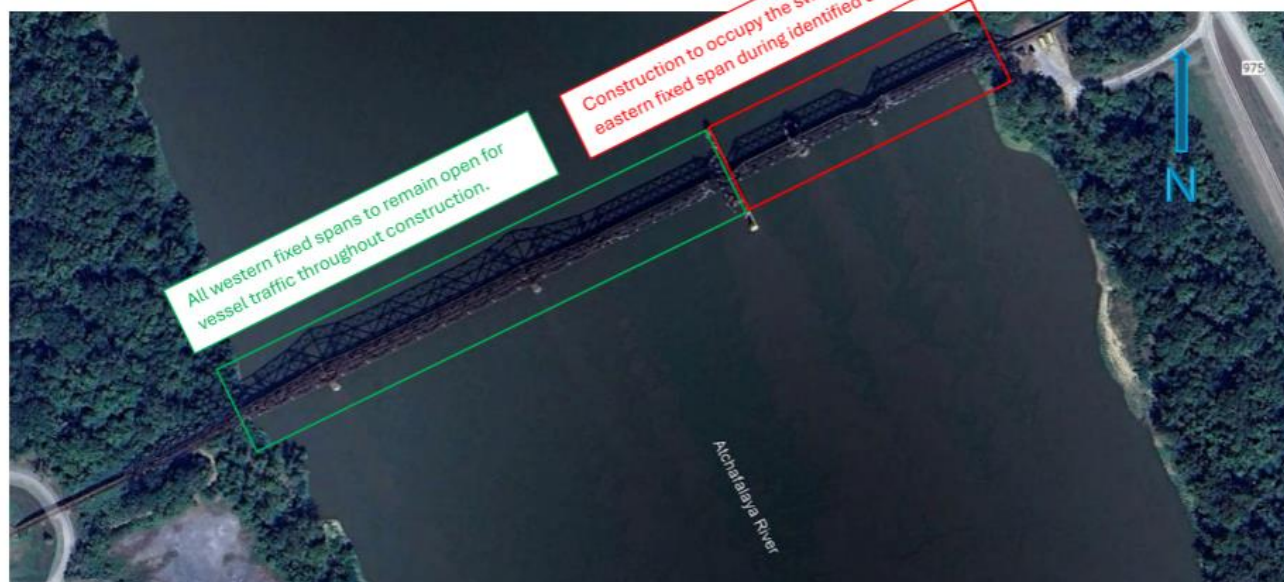
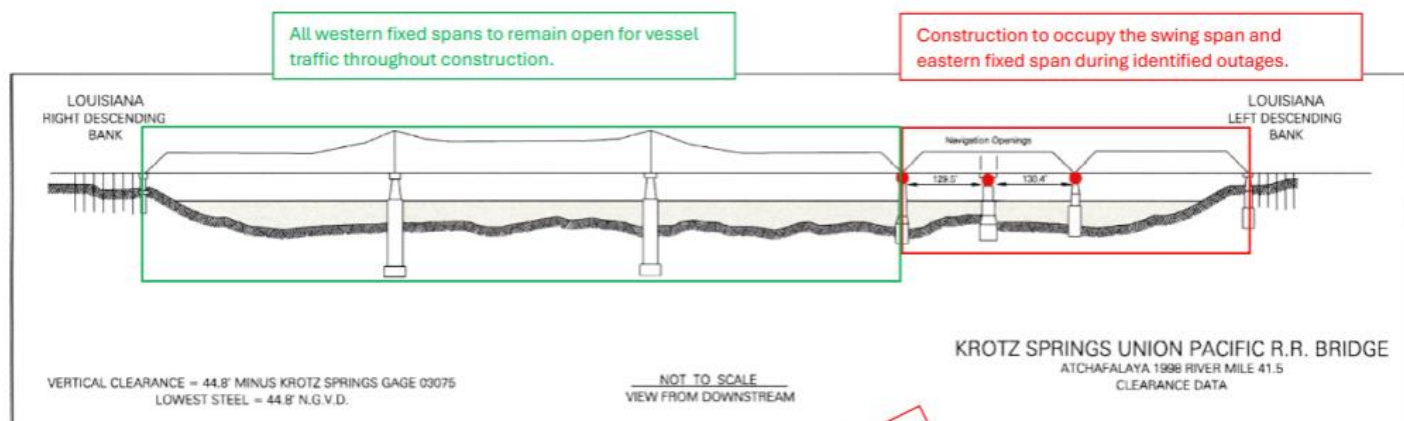
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Notice of Krotz Springs Railroad Bridge Deviations: Scheduled Closures and Operations for 2025 and 2026

1. U. S. Coast Guard Sector New Orleans has issued a notice of deviation from the Krotz Springs Railroad Bridge's normal operations. While repairs are conducted, the Union Pacific Railroad drawbridge across the Atchafalaya River, Mile Marker 41.5, near Krotz Springs, LA will have scheduled closures and operational deviations. The repairs are scheduled from June 3, 2025 to June 29, 2026. As shown below, the western fixed spans of the bridge will remain open for vessel traffic throughout construction.

A. Refer to the calendars and corresponding legend on pages 1 & 2 of this bulletin for the scheduled operations from September 15, 2025 to May 29, 2026.

2. For on scene information, mariners may contact the Union Pacific Railroad Bridge at 337-566-3713 or VHF CH. 13.
3. **NOTE: Dates subject to change.**



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2025

JULY						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
AUGUST						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
SEPTEMBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
OCTOBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
NOVEMBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DECEMBER						
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11

- 6 hour notice for marine opening for openings between 6:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. the following day.

- On Demand between 6:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

- Phase of construction in which bridge operates normally, on demand.

- 6 hour notice for marine openings 12:00 a.m. through 11:59 p.m. on the last day.

- Repetitive 96 hour marine outages Monday through Thursday. Work to replace roller bearing components. Bridge cannot open during work. PCL to work 24/7 during each of the 96 hour outages.

For further information, contact the following:

Coast Guard Baton Rouge Waterways Management: (225) 298-5400 x 230

Coast Guard Sector New Orleans Waterways Management: (504) 365-2278

Coast Guard Sector Command Center New Orleans (24 hours): (504) 365-2209



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