



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
PITTSBURGH DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
WILLIAM S. MOORHEAD FEDERAL BUILDING  
1000 LIBERTY AVENUE  
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## USACE REPORT TO THE WATERWAYS ASSOCIATION OF PITTSBURGH

### 1. LOCK CLOSURES AND DELAYS

#### **New Cumberland**

- The landward auxiliary chamber remains closed due to structural deficiencies with the miter gates. New auxiliary chamber gates are under fabrication. Installation will occur in 2023.
- R3F medium capacity fleet completed working in auxiliary chamber for installation of bulkhead slots for closure system on June 4, 2021.

### 2. OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST: Contract and Repair Fleet work upcoming:

#### **Montgomery:**

- CONTRACT: Dam Gate Installation: continuing through 2021.

#### **Pike Island:**

CONTRACT: River Wall Crack Stabilization: Contractor started work onsite on May 31<sup>st</sup> with no chamber closures needed so far. Short term closures will occur during anchor stressing and grouting activities. No requests made at this time for any closures as this feature of work has not started. Up to three short term primary chamber closures per week may occur and one long term closures for up to 48 hours is permitted. Approximate 20-day advance notice will be provided for primary chamber closures.

#### **Schedule of future work:**

##### **2021**

- Montgomery Primary Chamber Valve Repairs, 26 Jul – 27 August
- Braddock Primary Chamber Sector Gears, 13 Sept – 15 Oct
- Montgomery Primary Chamber Gate Anchorage Repairs, 18 Oct – 17 Dec

### 1. Additional Information:

Attached is the tentative schedule of dive operations for 2021. During inspections, the dive team will work between lockages as much as possible. There may be some delays on scheduled dive days, but they are not expected to exceed 2 hours at a time.

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**Tentative Dive Schedule for 2021**

Month	Dates	Location	Chambers
June	7 - 9	Lock #3 Mon (Elizabeth)	Both
	21 - 23	Lock #2 Mon (Braddock)	Both
July	6 - 8	Emsworth	Main
	19 - 21	Montgomery	Main
August	2 - 4	New Cumberland	Main
	16 - 18	Pike Island	Main
	30 - 01 Sep	Lock # 4 Allegheny	Main
September	7 - 10	Morgantown	Main
	13 - 17	Morgantown	Main