

PORTLAND ROSE FESTIVAL NOTAMS 2009

NOTAM I JUNE 4, 2009

Beginning on Thursday, June 4th 0600 hours and continuing through 1900 hours, Naval vessels will be traveling up the Columbia and Willamette Rivers to dock at Portland's Waterfront Park for the Portland Rose Festival.

Due to a heightened level of security aboard these vessels, airmen should avoid direct over-flight or operations near these vessels.

Crews on the vessels are on high alert. The purpose of this NOTAM is to avoid placing Naval personnel in the position of having to make a judgment call about the intentions of an aircraft approaching the ships.

NOTAM 2 JUNE 5-8, 2009

From June 5th @ 1500 hours to June 8th, 2009 @ 1300 hours PDT, Naval vessels will be docked in the Willamette River in front of the Portland Downtown Heliport for the Portland Rose Festival. Due to a heightened level of security aboard these vessels, airmen should avoid direct over-flight of these vessels for any operations including, but not limited to, approach to and departure from the Portland Downtown Heliport. If possible, airmen should use the north approach both in and out of the facility.

Aircraft utilizing the Heliport or operating in the area of these Naval Vessels should initiate and maintain radio communication with joint Navy/Coast Guard Command Post on 123.075 when approaching the downtown area.

While the ships are in Portland, the area of the Willamette River between the Steel Bridge and the Hawthorne Bridge will be a designated Coast Guard Security Zone. Any operations, including water taxiing (Seaplanes) are prohibited.

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NOTAM 3 JUNE 8, 2009

On June 8th, 2009 beginning at 0500 hours PDT, Naval vessels will be traveling down the Willamette and Columbia Rivers as they leave the Portland Rose Festival.

Due to a heightened level of security aboard these vessels, airmen should avoid direct over-flight or operations near these vessels.

Crews on the vessels are on high alert. The purpose of this NOTAM is to avoid placing Naval personnel in the position of having to make a judgment call about the intentions of an aircraft approaching the ships.

2009 Rose Festival Vessel & Security Zone Layout (Downtown Chartlet; 4 – 8 June)

Note: Objects not drawn to scale.

