

# U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District

## 2022 PHOTO CONTEST CALENDAR



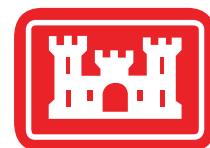
*The M/V Manitowoc arriving in Manistee, Mich. through a cloud of sea smoke. Photo by Chris Franckowiak.*

In spring 2021, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District, ran a social media-based photo contest of the public's photos capturing landscapes, boats and piers only found on the Great Lakes.

Participants from all over the country submitted photos, and people from all over the world voted on those photos. We're pleased to present this downloadable calendar featuring the 12 images receiving the most votes.

A big thank you to all the participants and voters! Follow us on social media for an announcement and details about next year's photo contest in spring of 2022.

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# January 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Commercial shipping through Manistee Harbor on the shores of Lake Michigan supports \$327.9 million in business revenue and nearly 2,000 jobs. Manistee Harbor is within the Grand Haven Area Office's area of responsibility.						1
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*The M/V Manistowoc arriving in Manistee, Mich. through a cloud of sea smoke. Photo by Chris Franckowiak.*

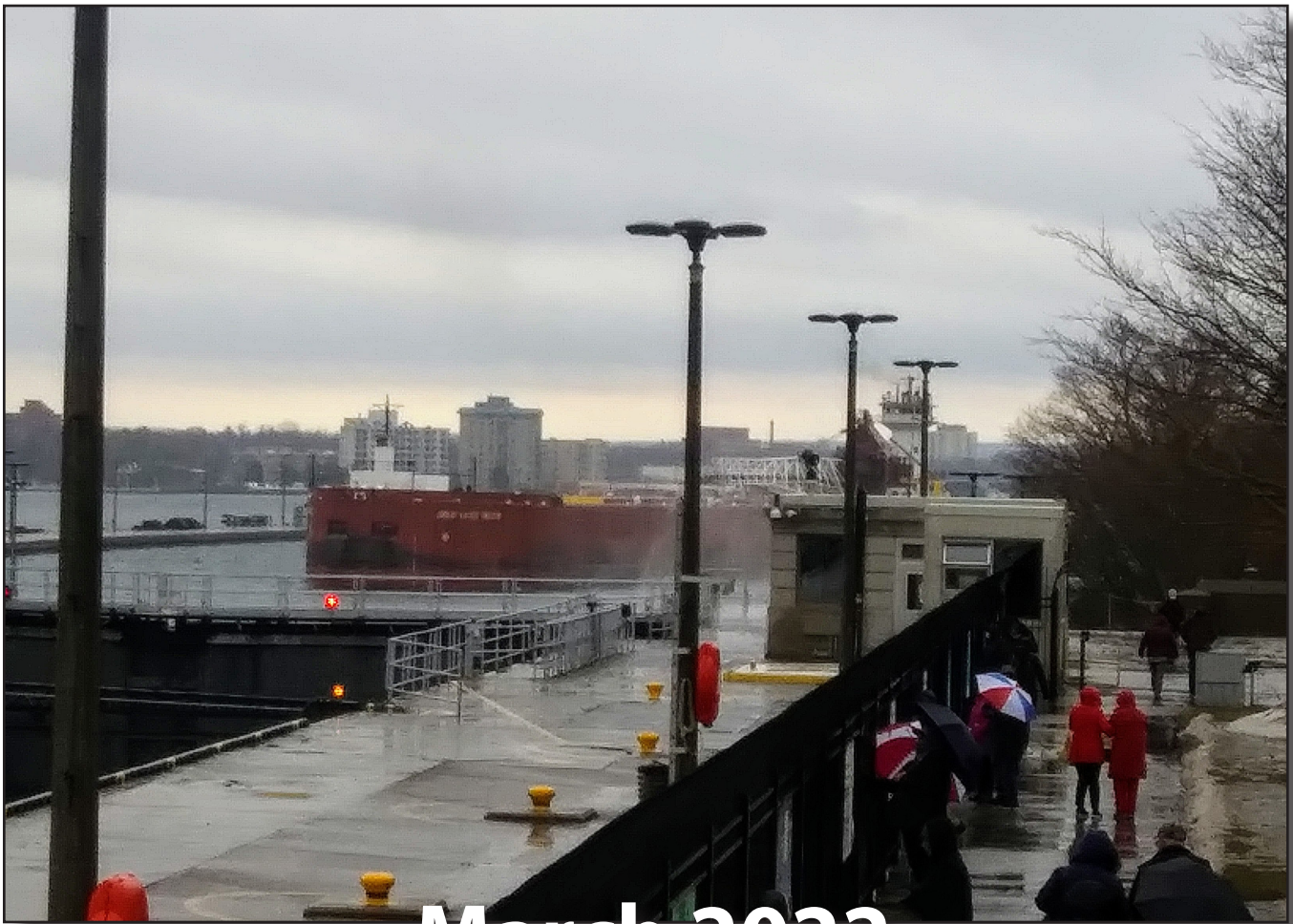


# February 2022

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27	28	<p>Located southeast of the Straits of Mackinac on Northern Lake Huron, Cheboygan Harbor is a deep draft commercial harbor and home port for the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Mackinaw and within the Soo Area Office's area of responsibility.</p>				

*The Cheboygan range light after a storm in Cheboygan, Mich. Photo by Jason O'Grady.*





# March 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
The USACE, Detroit District closes the Soo Locks in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan for annual maintenance every year at midnight, January 15.		1	2	3	4	5
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26	27	28	29	30	31	The new navigation season opens each March 25, drawing crowds to celebrate the season's first vessel lockage.

The tug Joyce VanEnkevort and barge Great Lakes Trader on opening day of the Soo Locks in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Photo by Myra Declair.





# April 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>The St. Marys River is an international body of water between Michigan and Ontario, Canada, connecting Lakes Superior and Huron. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers maintains 75 miles of deep draft channels through the waterway.</p>					1	2
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*The Heemskerck resembles a pirate ship emerging from heavy fog in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. Photo by Dino House.*



