

EMERGENCY NAVIGATION CLOSURE NOTICE



Section 15 Anglian Water Authority Act 1977

Anglian Waterways (All Rivers & Locations Listed)

DATE: 25 March 2020 – Until at least 14 April 2020.

LOCATION: Anglian Waterways (All Navigations)

DETAILS: EMERGENCY CLOSURE OF ALL ASSISTED PASSAGE LOCKS

Following the Prime Ministers announcement on 23 March 2020 about the UK's heightened response to the Coronavirus emergency, we have taken the difficult decision to introduce limits to the use of our waterways to protect our staff, customers and stop all non-essential travel.

From 4pm on Friday 27th March 2020 the following lock sites where we provide assisted passage will close, or remain closed, until further notice.



- **South Ferriby Lock** on the River Ancholme;
- **Black Sluice Lock** on the Black Sluice Navigation at Boston;
- **Fulney Lock** on the River Welland in Spalding;
- **Dog-in-a-Doublet Lock** on the River Nene;
- **Denver Lock** at Denver on the Ely Ouse / Tidal River Great Ouse and;
- **Hermitage Lock**, Earith on the River Great Ouse (Bedford Ouse).

Please make sure you return to your home mooring, or to a point of safe mooring, before these locks are closed.

We will keep these restrictions under constant review in the light of the developing situation and advice from Government, but we expect them to be in place until at least 14 April 2020. For further information please contact the Environment Agency via e-mail; enquiries@environment-agency.gov.uk in the first instance.

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