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PNWA briefs Brazilian delegation on Columbia Basin water resources



PNWA Executive Director Kristin Meira provided an overview of Columbia Snake River System history, infrastructure and benefits to a delegation from Brazil at Bonneville Dam Monday.

The delegation includes the nation's Minister of Regional Development and National Water Agency President, and is touring a variety of projects in Arizona, California and

Oregon to learn how water resources infrastructure can promote economic development.

Corps sets spring CSRS navigation lock outages

The annual maintenance closure of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers navigation locks on the Columbia and Snake rivers is scheduled for March 2021. Maintenance, inspection, and repair work will take place at the locks during the closure. Some locks have also scheduled non-routine work, including

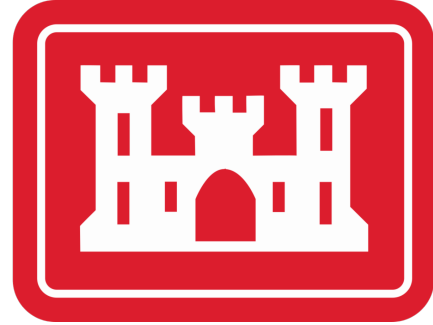
gate cleaning, structural inspections, and equipment/machinery repair and replacement.

All locks will close at 6 a.m. on Saturday, March 6, 2021.

All locks except Ice Harbor and Lower Granite will reopen at 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, March 21, 2021.

Ice Harbor and Lower Granite navigation locks will reopen at 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, March 28, 2021.

PNWA appreciates the feedback we received from our members regarding the duration and timing of the Ice Harbor outage. We passed those comments on to the Corps to help them analyze possible courses of action.



Port of Anacortes hosts virtual groundbreaking for dock replacement



Congratulations to the Port of Anacortes for the virtual "groundbreaking" on your A-Dock Demolition and Replacement Project at Cap Sante Marina. We were happy to help you navigate the federal permitting process, and can't wait to see your new commercial marine hub next spring!

[View the groundbreaking video on YouTube here](#)

Port of Tacoma offers virtual tour

Hop on the Port of Tacoma's tour bus and let them show you around. The port's new virtual tour is a great way to learn about the port's facilities, local businesses and habitat restoration sites, all from the comfort of your home!

[View the tour here](#)



Happy Thanksgiving from the PNWA staff

It's been a year like no other, but we at PNWA are still thankful for many things. We're especially thankful to be able to continue to



work together - albeit virtually - to represent you and your interests.

We hope you and your families, friends and coworkers remain safe and healthy this holiday season, and wish you a very happy Thanksgiving ... however and with whomever you're able to celebrate it.

The PNWA staff during one of the last times we were all together - our March 2020 Mission to Washington

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