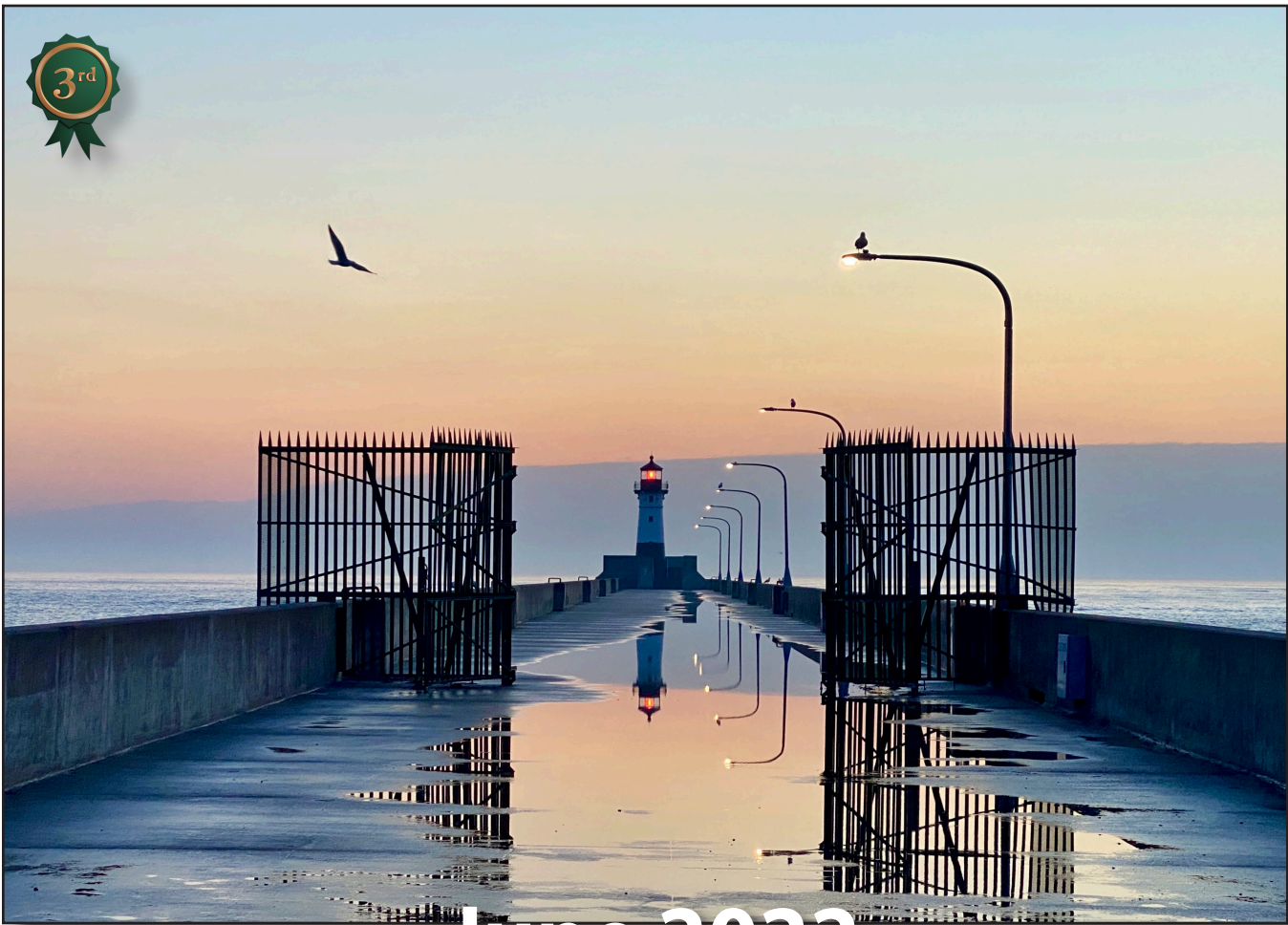


## May 2022

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29	30	31	St. Joseph Harbor, between the cities of St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, Michigan boasts 1.5 miles of federal channels the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers oversees. In 2019, nearly 300,000 tons of materials shipped through the port generating more than \$36 million in business revenue.			

*The setting sun lights the lamp on the range lights in St. Joseph, Mich. Photo by Lyn Braddock.*





## June 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
The Duluth Ship Canal in Duluth, Minnesota, forms one of two entrances into Duluth-Superior Harbor. Built by the City of Duluth in 1871, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers took over its maintenance in 1887.			1	2	3	4
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*The Duluth North Pier Lighthouse during sunrise in Duluth, Minn. Photo by Wendy Pierce.*





# July 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Often called the Great Lakes navigation system "lynch pin," the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Soo Locks in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan bypasses the St. Marys River rapids where the water drops 21 feet over bedrock in a 3/4-mile stretch.					1	2
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*The M/V Great Republic heads into the MacArthur Lock under clear blue skies in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Photo by Joe Mangas.*





# August 2022

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28	29	30	31	Canal Park in Duluth, Minnesota and its Visitor Center is one of two recreation projects the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District, operates. More than 1 million people visited the park in 2020.		

Sunrise at Canal Park in Duluth, Minn. Photo by Wendy Pierce.



