Harts Jetty Refurbishment

American River

Project update

We are upgrading Harts Jetty in American River, Kangaroo Island

These works will be undertaken as part of the South Australian Marine Assets Sustainment fund. The fund is designed to ensure ongoing public access to jetties, that provide significant economic, social, and environmental benefits for communities

- Extending the life and durability of the jetty
- Improving safety and access for all jetty users

Whats happening

We are upgrading the Harts Jetty at American River to extend the jetty's structural service life, improve access and enhance durability.

The works will involve replacing the existing narrow carpark connection and stairs with a single wide ramp, replacing crossheads, bearers and substructure timbers, and installing new piles, decking and kerbing. Additionally, the existing narrow access finger will be removed to improve safety and enhance the jetty's durability. The concept design can be viewed overleaf.

Construction is expected to commence in mid-2027, avoiding peak fishing season and tourism months to minimise disruption for locals, commercial users and visitors. We will provide advance notice ahead of works commencing.

Community information session

Please drop in to meet the project team, ask questions, discuss the proposed refurbishments, share your local insights, and find out what to expect during construction.

Saturday 28 November 2026 at Harts Jetty carpark, American River
Drop by anytime between 10:30am and 12 noon

Contact us

To stay up to date and receive project updates please register via any of the below options:

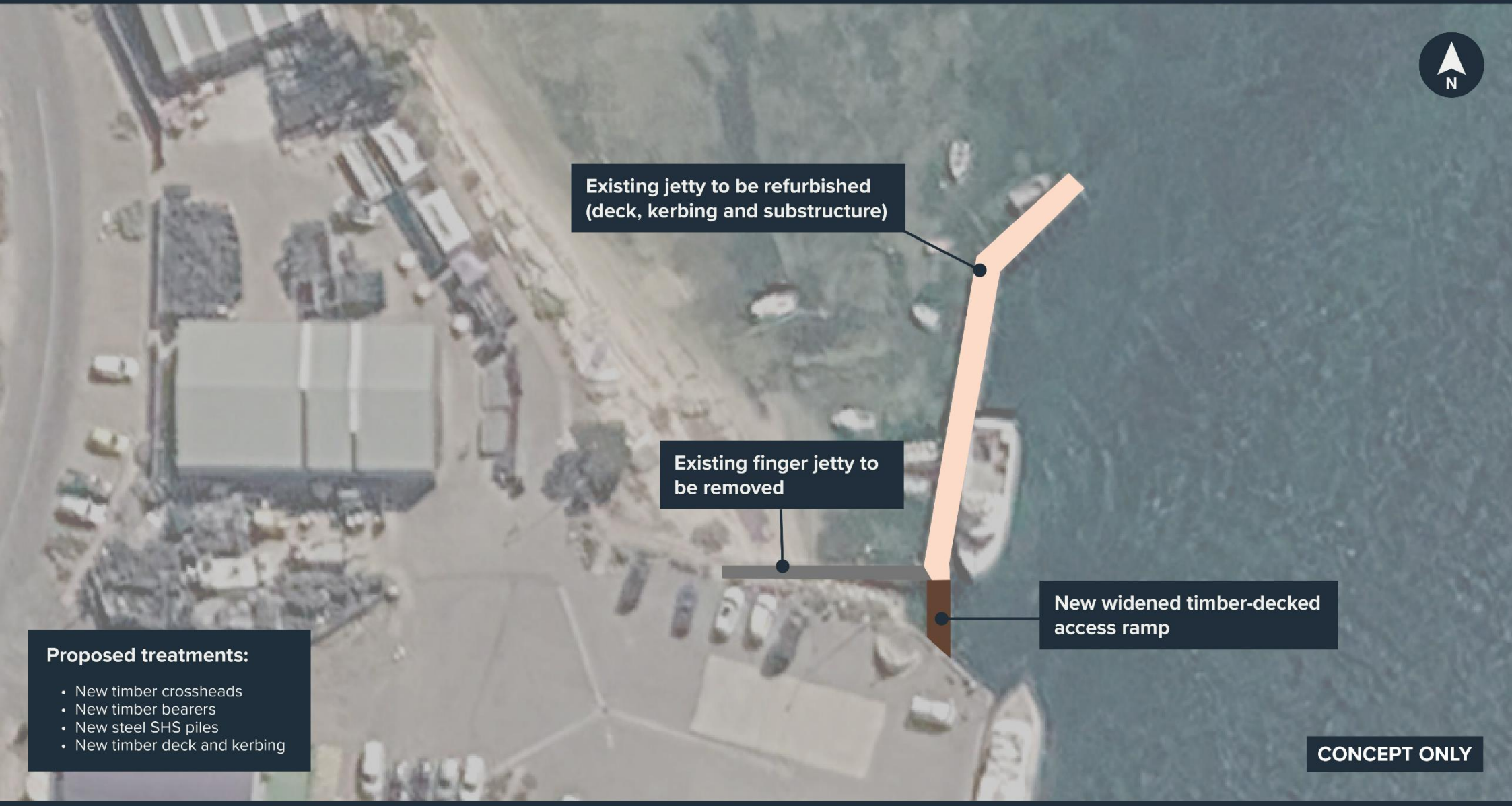
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