



What is a NOAA RespondersChart?



The **NOAA RespondersChart™** is a tool for oil spill response, hurricane recovery, search and rescue, homeland security, and other incidents where the nautical chart is a natural tool for planning, coordinating, or sharing information. Responders can download these charts, digitally annotate them with incident-specific information, and then print copies, or distribute electronic copies via e-mail or by posting for use on the Internet.

NOAA RespondersCharts are provided for free, in Adobe PDF format at www.NauticalCharts.gov/RespondersChart. Commenting and annotating usage rights have been enabled. **Adobe Reader 7.0 or later is required** to use the commenting and annotating functionality. Adobe Reader is free at www.Adobe.com.

RespondersCharts have been reduced in size to 11" by 17" so as to be printable on a wide variety of printers. Because of the severe reduction in scale, detailed information is difficult to read. Use full scale NOAA nautical charts for navigation.

Tips for Commenting and Annotating

Pictures and text can be **Cut** and **Pasted** directly from an authoring package such as Microsoft Word. Try it to see how it behaves.

Use the menu items **Tools -> Drawing Markup -> TextBox** or **CallOut** to insert boxes for text. Then type or cut and paste text into the boxes.

Highlight a TextBox or CallOut, right click on your mouse, and select **Properties** to change the fill color and border of the item.

Use the menu items **Tools -> Commenting -> Stamps** to replace the "Revised" stamp with one containing the current date.

Use the menu items **Tools -> Drawing Markup -> Line, Polygon Line, Polygon Tool**, etc. to draw on the chart. Add explanations of your additions with the **Tools -> Drawing Markup -> CallOuts**.

Use the menu items **Help -> Complete Help** to learn all about the commenting and annotating tools available in Adobe Reader.

Tips for Printing

Use the menu item **File -> Print -> Name** to select your printer. Then select **Properties** to perform the detailed setup.

Set the **paper size** to 11"x17", and the **orientation** to "portrait."

To print the charts with your markups, choose **Document With Stamps** or **Document With Markups** from the **Comments and Forms** pop-up menu in the **Print** dialog box.

Set the other options for your printer, such as setting "Page Scaling" to "None," indicating which tray has 11"x17" paper, and the number of copies.

If your printer can print 2-sided, find the checkbox for that feature, and check it. If not, select "print odd pages" then reinsert the paper and select "print even pages" to get 2-sided printing.

If you do use 2-sided printing, the additional settings **Booklet Layout, Left Edge Binding, 2 pages/sheet** gives the most convenient combination of front and back side orientations.

Save a copy to your computer.
Then use Adobe Reader 7.0 'Tools' to

Place your incident-specific information here.

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RespondersChart

Choptank River – Cambridge to Greensboro

(NOAA Chart 12268)