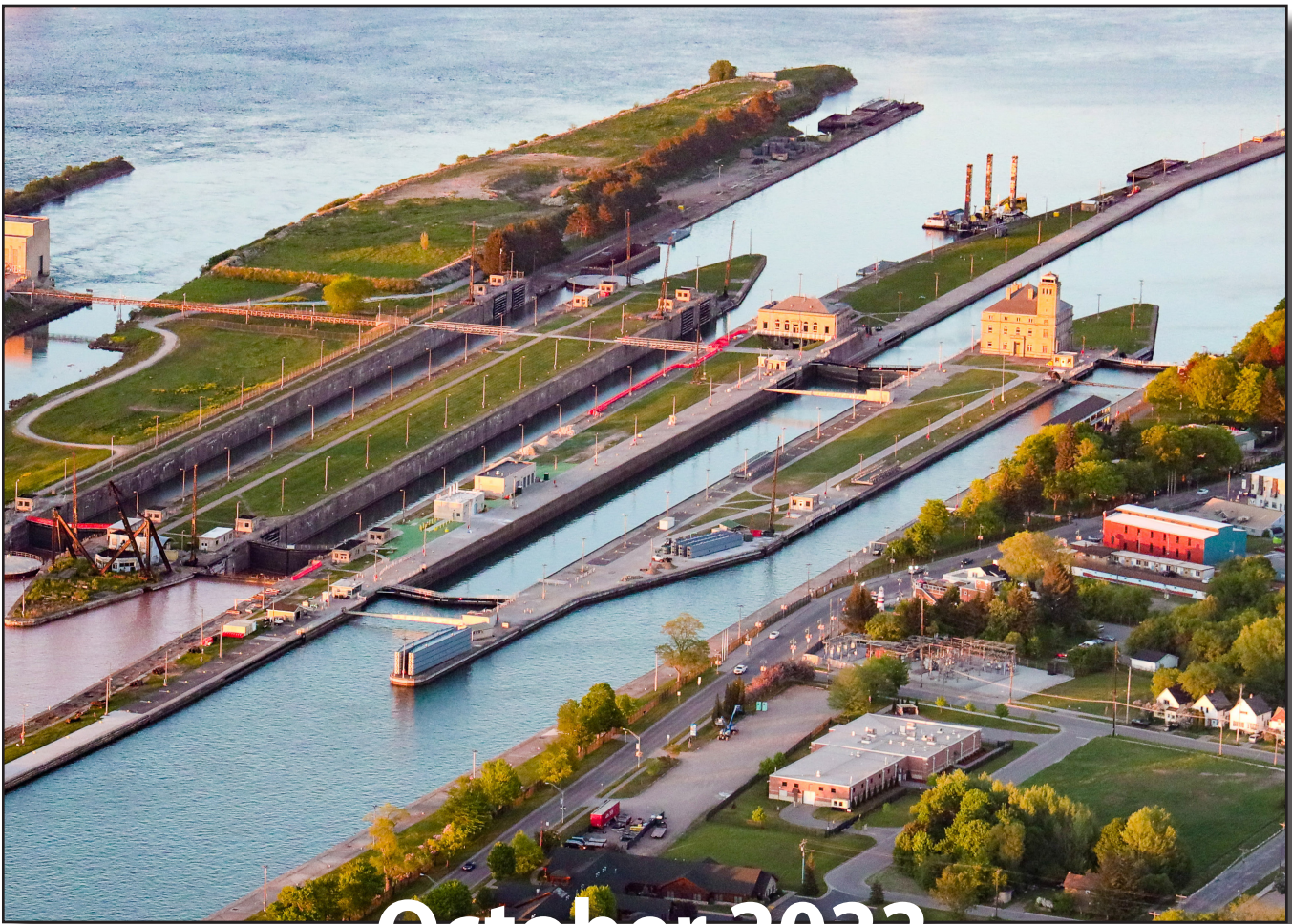


# September 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Created in the 1860s to support the copper industry, the Keweenaw Waterway passes through Houghton and Hancock, Michigan. Today, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers oversees this 18-mile federal channel through the Keweenaw Peninsula, allowing bulk commodities delivery to area communities and serving as a Lake Superior harbor of refuge.				1	2	3
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*The M/V Kaye E. Barker passes under the Portage Lake Lift Bridge in Hancock, Mich. on a fall afternoon. Photo by Danielle Adams.*



