

FINAL DRAFT AGENDA
Inland Waterways Users Board Meeting No. 99
at the Heinz History Center, Discovery Multi-purpose Room
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
April 13, 2023

8:30	Registration	All participants
9:00	Call to Order	Mr. Pointon
9:05	Welcoming, Introductions and Opening Remarks by the Executive Director; Statements by Federal Observers; Oath of Office for New Board Members (if necessary)	MG Graham
9:30	Opening Remarks by Board Chairman	Mr. Judd
9:40	Disposition of Board Annual Report for 2022	Mr. Pointon
9:45	Approval of Minutes of Board Meeting #98	Mr. Pointon
9:50	Status of Inland Waterways Trust Fund (IWTF) and Review of Reported IWTF Revenues, Transfers and Balances	Mr. Pointon
10:20	Status of Funding for USACE Navigation Mission: FY 2023 Work Plan; FY 2024 President's Budget	Ms. Burroughs
10:35	Remote Lock Operations Update	Mr. Frantz
10:50	Follow Up to Low Water on the Waterways	Mr. Chambers
11:10	BREAK	All
11:45	Mississippi Valley Division Waterways Construction Projects: Mississippi River L&D #25 and Illinois Waterway LaGrange Lock (NESP)	COL Curry and Messrs. Goodall and Lopez
12:15	Ohio River Division Waterways Construction Projects: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Kentucky Lock Addition➤ Chickamauga Lock➤ Monongahela River L&Ds 2-3-4 Replacements➤ Upper Ohio River – Montgomery & Emsworth	Mr. Jasper Mr. Jasper Mr. Fritz Mr. Fritz

1:30	Southwestern Division Waterways Construction Projects:	
	➤ GIWW Brazos River Floodgates & Colorado River Locks	Mr. Ramos-Gines
	➤ MKARNS Three Rivers, Arkansas	Mr. Pierce
	➤ MKARNS 12-foot Channel Deepening	Mr. Pierce
2:00	Public Comment Period	Mr. Pointon
2:15	Closing Comments for the Executive Director	MG Graham
	Closing Comments by Board Chairman and Members	Mr. Judd
2:30	Adjournment	Mr. Pointon

Speakers and Presenters:

Mr. Mark R. Pointon, Corps of Engineers, Institute for Water Resources, Inland Waterways Users Board Designated Federal Officer (DFO) and Executive Secretary

Major General (MG) William “Butch” Graham, Corps of Engineers, Deputy Commanding General for Civil and Emergency Operations

Mr. Damon Judd, Vice Chairman, Inland Waterways Users Board; President, Marquette Transportation Company

Mr. Thomas P. Smith, Corps of Engineers HQ, SES, Chief, Operations and Regulatory Division

Ms. Tiffany S. Burroughs, Corps of Engineers HQ, Operations Division, Chief, Navigation Section, for Navigation FY 2023 Work Plan Funding and FY 2024 Budget

Mr. David A. Frantz, Corps of Engineers, HQ, Operations Division, Navigation Section, Inland Program Manager, for Remote Lock Operations

Mr. Patrick A. Chambers, Corps of Engineers, Mississippi Valley Division, Chief, Operations and Regulatory Division, for Low Water Follow Up

Colonel Jesse T. Curry, Corps of Engineers, Rock Island District, Commander, and Mr. Andrew J. Goodall, NESP Program Manager, for NESP Mississippi River-Illinois Waterway

Mr. Jose R. Lopez, Corps of Engineers, St. Louis District, NESP L&D #25 Program Manager, for NESP Mississippi River-Illinois Waterway, Mississippi River Lock #25

Mr. Kevin L. Jasper, Corps of Engineers, Nashville District, Acting Chief of the IPO for Kentucky and Chickamauga Projects, for Chickamauga Lock and Kentucky Lock Addition

Mr. Stephen R. Fritz, Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh District, Program Manager for Mega Projects, for Monongahela River Locks & Dams 2-3-4 and Upper Ohio River L&Ds

Mr. Orlando Ramos-Gines, Corps of Engineers, Galveston District, for GIWW Colorado River Locks and Brazos River Floodgates Project

Mr. Craig R. Pierce, Corps of Engineers, Little Rock District, Deputy District Engineer for Programs & Project Mgmt, for MKARNS Three Rivers (for Jonathan Gillip) and MKARNS 12-Foot Deepening Project (for Ms. Amanda Kovak)