1. Lockage Signals

- **Signal Device** (pull signal cord)
- **Traffic Signals**

Traffic signals inform the boater of the lock’s status. Signal for entrance to the lock by pulling the cord on the guide wall.

2. Traffic Signals

- **Red Light**
  - Do not approach
- **Yellow Light**
  - Approach lock
- **Green Light**
  - Enter lock
- **No Light**
  - Lock in use, approach guide wall and signal for lockage

3. Locking Through

Wait for the lockmaster’s signal before entering. Proceed into lock and move towards the mooring lines spaced along the lock wall. The lines should be held by hand. Rejoin the lock and keep hands inside the boat to avoid the chance of injury. Once the doors open, proceed forward.

**ROUTE DESCRIPTION**

River miles 886 to 851 (35 miles)

(R) and (L) are right and left banks of the river when facing downstream.

Red text indicates caution areas.

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893.8-887.8 Mississippi River Islands SNA.
885.5 (R) Otoe Co. Park: Carry-in access, rest area with picnic facilities, drinking water, toilets.
885.5 (L) Babcock: Trailer access, rest area with picnic facilities, drinking water, toilets.
879.6 (R) Dayton: Trailer access. North Fork Crow River confluence.
878.9 (L) Roadside Park: Carry-in access, rest area, drinking water.
875.9 (L) Mississippi W. Regional Park: Trailer access.
875.8-875.5 Foster Island/Cloquet Island: 3 campsites accessible by river only (no fees).
873.4 (R) Donie Galloway Riverside Park: Rest area.
873.3 (L) Mississippi River Community Park: Rest area.
871.4 (L) Rum River Confluence.

**871.4 (L)** Peninsula Point Park: Trailer access, rest area with picnic shelter, restrooms, drinking water.

**871.1 (R)** Mississippi Point Park: Trailer access, rest area, fishing pier.

**866.4 (L)** Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park: Trailer access, rest area, restrooms.

**866.2 (R)** Mississippi Gateway Regional Park: Rest area.

**862.2** Coon Rapids Dam: Portage left 400 yards.

**862.9 (L)** Manomin Park: Carry-in access, rest area, restrooms.

**861.9-860.7** Islands of Peace Park: Rest area with picnic facilities, restrooms.

**861.8-860.5** Durham Island Rapids: Class I rapids. Rest area (R).

**860.3 (L)** Riverfront Regional Park: Trailer access, rest area, restrooms.

**858.5 (R)** Kroening Interpretive Center: Carry-in access.

**860.4-857.6 (R)** North Mississippi Regional Park: Trailer access, rest area, drinking water.

**857.8 (R)** Shingle Creek confluence.

**855-853.5** St. Anthony Falls Historic District (see inset).

**854.9 (L)** Boom Island Park: Water access, rest area with picnic facilities, shorefishing, drinking water, restrooms.

**854.8 (R)** Bassett Creek: Carry-in access, Bassett Creek confluence.

**854.6-854.1** Nicollet Island: Main channel runs right. Caution: The left channel takes you within 50 feet of the upper falls. **STAY AWAY!**

**854.4-854.1 (R)** Portage around lock and dam closures, 1.5 miles. Take out at Flagship Plaza, and put in at Bohemian Flats (see inset).

**854** Upper St. Anthony Falls lock and dam: Permanently Closed. Exit the river upstream of the lock.

**853.7** Stone Arch Bridge: Second oldest railroad bridge on the Mississippi River.

**853.5** Lower St. Anthony Falls Dam: Lock is on right.

**853.1 (R)** Bohemian Flats: Carry-in access, rest area, drinking water, restrooms.

**852.5 (R)** East River Flats: Carry-in access, rest area, drinking water, restrooms.

Continued on Map 10: Mississippi River State Water Trail - Minneapolis to Hastings.