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## ***PRELIMINARY PUBLIC NOTICE D05PPN-03-2023***

All interested parties are notified that the Commander, Fifth Coast Guard District has received a proposal from the North Carolina Department of Transportation with plans for replacement of an existing highway, fixed bridge over a navigable waterway of the United States.

**WATERWAY AND LOCATION:** Dawson Creek, mile 0.1, at Pamlico County, NC.

**CHARACTER OF WORK:** The proposed project is to replace the existing SR 1302 (Janeiro Road) Bridge with a new fixed span bridge at the same location. The replacement structure will be approximately 300 feet long providing 36 feet of deck width. The bridge will include two 10-foot lanes with a 4-foot shoulder on the westbound side and a 5-foot sidewalk on the eastbound side. The existing bridge will be removed in its entirety. The purpose of the project is to replace the current, structurally deficient bridge with a new structure.

### **MINIMUM NAVIGATIONAL CLEARANCES:**

<b><u>Existing</u></b>	<b><u>Proposed</u></b>
Vertical Clearance:  10.71 feet above mean high water	Vertical Clearance:  10.89 feet above mean high water
Horizontal Clearance: (normal to axis of the channel)  35 feet between the bridge pilings	Horizontal Clearance: (normal to axis of the channel)  70 feet between the bridge pilings

North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD88)] (Existing and Proposed bridges)

**SOLICITATION OF COMMENTS:**

Mariners are requested to provide navigational information, such as the sizes and types of vessels presently owned and operated on the waterway and nature of navigation (including the extent of nighttime navigation) on the waterway. Mariners are requested to comment on the navigational clearances and need for bridge protective systems, clearance gauges, and navigational lighting on the proposed bridge. Please submit the attached response form.

Interest parties are requested to express their views, in writing, on the proposed bridge project, giving sufficient detail to establish a clear understanding of their reasons for support of, or opposition to, the proposed project. Comments will be received for the record at the office of Commander (dpb), Fifth Coast Guard District, 431 Crawford Street, Portsmouth, VA 23704-5004 through March 18, 2023.

HAL R. PITTS  
Bridge Program Manager  
By direction

Attachments: (1) Response Form  
(2) Location/Vicinity Maps

SR 1302 (Janeiro Road) Bridge  
 Dawson Creek, mile 0.1,  
 at Pamlico County, NC  
**Preliminary Public Notice D05PPN-03-2023**  
 Response Form

It is requested that anyone having an interest in this proposed project, from the standpoint of navigation, submit vessel information, comments, and recommendations on this form to the office of Commander (dpb), Fifth Coast Guard District, 431 Crawford Street, Portsmouth, VA 23704-5004 by March 18, 2023.

<b>Vessel Information</b>	Please provide all requested information:
Vessel Type	
Use – <i>Commercial and/or Recreational</i>	
Vessel Height	
Draft	
Length	
Beam	
Tonnage	
Mooring Location	

Name (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Comments and Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

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# SR 1302 (Janeiro Road) Bridge (34.993236, -76.757289)

