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ENGINEERING SERVICES

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SUBJECT: **Update on Removal of Barge at Packery Channel**

DATE: February 14, 2023

On February 3, 2023, Callan Marine provided the City with the salvage plan for removing the barge at the Packery Channel. The City has accepted the salvage plan as responsive to our January 20, 2023 Cure Notice. The salvage company, Resolve Marine, will pull the barge onto the beach, section it, and remove the scrap by truck.

The recovery operation will impact access to a portion of the South Packery Channel jetty walkway and beach area. For safety, a segment of the jetty walkway will be restricted until the barge is removed from the ocean.

The barge removal project will require the contractor restrict access to portions of the beach near the extraction site. Restricted access will last approximately 16 days. Advanced notification of the limited access will be made to the public.

The schedule submitted by the salvage company indicates the operation will begin on February 16 and be completed by March 3, 2023. This schedule is subject to change as it the project is being managed by a third-party agency. However, City staff will meet with the contractor weekly to remain apprised of the project's progress.

Attachments:

- 2/3/23 Resolve Marine Barge Recovery Plan