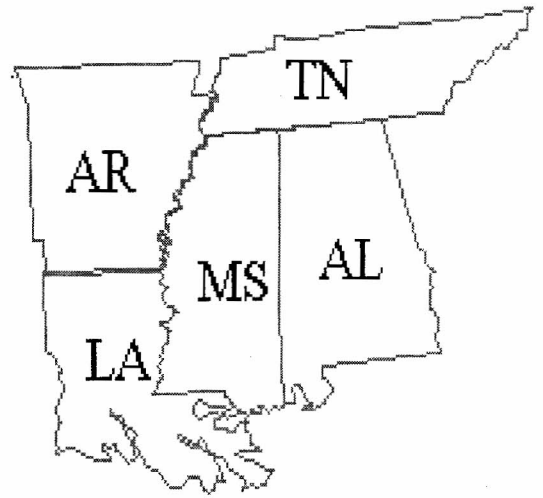


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## Notice to the Area Port of New Orleans Trade Community

**Date:** January 2, 2013

**No.:** 13-001

**SUBJECT:** Holidays for the Port of New Orleans

The Area Port Director's office and associated staff, along with the Entry, FP&F, Vessel Repair and Import Specialist Units will be closed for the days listed below in observance of the respective federal holidays:

Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday	January 21, 2013
Mardi Gras Day (observed)	February 12, 2013
Washington's Birthday	February 18, 2013
Memorial Day	May 27, 2013
Independence Day	July 4, 2013
Labor Day	September 2, 2013
Columbus Day	October 14, 2013
Veterans Day	November 11, 2013
Thanksgiving Day	November 28, 2013
Christmas Day	December 25, 2013
New Year's Day	January 1, 2014

U.S. Customs and Border Protection's airport and river operations will observe regular hours. All requests for services on these holidays must be placed by 3:00 PM the day prior to the holiday by calling the Loyola Avenue Operations Desk at 504-623-6600.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kim K. Hynes". The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized font.

Kim K. Hynes  
Acting Area Port Director  
New Orleans, Louisiana