

## Local Notice to Mariners 08 of 2021

## <u>Hazardous Scaffolding and Site Lighting Beneath Outer Spans of Red Footbridge</u>

MARINERS ARE ADVISED that any navigation beneath the outside spans of the Red Footbridge is hazardous during the currently underway West Sussex County Council planned maintenance.

However, please note that the main navigation channel is not restricted and craft can pass between the bridge support fendering and corresponding red and green lateral lights as usual.

At various times during the works there will be scaffolding under the west and east bridge spans (outside the main channel) which present a hazard to even small craft at higher tides. Orange flashing site lights are located in these areas to mark the hazard.

Even for those berthing at the Shipyard's or Arun View Inn' moorings, passage beneath the bridge's outside spans is strongly discouraged.



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.

This Local Notice will be cancelled on removal of all scaffolding and lighting when maintenance works are completed

Any questions about the works underway, pedestrian/cyclist access or the replacement bus service should be directed to West Sussex County Council (quoting "Ferry Footbridge in Littlehampton" via 01243 777100).

Michael Hayes

**Deputy Harbour Master** 

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