North Wall Toe Piling Phase 2 Southwold, Suffolk

What are we updating you about?

Coastal Partnership East are the coastal management team for East Suffolk Council (ESC). We have appointed Balfour Beatty to complete repair works at Southwold.

Where is this work happening?

A map of where the work is taking place is on page 2 of this factsheet. The work is taking place in Southwold Pier car park. There will be a temporary site compound in the Southwold Pier car park.

When are we doing the work?

The survey will take place from Monday 20th January for 2 weeks, with preparation work taking place on Friday 17th January. This will involve temporarily removing timber planks from the groynes to allow the survey equipment access to the beach. Once the survey has been completed, the timber groyne planks will be replaced. Access to the beach huts will not be impacted by this work.

What will we be doing?

Our contractor will be carrying out a survey to make sure there are no unexploded ordnance or obstructions on the beach ahead of the main works to repair the sea wall toe. There will be machinery travelling along the beach between the pier and survey location. We will work hard to keep any inconvenience to a minimum and ask the public to please take note of the contractor's signage when work is happening.

Why are we doing this work?

This work will improve coast protection assets and is an important part of ESC's commitment to ensure that the coastal assets they are responsible for are working effectively and are safe for the public, helping to protect our beautiful and important coastline economically and environmentally and for the enjoyment of communities and visitors for generations to come.

Undertaking regular targeted maintenance means that we can maximise the lifespan of coastal protection assets, ensuring that we make the most of every pound spent and achieve a better return on public investment. We are supporting the safeguarding of life and local economies by making sure that the Council's coastal assets are in the condition needed for continued protection.

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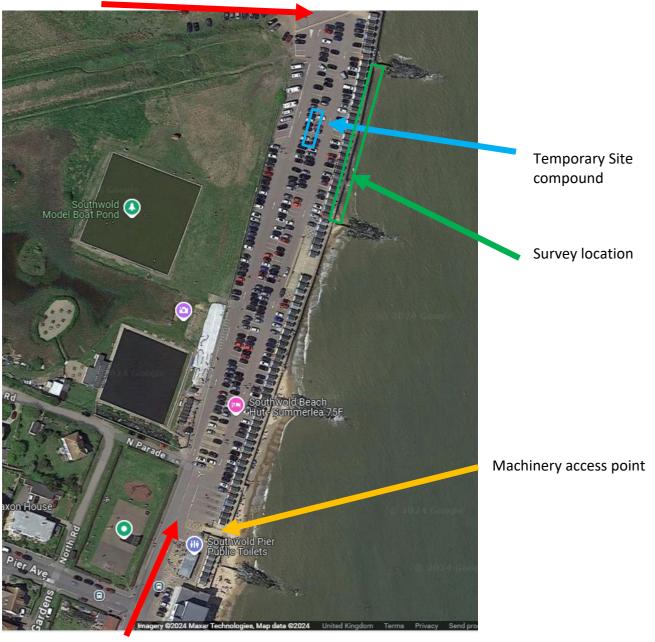




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Location Map

Northern extent of works



Southern extent of works

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