

Grandiose construction of the new Panama Canal showed two minutes

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From March 2011 to June 2016 was a grand reconstruction of the Panama Canal. This process from different angles EarthCam fixed camera. Video shows how the Panama Canal increased in size and bandwidth of more than 2.5 times.

It was planned that the completion of construction works of the New Panama Canal will be timed to the 100th anniversary of his work, ie by August 2014. However, during construction there was a lot of difficulties. For example, the excavation technique for the creation of channels had to take out a huge amount of ground, which was taken out nearby and dumped here in the next valley. Over time, the excavated soil began to sag, causing gatherings, sit and even a small earthquake. In the area of the present environmental disaster began around the Panama Canal, which is tried to be reduced by further use of soil in the construction of dams.

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