The Rivers Casino Opens Along The Erie Canal

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There is another great reason to make a left turn at the big directional sign in Waterford, pass through the Flight and cruise to the venerable Electric City of Schenectady – the Rivers Casino is open as of February 8, 2017!

This \$330 million gaming and entertainment facility is unique among upstate casinos in that it has direct water access from the Mohawk River/ Erie Canal, and is only minutes from other marine facilities as well as historic sites, Proctors Theatre in downtown Schenectady, the farms and attractions of southern Saratoga County, and more. For more information about the Rivers Casino, visit www.riverscasinoandresort.com.

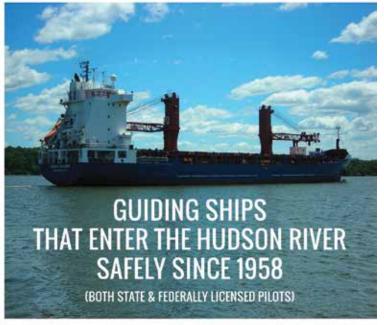


In this October 2016 photo, Canal Corporation Director Brian Stratton (right) joins Assemblyman Angelo Santabarbara aboard the Grand Erie as they survey the construction of the Rivers Casino & Resort. Unique among the state's new gaming projects, the Rivers Casino has its own protected harbor, with slips for boats up to 40 feet, and larger facilities are proposed.

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