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*Marine Safety Unit*  *Port Arthur, Texas*

## **Marine Safety Information Bulletin**

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### **GIWW – Grand Lake Pontoon Bridge**

All mariners are advised that the Grand Lake Pontoon Bridge, located in the vicinity of mile marker 231 on the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway (GIWW), will be conducting repairs to their infrastructure and apron tower. Commencing Monday, 18 April 2022, the bridge will be secured daily to vessels from 5:00 A.M to 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M to 7:00 P.M.

This closure schedule will be in effect until Monday, 09 May 2022 or until repairs have been completed. You may contact the Grand Lake Bridge operators at 337-905-0106. Mariners are advised to use caution when traveling through the area. There is no alternate route for marine traffic through the affected area.

This notice will be posted on the Coast Guard's **HOMEPORT** website at <http://homeport.uscg.mil> and the VTS website at <https://www.atlanticarea.uscg.mil/vtsportarthur/>. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call MSU Port Arthur at (409) 723-6500 or MSU Lake Charles at (337) 912-0073.

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