

**PORT TAMPA BAY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given of a public hearing to be held on December 1, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. before the Tampa Port Authority, d/b/a Port Tampa Bay at its offices located at 1101 Channelside Drive, Tampa, Florida 33602, to hear public comments regarding the following:

Port Tampa Bay Standard Work Permit Application #25-006

Submitted by Tampa Port Authority - Engineering Department

Proposed Metro Port Development Located at 1300 Harbor Street & Channelside Drive, Tampa, Florida (Ybor Channel)

The permit application is on file and available for inspection at PTB offices from 8:30 a.m. until 12:00 noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays). Additional information is available online at www.tampaport.com. All written comments and objections directed toward the foregoing matter should be filed with Port Tampa Bay, Environmental Department, at 1101 Channelside Drive, Tampa, Florida 33602 by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on November 28, 2025. Oral comments and objections may be presented at the hearing.

In accordance with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities requiring reasonable accommodation to participate in this hearing should call (813) 905-5031 or fax (813) 905-5029 not later than 48 hours prior to the hearing.

ANY PERSON WHO DECIDES TO APPEAL ANY DECISION OF THE PORT TAMPA BAY WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT THIS PUBLIC HEARING WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS AND, FOR SUCH A PURPOSE, MAY NEED TO HIRE A COURT REPORTER TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MADE, WHICH RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE BASED.

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***BACKGROUND INFORMATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING
DECEMBER 1, 2025 AT 2:00 P.M.***

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Tampa Port Authority's, d/b/a Port Tampa Bay, Engineering Department ("PTB") proposes redevelopment of Metro Port Complex that is comprised of Berths 263, 264, and 265 for use by moored Cruise Ships located at 1300 Harbor Street, Tampa, Florida (Folio #189555-5500) in the Ybor Channel within the City of Tampa. The redevelopment of Metro Port Complex consists of filling approximately 230,500 cubic yards of the upland-cut submerged lands of Berths 263, 264, and 265; placement of approximately 11,174 cubic yards of articulated concrete block matting for temporary berm; maintenance dredging/excavation of approximately 14,992 cubic yards of submerged material and installation of an approximately 820 linear foot steel sheetpile bulkhead.

The project has received recommendations of approval from the Environmental Protection Commission (EPC) of Hillsborough County.

