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Vessel Warping Advisory

Vessel warping during extreme high water may create a hazardous condition and significantly increase the potential risk of a marine casualty.

Captain of the Port New Orleans expects vessels, facilities, and vessel agents planning to warp a vessel to consult with the appropriate pilot associations prior to warping to determine whether or not a pilot and/or tugs are necessary to reposition the vessel from dock to dock.

For additional information, contact the following:

Vessel Traffic Center Lower Mississippi River (24 hours): (504) 365-2230, VHF-FM ch 05A, 11, or 12
Coast Guard Sector New Orleans Command Center (24 hours): (504) 365-2543
Coast Guard Waterways Management: (504) 365-2280



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