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87°42' CONTINUED ON CHART 14926 87°41' 87°40' 87°39' 87°38' 50' 40' 30' 20' 10' 87°37' 50' CONTINUED ON CHARTS 14926 & 14927 87°36' 87°35' 87°34'

41°56' 41°55' 41°54' 41°53' 41°52' 41°51' 41°50'

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UNITED STATES-GREAT LAKES

LAKE MICHIGAN-ILLINOIS

CHICAGO HARBOR

Polyconic Projection
Scale 1:15,000
North American Datum of 1983
(World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FEET

NOTES

PLANE OF REFERENCE OF THIS CHART (Low Water Datum)
Depths lakeward of the controlling lock ..... 576.2 ft
Referred to mean water level at Rimouski, Quebec, International Great Lakes Datum (1985)
Depths lanward of the controlling lock ..... 576.2 ft
Referred to mean water level at Father Point (Pointe au Pere), Quebec, International Great Lakes Datum (1955)

SAILING DIRECTIONS. Bearings of sailing courses are true and distances given thereon are in statute miles between points of departure. The true bearing between any two points on this chart may be determined by connecting the two points with a straight line and measuring the angle of its intersection with a meridian line of or near the middle of the course.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION. Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to navigation.

SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS. For complete list of symbols and abbreviations see Chart No. 1

BRIDGE AND OVERHEAD CABLE CLEARANCES. When the water surface is above Low Water Datum, bridge and overhead clearances are reduced correspondingly. For clearances see U.S. Coast Pilot 6.

AUTHORITIES. Hydrography and Topography by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey, with additional data from the Corps of Engineers, Geological Survey, U.S. Coast Guard.

CAUTION
SUBMARINE PIPELINES AND CABLES

Charted submarine pipelines and submarine cables and submarine pipeline and cable areas are shown as:

Pipeline Area Cable Area

Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and submarine cables may exist within the area of this chart. Not all submarine pipelines and submarine cables are required to be buried, and those that were originally buried may have become exposed. Mariners should use extreme caution when operating vessels in depths of water comparable to their draft in areas where pipelines and cables may exist, and when anchoring, dragging, or trawling.

Covered wells may be marked by lighted or unlighted buoys.

CAUTION

Fixed and floating obstructions, some submerged, may exist within the magenta tinted bridge construction area. Mariners are advised to proceed with caution.

CAUTION
POTABLE WATER INTAKE

Vessels operating in fresh water lakes or rivers shall not discharge sewage, or ballast, or bilge water within such areas adjacent to domestic water intakes as are designated by the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 1250.93). Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental information.

Pump-out facilities

LOGARITHMIC SPEED SCALE

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 15 20 25 30 40 50 60

To find SPEED, place one point of dividers on distance run (in any unit) and the other on minutes run. Without changing divider spread, place right point on 60 and left point will then indicate speed in units per hour. Example: with 4.0 nautical miles run in 15 minutes, the speed is 16.0 knots

FEET -1000 0 1000 2000 3000 4000 5000 6000 7000 8000
METERS -500 0 500 1000 2000
STATUTE MILES 0 1 2 3 4 5

LAKE MICHIGAN - HURON

JAN. FEB. MAR. APR. MAY JUNE JULY AUG. SEPT. OCT. NOV. DEC.

Elevation in feet +2 +1 0 -1

Low Water Datum

Average levels (1962-2001)
Dynamic Levels (period of record)

Low Water Datum, which is the plane of reference for the levels shown on the above hydrograph, is also the plane of reference for the charted depths. If the lake level is above or below Low Water Datum, the existing depths are correspondingly greater or lesser than the charted depths.

HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1902 must be corrected an average of 0.003" southward and 0.371" westward to agree with this chart.

WARNING

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for details.

NOAA VHF-FM WEATHER BROADCASTS

The National Weather Service station listed below provides continuous marine weather broadcasts. The range of reception is variable, but for most stations is usually 20 to 40 miles from the antenna site.

Chicago, Ill KWO-39 162.55 MHz (Chan. WX-1)

POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental information.

