

CITY OF NEWBURYPORT



IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED:

May 9, 2022

Whereas the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) plans to complete its Merrimack River dredging project between the months of September 2022 and March 2023, and

Whereas the USACE requires the ability to work 24 hours a day to accommodate the tide cycles and because of the nature of the beach work and quantity of material needed to be dredged, and

Whereas the 24 hours a day shifts will mean violating the City's ordinances on noise, and

Whereas the USACE has requested written confirmation that it may work in 24 hour a day shifts.

Now, Therefore, the City Council of the City of Newburyport hereby waives the enforcement of the City's noise ordinance for the USACE dredging project from September 1, 2022 to April 30, 2023.

Councillor Sharif I. Zeid