

## United States- Canada Hydrographic Commission



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Monday, March 18, 2019  
Beau Rivage Hotel  
Gardenia Room  
875 Beach Blvd  
Biloxi, MS USA 39530

### *INVITATION AND LOGISTICS INFORMATION*

Dear Colleagues:

The U.S. hydrographic services invite you to participate in the forty-second meeting of the United States-Canada Hydrographic Commission (USCHC) which will take place on **Monday, March 18, 2019** in Biloxi Mississippi at the Beau Rivage Hotel (<https://www.beaurivage.com/en.html>). USCHC42 will meet the day before the official opening of the US Hydro 2019 Conference from 0900 to 1645 in the Gardenia Room at the same venue as the conference. While it is encouraged, it is not necessary that the participants to the USCHC meeting attend the US Hydro 2019 Conference.

Attendees are invited to make their own travel and hotel arrangements at their earliest convenience. Non-US citizens travelling to United States should check for any entry requirements at <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/tourism-visit/visitor.html>

All information regarding the US Hydro 2019 Conference (accommodations, registration, transportation, and other logistics) can be found at: <https://www.thsoa.org/US-Hydro-2019>. Logistically, those flying may consider flights to New Orleans (Louisiana), Gulfport (Mississippi), or Mobile (Alabama) then driving to Biloxi. Biloxi, itself, though does have a small airport.

The draft agenda for USCHC42 will be made available on the USCHC page on the website of the International Hydrographic Commission ([www.iho.int](http://www.iho.int)). Members are kindly asked to check the IHO USCHC meeting site regularly for updates to the documentation and other relevant information. Comments and suggestions regarding the agenda are welcome until **13 March 2018** and should be submitted to [Douglas.Brunt@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:Douglas.Brunt@dfo-mpo.gc.ca) and [Jonathan.Justi@noaa.gov](mailto:Jonathan.Justi@noaa.gov).

Documents and presentations for USCHC-42 should be submitted to [Jonathan.Justi@noaa.gov](mailto:Jonathan.Justi@noaa.gov)

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before **13 March 2018**. All documents will be posted on the IHO USCHC meeting site shortly after they are received.

Because space is limited, participants should contact [Jonathan.Justi@noaa.gov](mailto:Jonathan.Justi@noaa.gov) to confirm participation. Please provide name, organizational affiliation, position title, and other contact information you wish to share (address, email, telephone, etc..).

For any further information, please feel free to contact the USCHC Secretariat at:

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IHO Secretariat: Anthony Pharaoh at [adtd@iho.int](mailto:adtd@iho.int)

As always, if you have any questions for me, please do not hesitate to contact me at [Shep.Smith@noaa.gov](mailto:Shep.Smith@noaa.gov)

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In the United States of America the standard voltage is 120 V and the frequency is 60 Hz. You may need an adaptor to fit the US electrical receptacles.

**Biloxi, Mississippi**

