

Project Outline

PROPOSED WHAKATĀNE WHARF QUAY STREET EXTENSION



*Whakatane Wharf:
Quay Street Extension -
Artist Impression*

Introduction

To meet the demand for berths in the Whakatāne River, the Whakatāne District Council intends to construct a 160-metre long pontoon wharf along the river-edge adjacent to Quay Street, Whakatāne. The proposed facility will extend 160 metres eastwards from the Visitor Information Centre (Otuawhaki) across the Wairere Stream mouth, ending 10 metres before the Te Toka o Taiao reef.

Construction of the planned pontoon wharf structure would be undertaken in two stages, with the first stage extending 100 metres from Otuawhaki towards the Wairere Stream and Stage 2 extending 60 metres from the Wairere Stream eastwards.



Consultation with Key Stakeholders

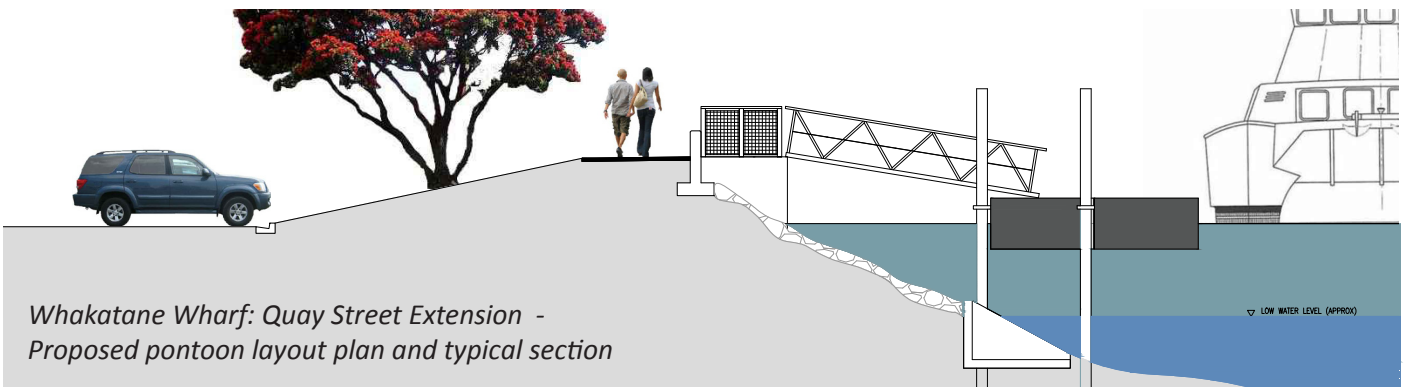
Consultation is an important aspect of this project and the Council is endeavouring to provide stakeholders and other interested parties with opportunities to provide suggestions or express concerns before the design of the proposed wharf is finalised. Consultation will be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Act 2002, and the outcomes of that process will also support the applications for resource consent under the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA).

A number of key stakeholders have been identified as having an interest in the proposed development. Consultation will focus on informing those stakeholders about the proposal and seek their feedback. It is also anticipated that any interested parties will have an opportunity to make further submissions on the proposal as part of a notified resource consent process. Consultation with key stakeholders will be undertaken during September 2014.

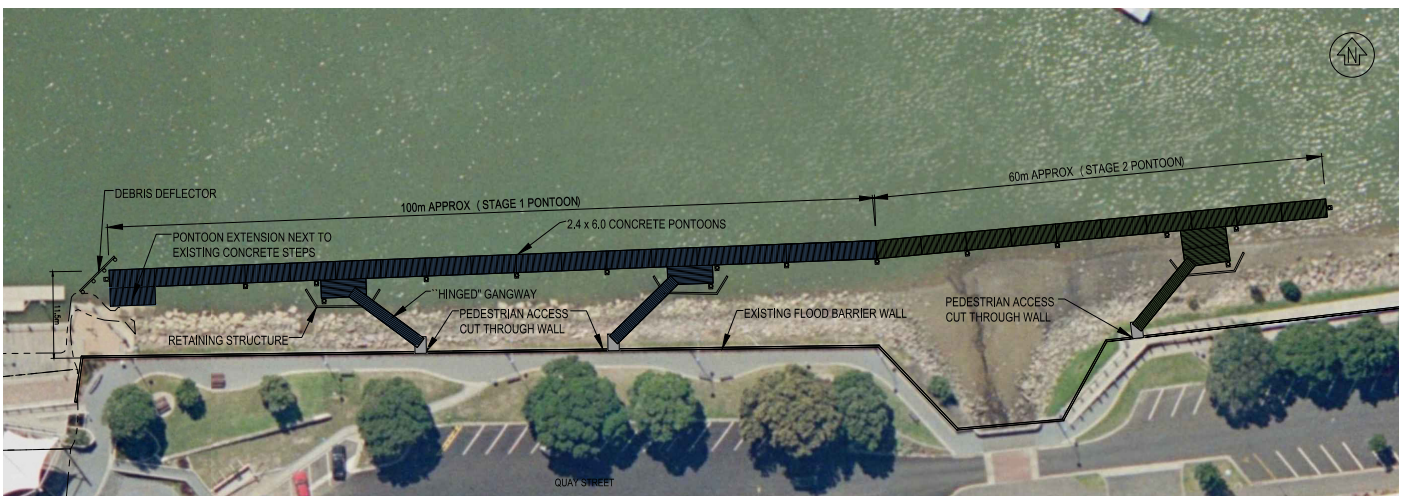
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**Whakatane Wharf: Quay Street Extension -
Proposed pontoon layout plan and typical section**



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