



# Exmouth

## SEA WALL REPAIRS



### Background

A 90m section of sea wall became severely damaged in storms at the end of 2023. TMS completed emergency works to reinstate the beach levels to prevent the wall from becoming severely dangerous to the public.

Cracks have appeared as a result of the wall's instability, and East Devon District Council have instructed that further repairs take place before more damage is caused.

### Construction Works

The permanent repair works will consist of the demolition and removal of the failed structure before implementation of a sheet pile wall with suitable ground anchors.

The piles will be installed by an excavator-mounted vibratory piling hammer before being back driven by an impact hammer. Ground anchors will then be drilled into the rock to secure the wall.

Once the piling works are complete; the cycle path, streetlights, and other amenities will be restored, and a handrail secured to ensure the safety of pedestrians and cyclists. Finally, the site compound will be removed, and the footpath returned to its former use.

### Construction Timeline

The repair work is planned to commence at the end of March for a period of 12 weeks. Works will take place Monday to Saturday. There will be no working on Sundays or on bank holidays.

### Will there be any Restrictions?

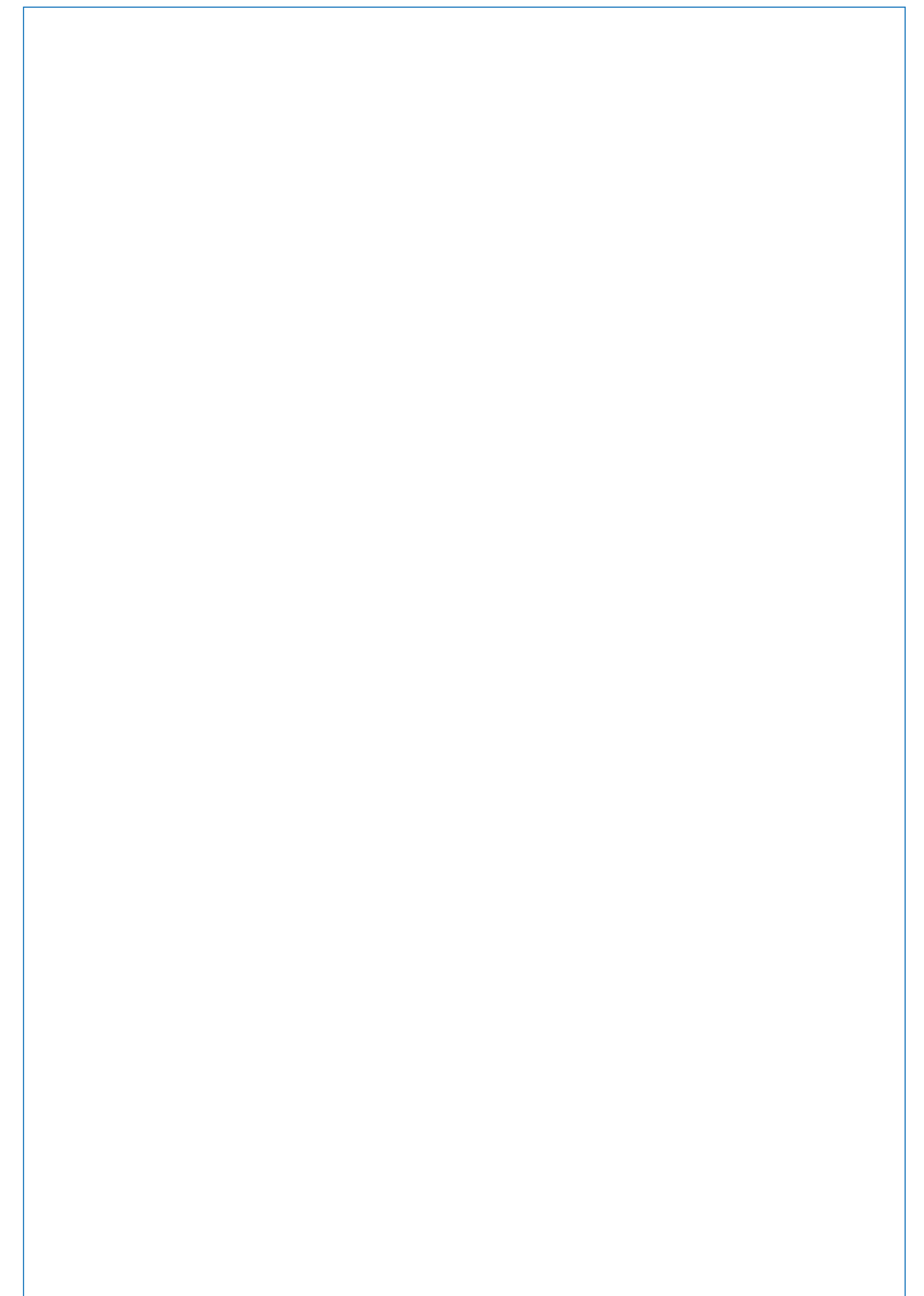
The footpath and foreshore between the Ice Creamery and the beach access ramp will be closed to the public for the duration of the works.

Construction traffic will frequently move between the site compound and works area, as well as deliveries being made to the compound area.

Where possible, the Contractor will plan for vehicle movements to take place at times where minimal disturbance will be caused, however please be aware of additional heavy plant and traffic movements in the vicinity of the works for the duration.



### Current information & restrictions



**PLEASE NOTE:** Construction sites are dangerous and we politely request that unauthorised persons do not enter any of the working areas at any time. Thank you!

Contractor's details can be found on the **Emergency Contact Details** boards either end of site

We apologise for any inconvenience caused during development works.



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