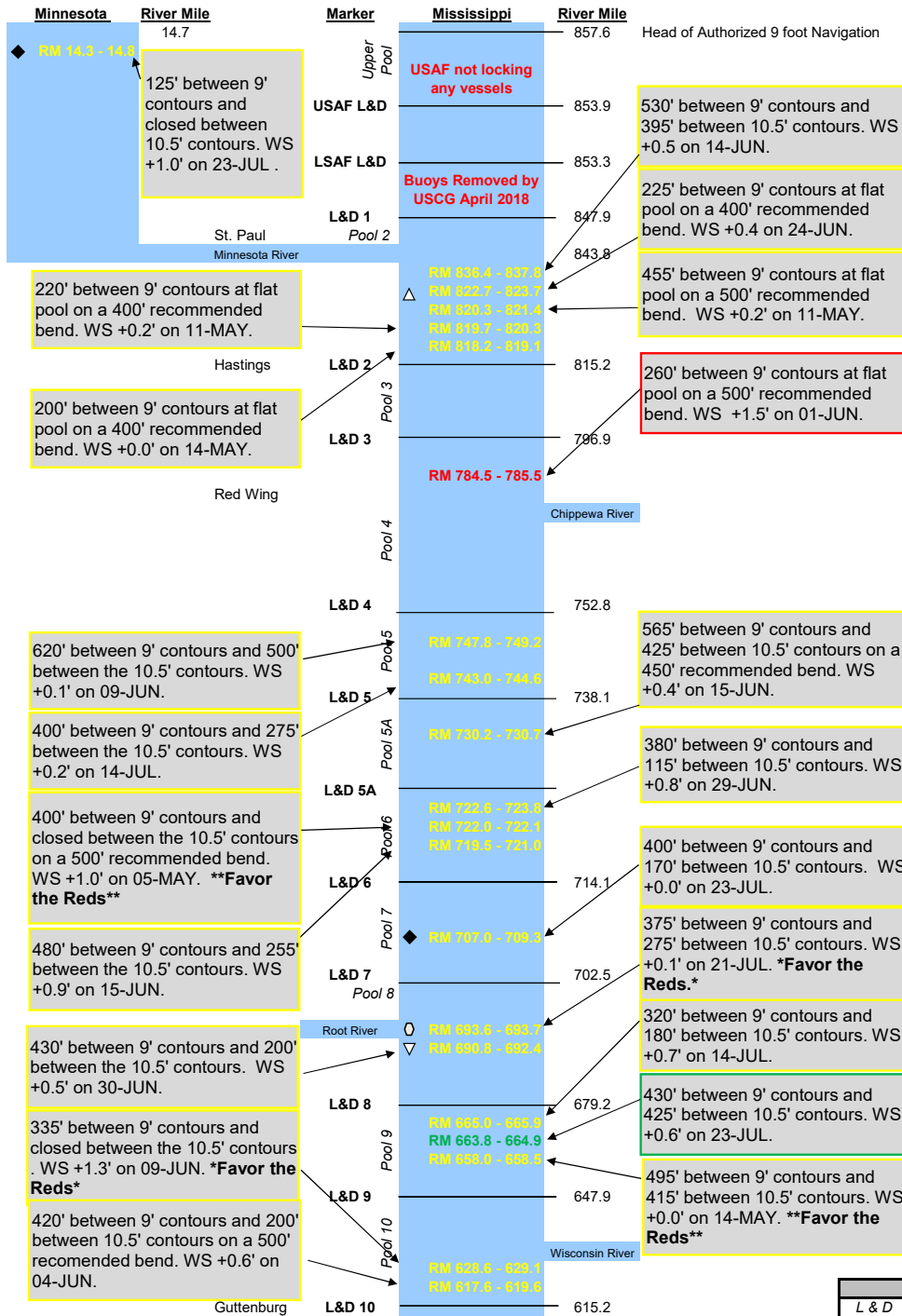


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Lock & Dam Status:

Lock 3: NAV Notice 214032, All tows transitioning the lock should stay clear of the quoin on the miter gate #4 the upstream end of the I-wall.

Lock 5: NAV Notice 205788, All tows should avoid the last 50' of the lower guide wall due to conditions.

Lock 5A: NAV Notice 214031, All tows transitioning the lock should stay clear of the quoin on the miter gate #4 the upstream end of the I-wall.

Lock 7: NAV Notice 211895, Rock weir work on the left descending side of the channel upstream of the lock was completed in late 2025.

Lock 8: NAV Notice 214771, Lock and Dam 8 will be closed to all traffic on 30-Jul from 0700-1900 to inspect miter gates.

Lock 9: NAV Notice 14006-1, All tows should avoid the river side and tip of the lower guide wall bullnose, there is potential for exposed steel.

Dredge Status:

Dredge Goetz: Left the St. Paul District for Rock Island District 26-Jul-2026.

Government Mechanical Plant 1: Began dredging at Root River in Pool 8 on 21-Jul. Expected to remain there through next week.

Contract Mechanical Plant 1: Began dredging at Picayune Island in Pool 8 on 13-July and are expected to finish this week. Plan is to move Plant 1 to Winters Landing in Pool 7.

Contract Mechanical Plant 2: Began dredging at Pine Bend in Pool 2 on 08-July and expected to move to Above Savage RR Bridge on the MN River next week.

IDIQ Unload Contractor - Plant 3: Mobilized to Above Fisher Island in Pool 5 to begin unloading dredged material from temporary to permanent placement on 06-July and are expected to remain there until mid-August.

Water Control Status:				
L & D	29-Jul	22-Jul	Gates Pulled	L & D Outdraft Warning
USAF	-	-	N/A	N/A
LSAF	-	-	50,000	20,000
LD 1	NA	NA	N/A	0.2' of flow over rubber dam
LD 2	3,820	5,000	61,000	31,000
LD 3	6,190	9,760	36,000	21,000
LD 4	9,930	13,300	89,000	60,000
LD 5	9,950	13,100	116,000	70,000
LD 5A	11,500	14,600	57,000	32,000
LD 6	12,500	18,400	76,000	44,600
LD 7	12,400	13,600	82,000	44,000
LD 8	16,300	15,200	96,000	40,200
LD 9	15,300	16,400	64,000	55,000
LD 10	24,200	30,200	73,000	47,000

Web Information:

For additional Dredge Schedule information, see the link below:
<http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/Missions/Navigation/Channel-Maintenance/Dredging-Schedule/>

For hydrographic surveys please go to the national eHydro page and navigate to the location:
<https://www.arcgis.com/apps/dashboards/4b8f2ba307684cf597617bf1b6d2f85d>