## Abbotsford Wharf upgrade What to expect during construction

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# The upgrade of the wharf at Abbotsford will take about four months to complete, weather and maritime conditions permitting. Construction will start on Wednesday 7 February 2018.

## **Construction process**

Work will include:

- establishing the site compound, installing fencing, site hoarding and sheds.
- installing steel piles
- upgrading the entry bridge and installing the new gangway and pontoon
- new wharf fit out
- Installing new seating and customer information on the pontoon
- marking a Kiss and Ride zone
- installing a bicycle rack
- ▶ installing new handrails and tactile indicators on the stairs leading from Werrell Reserve
- installing wayfinding signage.

Most of the new structures will be built off site and transported to the site for installation.

Construction workers and equipment will usually be transported to and from the site by water.

### Work hours and noise

Standard work hours will be between **7am** and **6pm Monday to Friday** and between **8am and 1pm on Saturdays**. Some of the work during these times will be noisy. No work is planned on Sundays or public holidays.

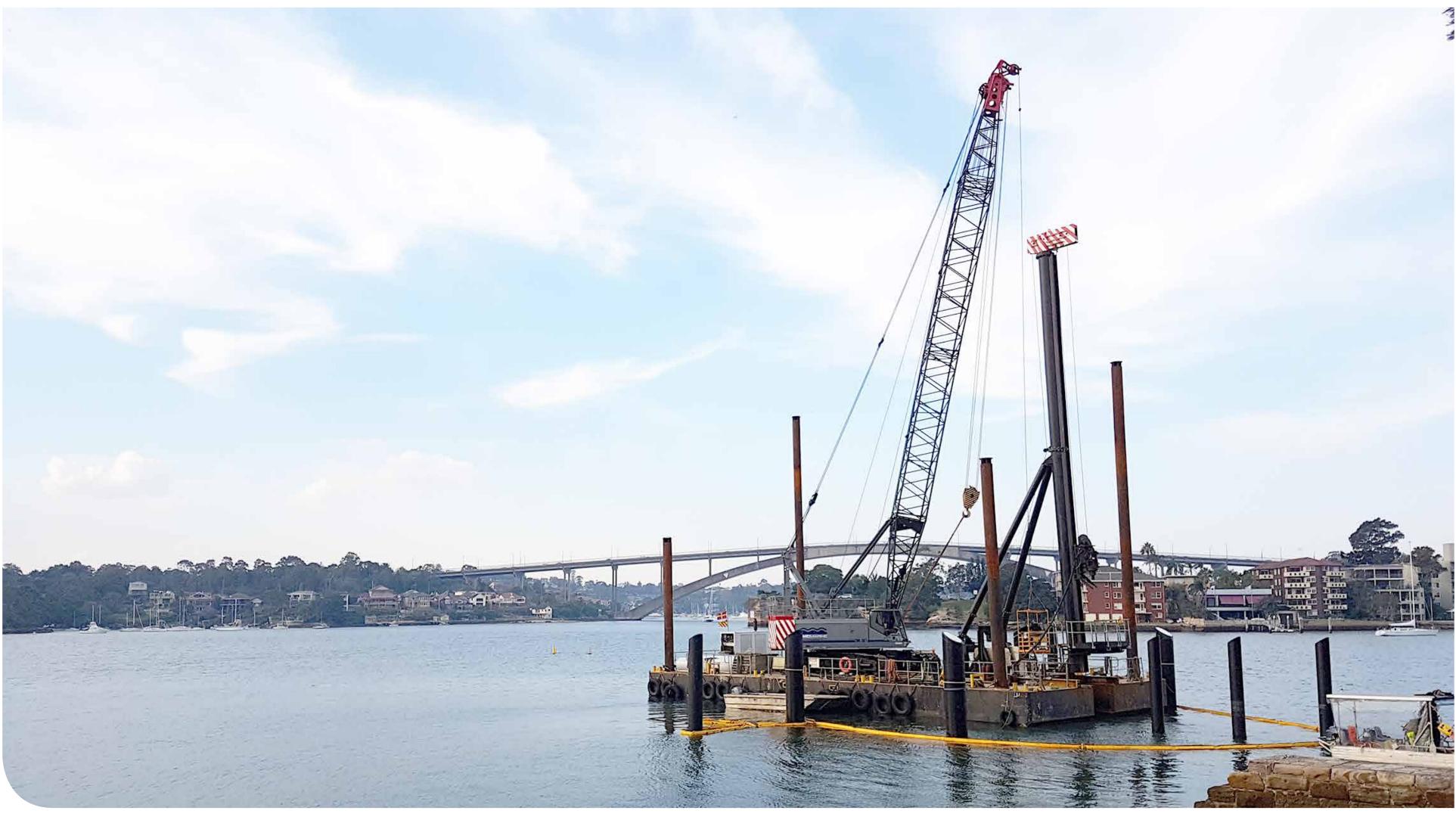
Early morning or night work will be required when the water is at its calmest as some work requires very still water for safety and accuracy.



This includes installing piles and lifting and securing sections of the wharf in place. Installing piles will be noisy however, this work is intermittent. We will notify nearby residents before any work is carried out outside of standard hours.

## Site compound

A temporary construction site compound will be established for the duration of the project. The location will be identified and agreed with City of Canada Bay Council before construction starts. The area will be fenced off and restricted to authorised personnel and visitors.



Barge-mounted crane at Chiswick



Small work boats tethered to a pontoon

