O'Sullivan Beach Boat Ramp

Work commencing - boat ramp closure

The Department for Infrastructure and Transport (the Department) is upgrading the O'Sullivan Beach Boat Ramp. This upgrade will improve the operational use of the site by reducing congestion during peak periods and improving access and safety for launching boats. This project is funded as part of the State government's Marine Stimulus Package.

The upgrade includes the construction of an additional boat lane, installation of a new L-shaped pontoon, replacement of existing pontoons, car park upgrade with improved vehicle manoeuvring areas and provision for two new accessible car parking spaces, and enhancement to the existing concrete ramps.

What to expect?

Works are scheduled to commence on Wednesday, 26 April 2023 with project completion expected December 2023, in time for the busy Summer period. This work will be undertaken between the hours of 7am and 5pm, Monday to Saturday (with some works performed outside of these hours based on environmental conditions).

Boat ramp temporary closure

Alternative launch points can be found at the recently upgraded West Beach with beach launching areas for smaller craft at Sellicks Beach and Aldinga Beach. More information on launching at Onkaparinga's beaches is available on council's website at www.onkaparingacity.com. Access to the boat ramp will be maintained for emergency services if required.

Works will be undertaken 'in the wet', with the installation of new pre-cast concrete panels below mean sea level for the new ramp, additional piles for the new L-shaped pontoon, new in-situ concrete manoeuvring areas, rock revetment removal and re-armouring around the perimeter of the boat ramp, additional scour protection to the toe of the boat ramp, and minor stormwater and lighting upgrades.

Every effort will be made to reduce the impacts of construction however there may be an increase in vehicle movements along Marine Drive and noise from construction activities.

Traffic and pedestrian management

Access to O'Sullivan Beach and the boat ramp car park will remain accessible throughout the works for light vehicles only without trailers. Beach access on the southern side of the car park will remain open to general public. For safety reasons there may be some restricted access. Pedestrians are advised to take care whilst in the area and observe signage of path and boat ramp closures. For your safety we ask you not to enter fenced off areas under construction while works are undertaken. Please refer to our project site map overleaf for access, traffic and pedestrian management details.

Further information

To find out more about the project, or register to receive project updates, please

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