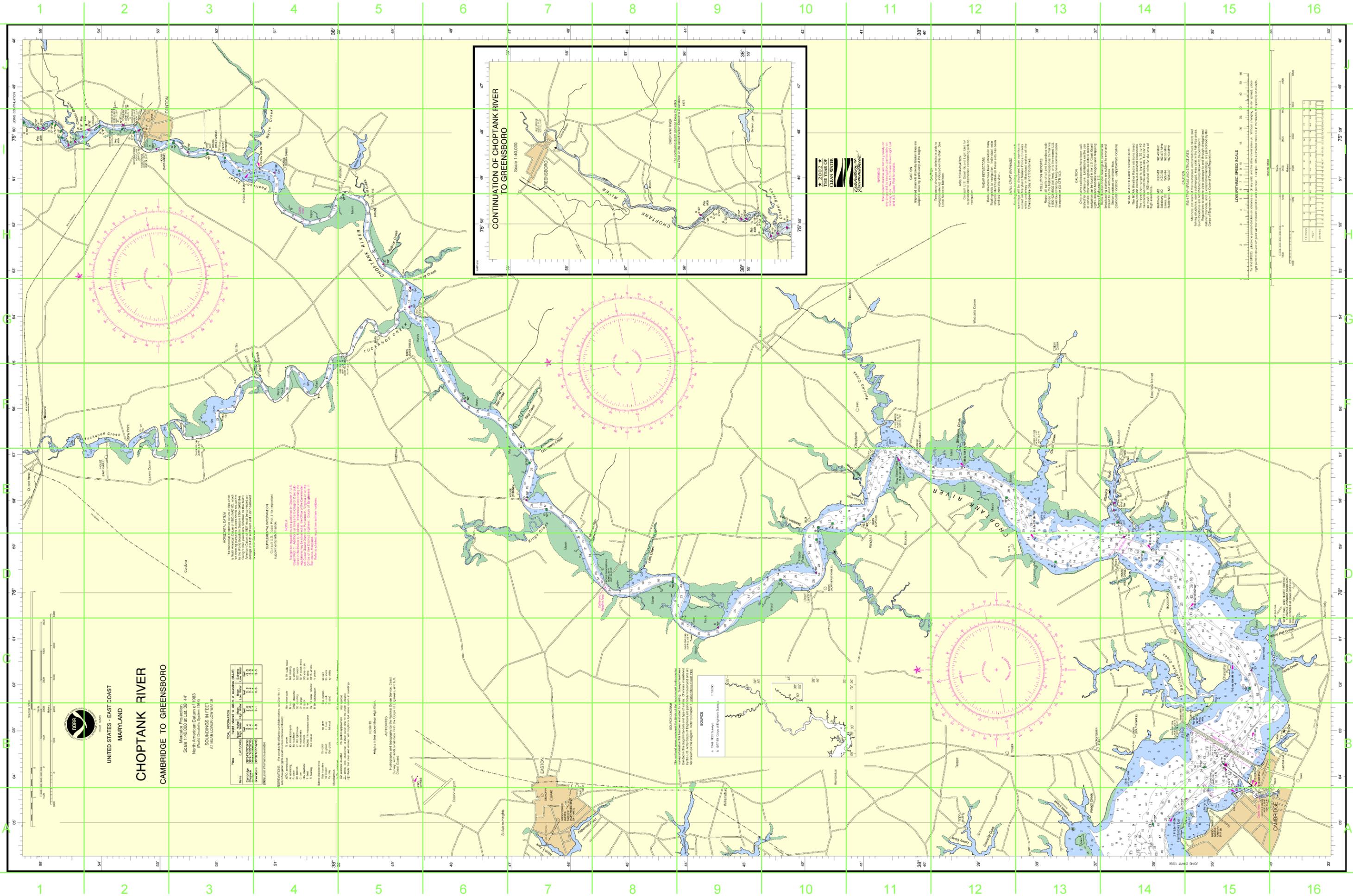


A miniaturized NOAA nautical chart for incident response planning and mangement. Use the full size NOAA chart for navigation.

- Annotate Using Tools in Adobe Reader 7.0
- PDF Format Prints on most printers
- Convenient 11"x17" Size
- Post on the Internet
- Compiled by NOAA, the Nation's Chartmaker.



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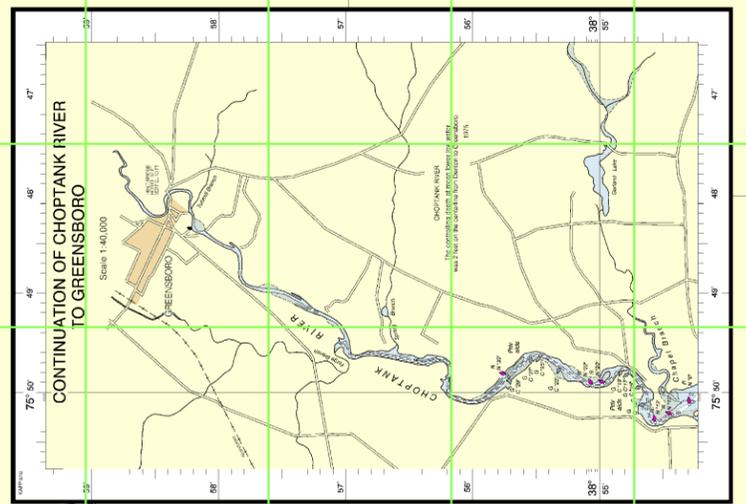
UNITED STATES - EAST COAST
MARYLAND
CHOPTANK RIVER
CAMBRIDGE TO GREENSBORO

Maximum Depth
Scale 1:40,000 at Lat. 38° 14'
North American Datum of 1983
(World Geodetic System 1984)
SOUNDINGS IN FEET
AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER

TIDE INFORMATION

Area	Low Water	High Water	Low Water	High Water
Choptank River	2.4	2.0	3.1	3.3
Choptank Bay	2.4	2.0	3.1	3.3
Choptank Sound	2.4	2.0	3.1	3.3

NOTES
1. This chart is based on the latest available information and is subject to change without notice.
2. The soundings on this chart are in feet, unless otherwise indicated.
3. The datum for the soundings is Mean Lower Low Water.
4. The datum for the heights is Mean High Water.
5. The datum for the depths is Mean High Water.
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2007
CLEAN WATERS
RESTORATION
ACT

CAUTION
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DATE
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SCALE
1:40,000

PROJECTION
Mercator

UNIT
Feet

VERTICAL DATUM
Mean High Water

HORIZONTAL DATUM
North American Datum of 1983

VERTICAL SCALE
1:40,000

