

MARINE INFORMATION

NOAA CHART NEW EDITIONS AND THEIR AVAILABILITY

NOAA recognizes two paper nautical chart products:

- the Charts-on-Demand chart distributed by OceanGrafix (www.OceanGrafix.com), and
- the traditional NOAA/NOS paper chart distributed by the Federal Aviation Administration and the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA).

The Charts-on-Demand chart is available the day after NOAA clears a New Edition for release. The traditional chart is available two to eight weeks later. Each is official, should be put into service immediately, and meets Federal chart carriage requirements immediately upon its release. For questions, contact NOAA at help@nauticalcharts.gov or call 301-713-1773 x105. Dates of Latest Edition for both charts are listed at <http://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov>.

This week's new editions released by NOAA are listed below.

11510	19 th Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION GA-SAPELO AND DOBOY SOUND (New edition due to various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:40,000
11542	16 th Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION NC-NEW RIVER (New edition due to numerous Notice to Mariner changes and various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:40,000
11550	29 th Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION NC-OCRACOCKE INLET AND PART OF CORE SOUND (New edition due to numerous Notice to Mariner changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:40,000
12208	10 th Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION VA-APPROACHES TO CHESAPEAKE BAY (New edition due to various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:50,000
12317	32 nd Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION NJ-CAPE MAY HARBOR (New edition due to hydrographic changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:10,000
16434	6 th Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION AK-ALEUTIAN ISLANDS-AGATTU ISLAND (New edition due to changes in format.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:40,000
18447	27 th Ed. Apr 2004 NEW EDITION WA-LAKE WASHINGTON SHIP CANAL AND LAKE WASHINGTON (New edition due to various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:25,000
18525	34 th Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION OR-WA-COLUMBIA RIVER-SAINT HELENS TO VANCOUVER (New edition due to numerous Notice to Mariner changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:40,000
18744	31 st Ed. May 2004 NEW EDITION CA-SANTA MONICA BAY INSETS: Marina Del Ray Kings Harbor (New edition due to various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:40,000 1:10,000 1:10,000

MERCHANT MARINE PERSONNEL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Merchant Marine Personnel Advisory Committee (MERPAC) and its working groups will meet to discuss various issues relating to the training and fitness of merchant marine personnel. MERPAC advises the Secretary of Homeland Security on matters relating to the training, qualifications, licensing, and certification of seamen serving in the U.S. merchant marine. All meetings will be open to the public.

MERPAC will meet on Wednesday, June 2, 2004, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Thursday, June 3, 2004, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

These meetings may adjourn early if all business is finished. Requests to make oral presentations, submittals of written material or requests to have a copy of your material distributed to each member of the committee or subcommittee should reach the Coast Guard on or before May 19, 2004.

MERPAC will meet on both days in Room 2415 of the Coast Guard Headquarters Building, 2100 Second St., SW, Washington, DC 20593. Further directions regarding the location of Coast Guard Headquarters may be obtained by contacting Mr. Mark Gould at (202) 267-6890. Send written material and requests to make oral presentations to CDR Brian J. Peter, Commandant (G-MSO-1), US Coast Guard Headquarters, 2100 Second Street SW, Washington, DC 20593-0001.

This notice is available on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov/search/searchFormSimple.cfm> by entering docket number 17495.

For questions on this notice, on the meeting agenda, for information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities, or to request special assistance at the meetings, contact CDR Brian J. Peter, Executive Director of MERPAC, or Mr. Mark C. Gould, Assistant to the Executive Director at the telephone number above, by fax at (202) 267-4570, or by e-mail mgould@comdt.uscg.mil.

NEW EDITION OF LIGHT LIST

US Coast Guard Light List Volume I, Atlantic Coast, St. Croix River, Maine to Shrewsbury River, New Jersey, 2004 Edition, (GPO Stock Number: 050-012-00441-2, ISBN: 0-16-067981-8) is now available on the US Coast Guard Navigation Center Internet site (www.navcen.uscg.gov/pubs/LightLists/LightLists.htm). Hard copy editions are available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402. For pricing, ordering information and availability, please contact the Superintendent of Documents by calling 202-512-1800.

NEW EDITION OF LIGHT LIST

US Coast Guard Light List Volume V, Mississippi River System, 2004 Edition, (GPO Stock Number: 050-012-00445-5, ISBN: 0-16-067985-0) is now available on the US Coast Guard Navigation Center Internet site (www.navcen.uscg.gov/pubs/LightLists/LightLists.htm). Hard copy editions are available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402. For pricing, ordering information and availability, please contact the Superintendent of Documents by calling 202-512-1800.

NEW EDITION OF LIGHT LIST

US Coast Guard Light List Volume VI, Pacific Coast and Pacific Islands, 2004 Edition, (GPO Stock Number: 050-012-00446-3, ISBN: 0-16-067986-9) is now available on the US Coast Guard Navigation Center Internet site (www.navcen.uscg.gov/pubs/LightLists/LightLists.htm). Hard copy editions are available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402. For pricing, ordering information and availability, please contact the Superintendent of Documents by calling 202-512-1800.

NEW EDITION OF LIGHT LIST

US Coast Guard Light List Volume VII, Great Lakes (United States and Canada), 2004 Edition, (GPO Stock Number: 050-012-00447-1, ISBN: 0-16-067987-7) is now available on the US Coast Guard Navigation Center Internet site (www.navcen.uscg.gov/pubs/LightLists/LightLists.htm). Hard copy editions are available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402. For pricing, ordering information and availability, please contact the Superintendent of Documents by calling 202-512-1800.