Mississippi River Rock Removal Regulating Works Project

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Regulating Works Project

• Provides a safe and dependable navigation channel from the mouth of the Missouri River to confluence of the Ohio River.

• Project improvements are achieved by means of dikes, revetment, chevrons, construction dredging, and rock removal to maintain required navigation depth.

• The benefits of the Project include reduced dredging, increased reliability of the navigation channel during low water periods and reduced accidents & groundings.
Rock Removal

- Pinnacle removal contracts awarded between river mile 46 and 38
- Rock removal is dependent upon river stage
- 12 Percent Complete
- Initiate November 20th
- Scheduled completion date is the winter of 2017
- Gain additional width in bends
- Approximately 7,500 cy of rock will be removed