

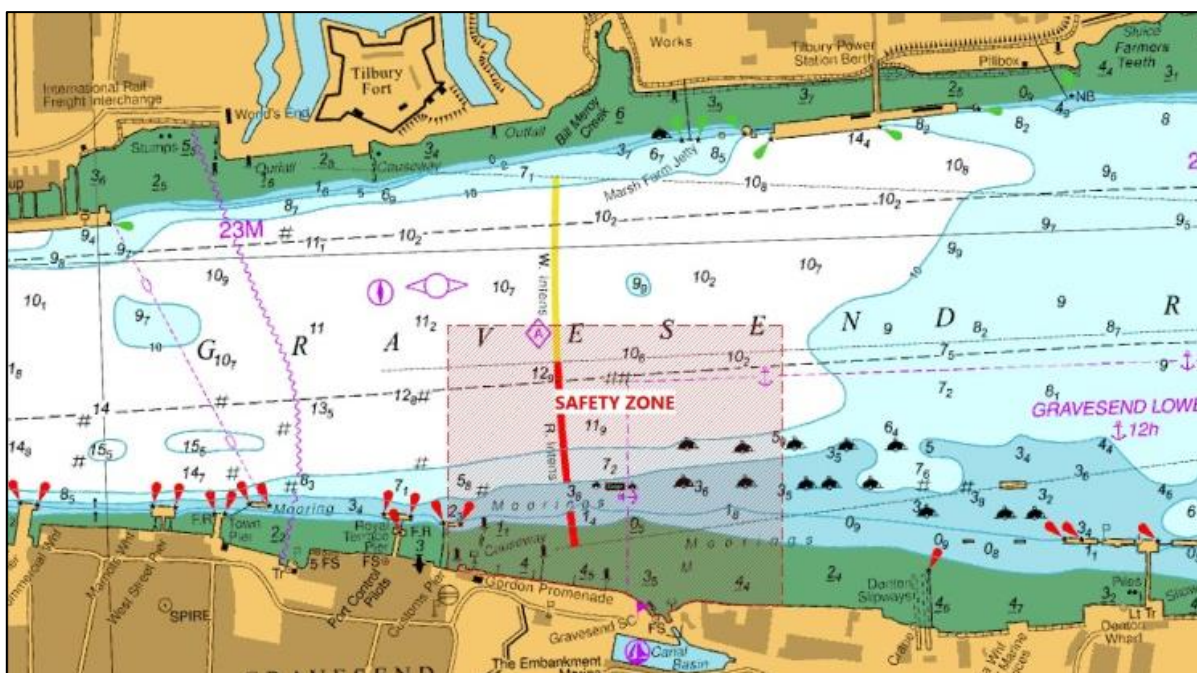
NOTICE TO MARINERS L42 of 2019

GRAVESEND REACH

GRAVESEND FIREWORKS DISPLAY

On **Friday 1st November 2019** at 20:00 a fireworks display will take place over the River Thames on the south side of Gravesend Reach.

The display will be conducted from the PLA Mooring Maintenance Vessel "LONDON TITAN", which will be positioned approximately 150m offshore from Gordon Promenade, Gravesend.



A Safety Zone will be in place from 19:45 till 20:45 extending 300m from "LONDON TITAN" to cover any potential fall out from the fireworks. No vessels other than emergency service vessels responding to an incident and vessels engaged in fireworks operations will be permitted to navigate within the safety zone. Any vessels remaining moored within the safety zone during the fireworks display do so at their owner's risk.

A Harbour Service Launch will be in attendance for the purposes of maintaining the safety zone, exhibiting flashing blue lights, with the call sign prefix THAMES PATROL and maintaining a listening watch on VHF Channel 68 throughout. London VTS will co-ordinate commercial traffic movements accordingly along Gravesend Reach in order that they do not coincide with the time of the display

The firework display is expected to last 20 minutes.

Further details will be broadcast by London VTS on VHF Channel 68.

2 October 2019

Port of London Authority
London River House, Royal Pier Road,
Gravesend, Kent DA12 2BG

BOB BAKER
CHIEF HARBOUR MASTER



EXPIRY DATE: 2nd November 2019
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be recorded in the VTS Centres at Gravesend and Woolwich
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<http://www.pla.co.uk/Safety/Regulations-and-Guidance/Notices-to-Mariners/Notices-to-Mariners>

