



PUBLIC NOTICE

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ALTERATION OF A U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS CIVIL WORKS PROJECT PURSUANT TO 33 USC 408: NEW PIER STRUCTURES BRIDGEPORT HARBOR FEDERAL NAVIGATION PROJECT (FNP) BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT

Interested parties are hereby notified that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District (USACE) is evaluating plans under 33 U.S.C. 408 (Section 408) to install new pier structures in Bridgeport Harbor proposed by the Bridgeport Port Authority. The proposed structures will be installed within the 3:1 buffer zones of the USACE maintained 18-foot and 35-foot Channels of the Bridgeport Harbor Federal Navigation Project (FNP) located at 330 Water Street, Bridgeport, Connecticut. The direct impact to the 18-foot channel FNP offset is the installation of four (4) 24-inch concrete filled steel pipe guide piles and a 6-foot by 30-foot portion of a 52-foot by 30 foot floating dock. The edge of this structure will sit approximately 44-feet from the 18-foot FNP channel. The direct impact to the 35-foot channel FNP offset is the installation of one (1) 24-inch concrete filled steel pipe guide piles and a 26-foot by 4-foot portion of a 101-foot by 4-foot floating dock. The edge of this structure will sit approximately 77-feet from the 35-foot FNP channel.

This Notice is being issued pursuant to 33 U.S.C. 408 and USACE Engineering Circular (EC) 1165-2-220. Section 408 allows USACE to grant permission for the alteration, occupation, or use of a USACE civil works project if it is determined that the activity will not be injurious to the public interest and will not impair the usefulness of the Federal project. USACE has made the preliminary determination that the installation of structures within the FNP offset will not have a negative impact on public interest, use, or our ability to maintain the Bridgeport Harbor FNP. The public is invited to provide comment associated with this Section 408 evaluation. To request more information contact: Christina Comeau, New England District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 696 Virginia Road, Concord, MA 01742, (978) 318-8705, Christina.M.Comeau@usace.army.mil. The comment period will end on November 26, 2025. Letters should be postmarked by this date.