



2025 - NOTICE TO SHIPPING # 4

NIAGARA REGION WELLAND CANAL

Shallow Depths and Associated Restrictions in the Welland Canal

Soundings have identified high spots in the Welland Canal. As a result, the following restrictions are in place.

Area	High Spot Description	Instructions	NAVWARN
Long Level	High spot at Guard Gate North wall (7.80m depth)	Ships drafting greater than 7.60m cannot tie up at the Guard Gate North wall	NW-C-1516-23
Long Level	High spot across from Wharf 13 (7.4m depth)	Use of the turning basin below Lock 8 is restricted to ships with an overall length less than 140m and a draft less than 7.10m	NW-C-1514-23

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