GUIDE TO THE CITY OF MILWAUKEE BRIDGE OPERATIONS 2014 2013 2012

PROCEDURES FOR BRIDGE OPENINGS

- Please use this guide for bridge staffing before you start.
- Staffed bridges will be opened by Operators when boaters arrive and the horn signal is sounded.
- Opening of unstaffed and remote bridges can be scheduled by calling 286-2575 or Marine Ch. 16 with two-hour notice.

- 24 hour staffing
- 7 am till 11 pm staffing
- unstaffed
- remotely operated

PROPER HORN SIGNALS

Broadway Street Bridge:
3 long 1 short blast
Water Street Bridge:
3 long 2 short blasts
All other bridges:
1 long 1 short blast
Railroad bridge openings:
2 long 2 short blasts

Operation of Railroad Bridges is independent from the City of Milwaukee Bridge Operators.
(414)278-1385 Menomonee
(414)389-3772 Kinnickinnic

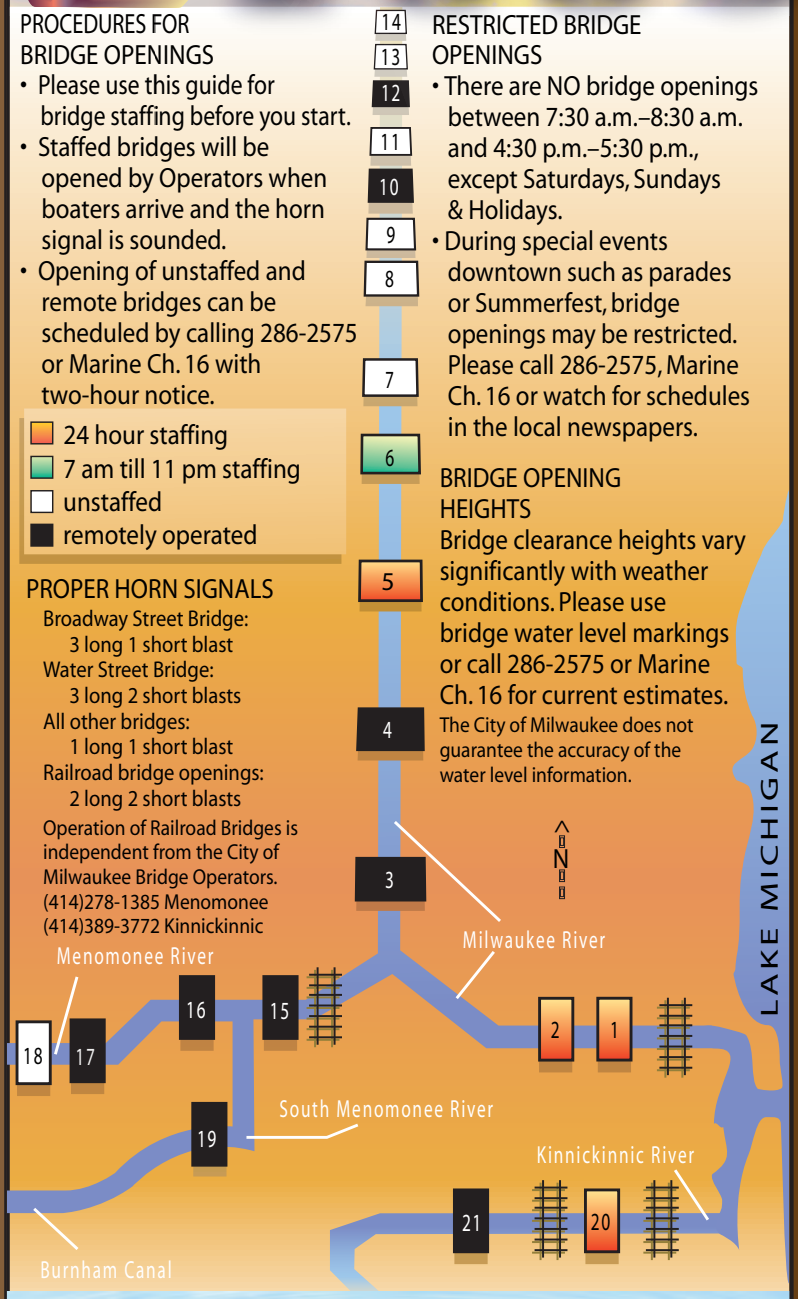
RESTRICTED BRIDGE OPENINGS

- There are NO bridge openings between 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m., except Saturdays, Sundays & Holidays.
- During special events downtown such as parades or Summerfest, bridge openings may be restricted. Please call 286-2575, Marine Ch. 16 or watch for schedules in the local newspapers.

BRIDGE OPENING HEIGHTS

Bridge clearance heights vary significantly with weather conditions. Please use bridge water level markings or call 286-2575 or Marine Ch. 16 for current estimates.

The City of Milwaukee does not guarantee the accuracy of the water level information.



24-HOUR MILWAUKEE BRIDGE OPENING HOT LINE (414-286-2575)

(located at the Michigan St. Bridge) or Marine Radio Channel 16-KW4448

1. BROADWAY
2. WATER STREET
3. ST. PAUL AVENUE
4. CLYBOURN STREET
5. MICHIGAN STREET
6. WISCONSIN AVENUE
7. WELLS STREET
8. KILBOURN AVENUE
9. STATE STREET
10. HIGHLAND AVENUE
11. JUNEAU AVENUE
12. KNAPP STREET
13. CHERRY STREET
14. PLEASANT STREET
15. PLANKINTON AVENUE
16. N. 6TH STREET
17. EMMBER LANE
18. JAMES E. GROPPI UNITY (16TH STREET)
19. S. 6TH STREET
20. KINNICKINNIC AVENUE
21. S. 1ST STREET

Thank you for using the City of Milwaukee Rivers. For additional information please call (414)286-3450 7:00 am - 3:30 pm, (414)286-2150 all other times or TDD #(414)286-2025.