

NOTICE

Attention Patrons of the Harbor:

The Homer Load and Launch Ramp will be closed September 15th through December 15th 2015 for construction.

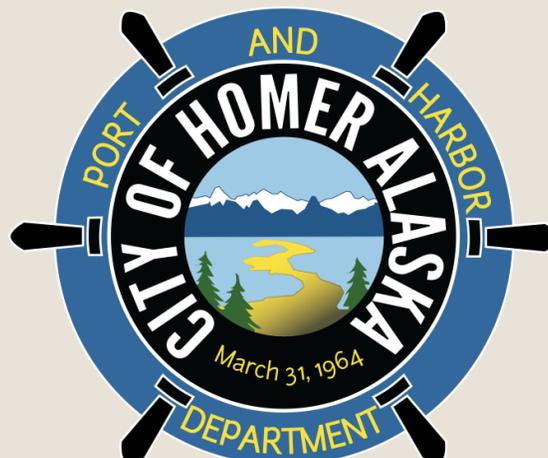
Much needed improvements to the facility will include a complete refurbishment of the ramp and docks. Because of the expansive scope of work and limited number of minus tides for lower-ramp access, the entire ramp will be closed to ensure contractors can conduct improvements safely and without interruption.

Although the Port and Harbor has a secondary ramp used for barge activity, it is not suitable for regular launching/loading vessels from trailers because:

1. It is a commercial ramp for heavy equipment;
2. The ramp does not extend into the water as far as the Load and Launch's ramp and has an abrupt drop-off at the end;
3. The staging area above the Barge Ramp is set aside for heavy equipment and laydown yard for the Deep Water Dock, not boat trailers;
4. There is no float system to tie off of before/after launching; and
5. The Barge Ramp is actively being used for its intended purpose as a commercial barge loading facility.

Vessel owners who plan to utilize their vessel during construction September 15 – December 15, 2015, should contract the Harbor Office about mooring their vessel in the harbor prior to the beginning of the construction project.

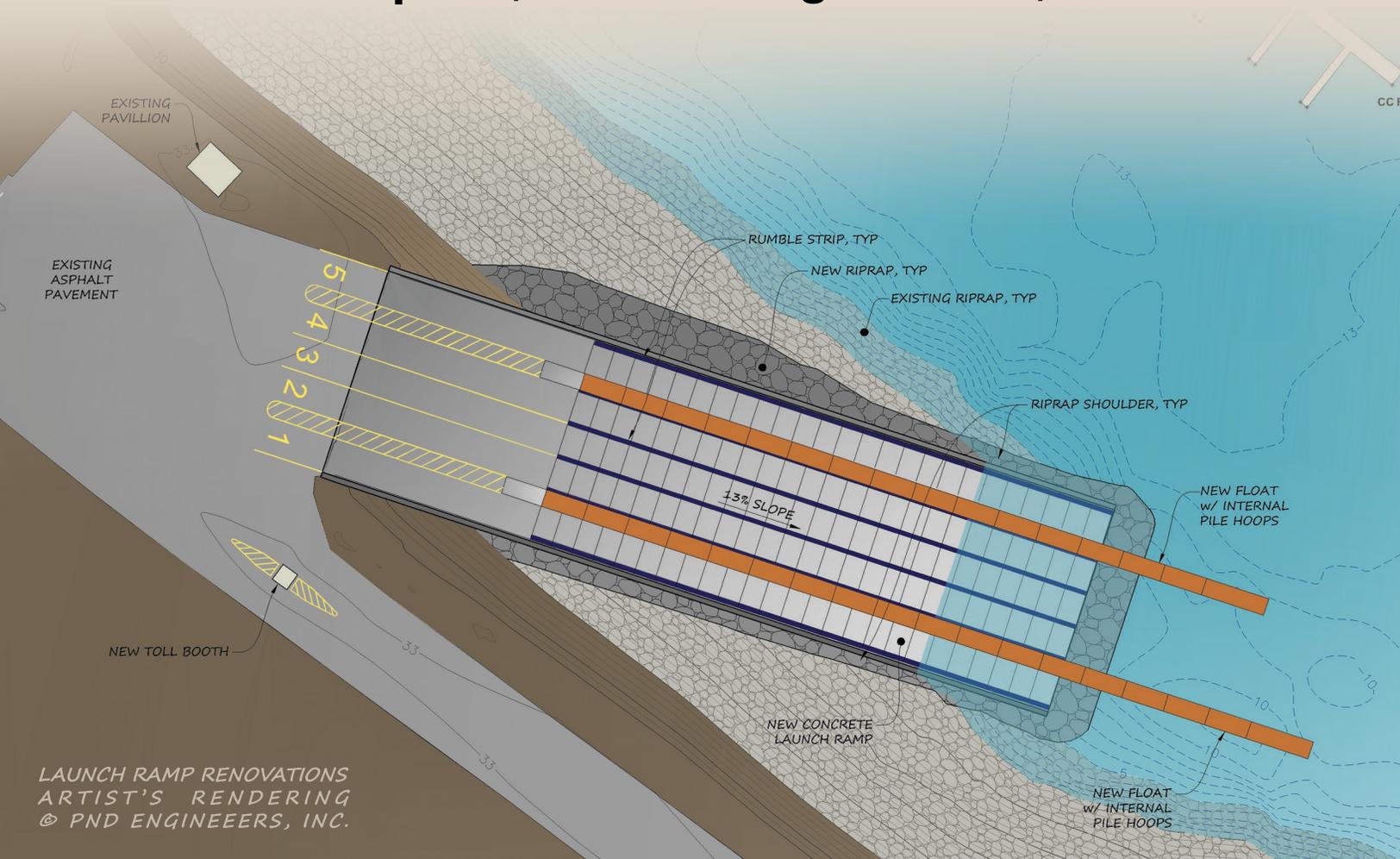
Vessel owners who plan to haul their boats out during the load and launch ramp construction period may contact the Port and Harbor Office to schedule vessel **removal** at the Commercial Barge Ramp. Vessel haul-out activity will be scheduled around normal barge landings/load-outs.



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