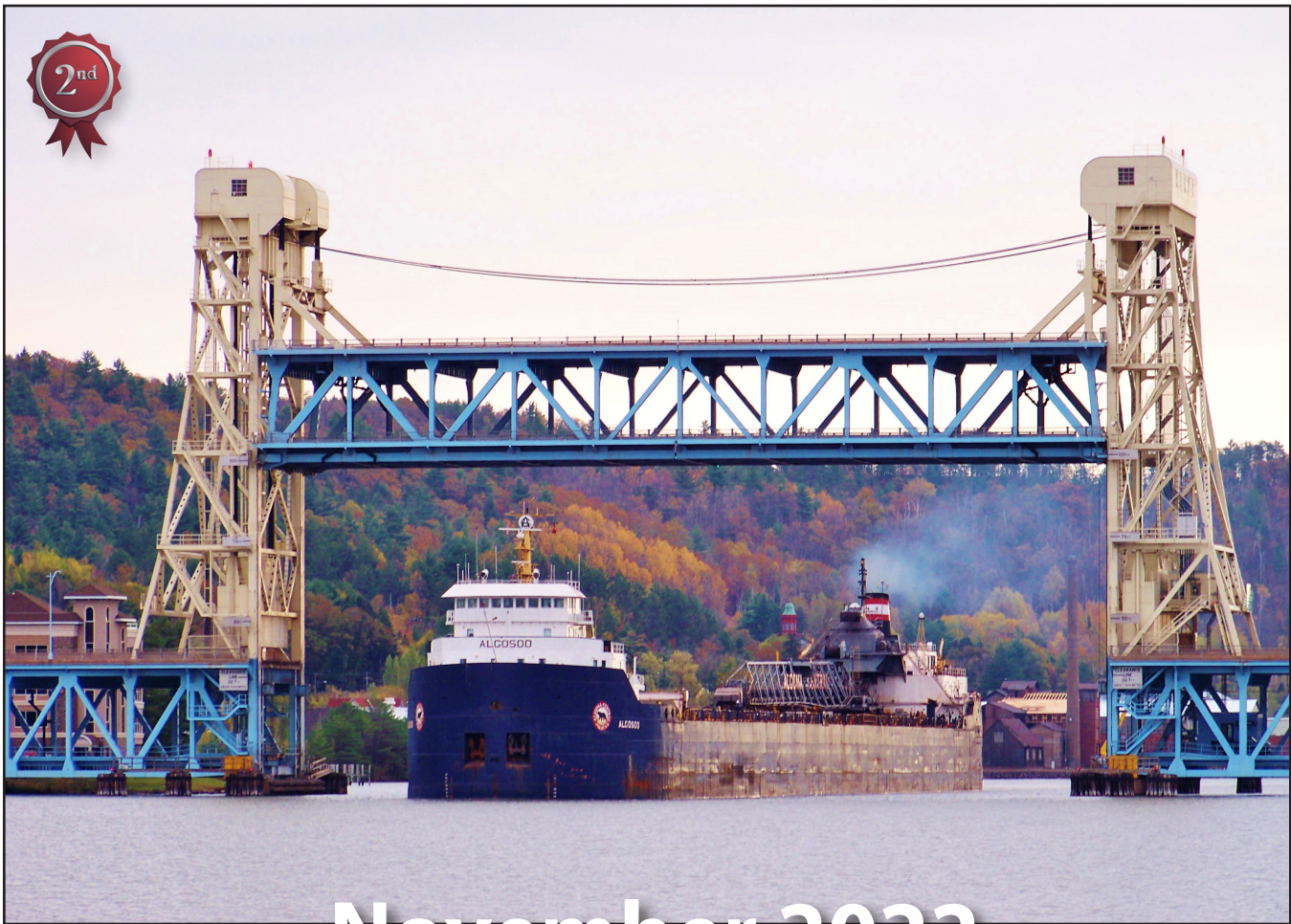


# October 2022

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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is constructing a mega project, building a new lock chamber at the Soo Locks in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. The New Lock at the Soo project is critical the nation's infrastructure. Work began in 2020 and could be complete as soon as 2027.						1
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*The Soo Locks at sunset in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Photo by Charlie MacInnes.*





# November 2022

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27	28	29	30	Within the 18-mile long Keweenaw Waterway, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers maintains more than 24,000 feet of breakwaters, piers and revetments		

*The M/V Algosoo passes below the Portage Lake Lift Bridge in Hancock, Mich. with a load of road salt. Photo by Danielle Adams.*





# December 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Almost 34 million tons of cargo moved through Duluth Superior Harbor in 2019, ranking it first among Great Lakes ports and 20th nationally. Shipping through the harbor generates \$1.4 billion in business revenue and creates more than 11,000 port related jobs. Duluth Superior Harbor is within the Duluth Area Office's area of responsibility.</p>				1	2	3
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*The M/V Arthur M. Anderson arriving in Duluth, Minn. Photo by Mark Schmeetz.*