

August 6th, 2019

Dredge Works

Pacific Coast Terminals (PCT) is providing the public an update of their next stage of work on the channel dredging project.

To date the majority of the dredging project has been completed. The containment berm construction was completed in November 2018 (with minor touch ups being conducted time to time). Dredging of the navigational channel and turning basin was largely complete in March 2019 after having placed the dredged material behind the containment berm.

A detailed bathymetric survey was conducted in April 2019 to determine residual dredging scope within the channel, turning basin and berth face. With the fisheries window re-opening in mid-August, PCT will be recommencing its work to address the residual scope identified in the April survey. The work will be focused at the PCT berth face and the navigational channel with a few points to be addressed within the turning basin (see drawing below with the purple boxes representing locations of residual scope). Dredging activities are expected to be completed by end of September.

Equipment being used to complete the work will consist of barge mounted derricks and scows. Work that required the Columbia and floating pipeline was completed in March.



Working Hours

Dredging is scheduled to start the week of August 16th. Work is currently planned to be completed within normal work hours between 7am and 8pm Monday to Saturday. No work is currently scheduled for Sundays or Statutory holidays.

Please note all works will be conducted in conformance with applicable regulatory requirements and permits from the Vancouver Fraser Port Authority, Permit #15-136, Environment Climate Change Canada, Transport Canada and Fisheries and Oceans Canada.

PCT will continue to keep the community updated through our website and our Channels newsletter. Should you require additional information on the terminal expansion and construction project, or if you would like to register a concern with the project, please visit our website www.pct.ca or call 604-939-7371. After business hours please call 604-931-9211. Thank you for your continued patience.