

NOTICE TO MARINERS No 47 (T) of 2024

Port of Southampton

Western Docks Aid to Navigation Changes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the following buoys will be relocated from their current positions to their new permanent positions on the 13th March 2024 by the vessel **Willchallenge**.

N02392 Mulberry New Position

Easting: 440926	Northing: 111077
Latitude: 50.897728	Longitude: -1.419420
Lat DecMinSec: 50° 53' 51.82"	Lng DecMinSec: -1° 25' 9.91"

N02394 Cracknore New Position

Easting: 440808	Northing: 111237
Latitude: 50.89917	Longitude: -1.42107
Lat DecMinSec: 50° 53' 56.998"	Lng DecMinSec: -001° 25' 15.859"

N18282 Swinging Ground No.2 New Position

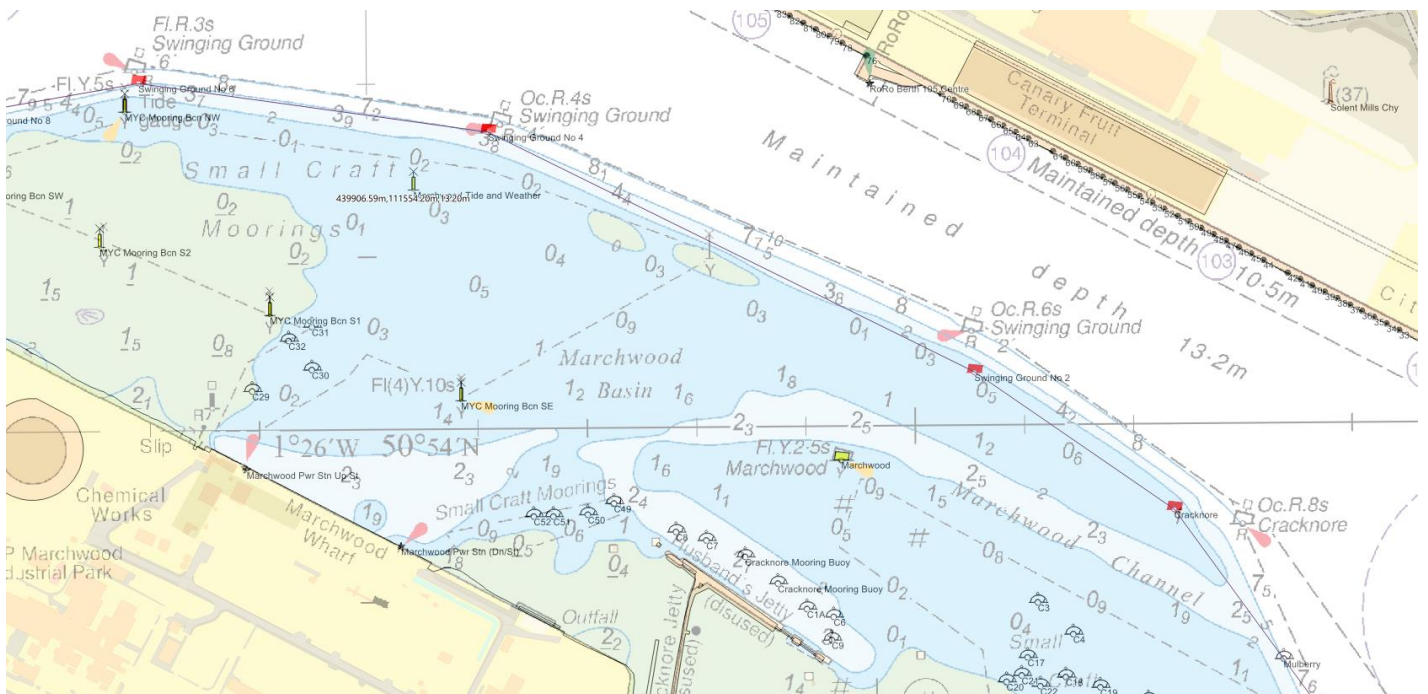
Easting: 440594	Northing: 111384
Latitude: 50.90050	Longitude: -1.42410
Lat DecMinSec: 50° 54' 1.84"	Lng DecMinSec: -001° 25' 26.78"

N02422 Swinging Ground No.4 New Position

Easting: 440073	Northing: 111642
Latitude: 50.90286	Longitude: -1.43148
Lat DecMinSec: 50° 54' 10.293"	Lng DecMinSec: -001° 25' 53.324"

N02423 Swinging Ground No.6 New Position

Easting: 439698	Northing: 111694
Latitude: 50.903361	Longitude: -1.436814
Lat DecMinSec: 50° 54' 12.10"	Lng DecMinSec: -1° 26' 12.53"



These changes reflect the newly widened main channel in the western docks and Updated charts will be issued by the UKHO in the coming months.

Vessels are requested to give a wide berth and speed reduction where possible while Willchallenge is lifting the main channel marks. Mariners should proceed with caution when navigating in the vicinity of the Western Docks. Ahead of their passage, mariners may also request shipping information from Southampton VTS on VHF Channel 12.

**Vessel Traffic Services Centre
Ocean Dock, Atlantic Way
Southampton**

**Steve Masters
Harbour Master**

12th March 2024

Owners, Agents, Charterers, Marinas, Yacht Clubs and Recreational Sailing Organisations should ensure that the contents of this Notice are made known to the masters or persons in charge of their vessels or craft.