NOTE A

Navigation regulations are published in Chapter 2, U.S. Coast Pilot 6. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are published in the Notice to Mariners. Information concerning the regulations may be obtained at the Office of the Commander, 9th Coast Guard District in Cleveland, Ohio or at the Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers in Chicago, Illinois.
Refer to charted regulation section numbers.

NOTE B

The channel legend reflects the Corps of Engineers project depth. The Corps of Engineers publishes the controlling depth periodically in the U.S Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners. For further information on channel depths, direct inquiries to Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, Chicago, Ill.

CAUTION

Due to periodic high water conditions in the Great Lakes, some features charted as visible at Low Water Datum may be submerged, particularly in the near shore areas. Mariners should proceed with caution.

NOTE C
BRIDGE CLEARANCES

Chicago River
- (A) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 199 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- (B) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 193 FT VERT CL 21 FT
- BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 200 FT VERT CL 21 FT
- (C & M) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 200 FT VERT CL 22 FT
- BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 200 FT VERT CL 19 FT
- (F) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 200 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 200 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- (K) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 210 FT VERT CL 17 FT

Chicago River (South Branch)
- (G) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 160 FT VERT CL 18 FT
- BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 160 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- (H) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 168 FT VERT CL 18 FT
- BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 168 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- (I) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 151 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 151 FT VERT CL 17 FT
- (J) BASCULE BRIDGE HOR CL 170 FT VERT CL 17 FT

CAUTION
BASCULE BRIDGE CLEARANCES

For bascule bridges, whose spans do not open to a full upright or vertical position, unlimited vertical clearance is not available for the entire charted horizontal clearance.

CAUTION

Only marine radiobeacons have been calibrated for surface use. Limitations on the use of certain other radio signals as aids to marine navigation can be found in the U.S. Coast Guard Light Lists and National Imagery and Mapping Agency Publication 117.

Radio direction-finder bearings to commercial broadcasting stations are subject to error and should be used with caution.

Station positions are shown thus:
(X)Accurate location) o(Approximate location)

CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Notice to Mariners.

During some winter months or when endangered by ice, certain aids to navigation are replaced by other types or removed. For details see U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

RADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed or many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.

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Celebration of Remediation

MAGNETIC
VAR. 2° 45' W (2002)
ANNUAL INCREASE 7'

Riverview Park
Lincoln Park
BELMONT HARBOR
DIVERSEY HARBOR
BURNHAM PARK HARBOR
GOOSE ISLAND
SOUTH BRANCH
CANAL
SOUTH BRANCH TURNING BASIN
MICHIGAN
L A K E

BELMONT HBR LT Fl R 3s 30ft Priv
Obstn PA (Rep 2002)
Fl R 3s 30ft Priv
Fl G 3s 30ft Priv
NORTH AVE JETTY LT Q R 38ft Priv
WM E DEVER CRIB LT Q 72ft Priv HORN
Security Zone 165.806 (see note B)
CHICAGO HBR LT Fl R 5s 62ft 24 St M HORN
29 FEET FOR WIDTH OF 800 FEET JAN-FEB 1990
089° 1.1 Miles to Point of Departure 35
OUTER BKW SW END LT Iso R 6s 27ft 8 St M
BKW S LT Fl R 4s 23ft 4 St M
Fl G 2s 39ft 5 M
Fl R 2.5s 39ft 5 M
Fl G 3s 39ft 5 M
Fl R 3s 39ft Priv
Fl G 3s 39ft Priv
Fl R 3s 39ft Priv
Fl G 3s 39ft Priv
Fl 4s 158ft "A" Priv
Fl 4s 158ft "B" Priv
Iso 4s 30ft Priv North
Iso 4s 30ft Priv South
Fl Y 2.5s 30ft
24 FT JAN-FEB 1990
21 FT MAR 1984
21 FT MID 100 FT JAN-FEB 1990
21 FT OCT 1981
Fl Y 2.5s 20ft Priv Pa ends
Fl Y 2.5s 20ft Priv PA
Fl G 2.5s 20ft Priv
Fl R 2.5s 20ft Priv