DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

[Docket No. USCG-2024-0575]

Safety Zone; Hemingway Paddleboard Race, Key West, FL

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Notification of enforcement of

regulation.

summary: The Coast Guard will enforce a safety zone for the Hemingway Paddleboard Race, Key West, Florida to provide for the safety of life on the navigable waterways during this event. This action is necessary to ensure the safety of event participants and spectators. During the enforcement period, no person or vessel may enter, transit through, anchor in, or remain within the regulated area without approval from the Captain of the Port Key West or a designated representative.

165.786 will be enforced for the location identified in Item 7.1 of the Table to § 165.786, from 5:30 p.m. through 6:30 p.m. on July 20, 2024.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions about this notification of enforcement, call or email Hailye Wilson, Sector Key West Waterways Management Department, Coast Guard; telephone 305–292–8768; email: hailye.m.wilson@uscg.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Coast Guard will enforce the safety zone in 33 CFR 165.786, Table to § 165.786, Item 7.1, for the Annual Hemingway Paddleboard Race in Key West, Florida from 5:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. July 20, 2024. This action is being taken to provide for the safety of life on navigable waterways during this event. The regulation for recurring marine events within Sector Key West Captain of the Port (COTP) zone, Table to § 165.786, Item 7.1, specifies the location of the regulated area for the Hemingway Sunset Run and Paddleboard Race event. During the enforcement period, no person or vessel may enter, transit through, anchor in, or remain within the established regulated areas without approval from the Captain of the Port Key West or designated representative. The Coast Guard may be assisted by other Federal, State, or local law enforcement agencies in enforcing this regulation.

In addition to this notification of enforcement in the **Federal Register**, the Coast Guard will provide notice of the regulated area by Local Notice to Mariners and Broadcast Notice to Mariners. If the Captain of the Port Key West determines that the regulated area need not be enforced for the full duration stated in this publication, he or she may use a Broadcast Notice to Mariners to grant general permission to enter the regulated area.

Dated: July 11, 2024.

Jason D. Ingram,

Captain U.S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port Key West.

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Safety Zone; Atlantic Ocean, Virginia Beach Oceanfront, VA; Air Show

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS. **ACTION:** Temporary final rule.

summary: The Coast Guard is establishing a temporary safety zone for certain waters in the vicinity of the Virginia Beach, VA oceanfront. This action is necessary to provide for the safety of life on these navigable waters during an air show. This temporary rule prohibits persons and vessels from entry in the safety zone unless authorized by the Captain of the Port Sector Virginia (COTP) or a designated representative.

DATES: This rule is effective August 20, 2024, through August 21, 2024.

ADDRESSES: To view documents mentioned in this preamble as being available in the docket, go to https://www.regulations.gov, type USCG-2024-0346 in the search box and click "Search." Next, in the Document Type column, select "Supporting & Related Material."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions about this rule, call or email CDR Patrick Grizzle, Sector Virginia, Prevention Department, U.S. Coast Guard, Telephone: 757–668–5580, email: VirginiaWaterways@uscg.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Table of Abbreviations

CFR Code of Federal Regulations
DHS Department of Homeland Security
FR Federal Register
NPRM Notice of proposed rulemaking
§ Section

U.S.C. United States Code

II. Background Information and Regulatory History

On April 4, 2024, the National Air. Sea, and Space Foundation notified the Coast Guard that the 2024 NATO Joint Power Demo Air Show will be occurring Tuesday, August 20, 2024, to Wednesday, August 21, 2024. The air show includes an aerial performance area over a portion of the Virginia Beach oceanfront, where high powered jet aircraft will perform aerobatic maneuvers. In response, on May 17, 2024, the Coast Guard published a notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) titled "Safety Zone; Atlantic Ocean, Virginia Beach Oceanfront, VA; Air Show" (89 FR 43350). There, we stated why we issued the NPRM and invited comments on our proposed regulatory action related to this air show. During the comment period that ended June 17, 2024, we received no comments.

III. Legal Authority and Need for Rule

The Coast Guard is issuing this rule under authority in 46 U.S.C. 70034. The Captain of the Port, Sector Virginia (COTP) has determined that potential hazards associated with the airshow beginning August 20, 2024 through August 21, 2024, will be a safety concern for anyone within the following points: 36°53′10″ N, 075°58′57″ W; 36°51′31″ N, 075°56′48″ W; 36°51′14″ N, 075°58′23″ W. The purpose of this rule is to ensure safety of vessels and the navigable waters in the safety zone before, during, and after the scheduled event.

IV. Discussion of Comments, Changes, and the Rule

As noted above, we received no comments on our NPRM published May 17, 2024. There are no changes in the regulatory text of this rule from the rule proposed in the NPRM.

This rule establishes a safety zone from August 20, 2024, until August 21, 2024. The safety zone would cover all navigable waters from the shoreline of the Atlantic Ocean at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront contained within the following points: 36°53′10″ N, 075°58′57″ W; 36°53′27″ N, 075°57′22″W; 36°51′31″ N, 075°56′48″ W; 36°51′14" N, 075°58′23" W. The duration of the zone is intended to ensure the safety of vessels and these navigable waters before, during, and after the air show. No vessel or person will be permitted to enter the safety zone without obtaining permission from the COTP or a designated representative.