

# MARINE LICENCE APPLICATIONS

## Report No 18. 26 Aug 2018

This report covers applications submitted since 1 June 2018 for work in the Solent, not included in previous reports. It excludes applications for the burial of human remains at sea.

### 1 Applications open for consultation

Case Information	Project Type	Project Title	Locations	Applicant Name	Submitted	Latest Decision	Consultation closing
MLA/2018/00301	Application - Other works	Reconfiguration of Moorings	Town Quay Works Area	Lymington Harbour Commissioners	26-Jun-18		14-Sep-18
MLA/2018/00311	Application - Construction of new works	Mudlark Pontoon and Piles, IOW	Wooton Creek, IoW	Andrew Finnamore	02-Jul-18		03-Sep-18

### 2 Details of Applications open for consultation

MLA/2018/00301 The existing walk ashore pontoon berths at Town Quay are very popular with visitors and are often full to capacity in the sailing season, significantly frustrating demand. The current visitor pontoon is nearing the end of its service life and will need to be replaced within the next few years. In contrast, the mid-river moorings are not very popular with visitors, and their use is in decline, with the modern boat owner preferring the greater convenience and ease of mooring on walk ashore berths.

The purpose of the project is to reconfigure the Town Quay mooring area to meet changing market demands. The project proposes to increase the number of walk ashore moorings from the current level of 19 to 46 berths; reduce the number of mid river visitor/multi-purpose moorings from the current level of 97 to 42 and relocate the resident small boat mid river moorings to a new finger pontoon / fore and aft moorings with some of the existing moorings being shortened. Overall there will be a net reduction of 28 moorings.

The proposals will include the relocation of the commercial fishing berths closer to the commercial quay and relocate the commercial boat landing closer to the slipway to achieve better visibility for customers.

Safety in this part of the river will be improved by widening the navigation fairway to accommodate the revised mooring arrangements, and enlarging the turning areas opposite the commercial quay and the Berthon Boatyard.

This layout of the moorings once reconfigured is designed to align with current and tidal flows, whilst also providing safe navigation.

No additional dredging is required for the new channel alignment as the whole of the Town Quay area (moorings and channel) is subject to maintenance dredging to the same depth every 5 years under MMO consent Marine Licence L/2014/00396/2.

MLA/2018/00311. The site consists of an existing jetty which provides partial access to the water. The applicant has planning consent (P/01690/10) to repair the jetty and install two 13m long pontoons, restrained by two tubular steel piles. Ivon Blumer Architects drawings IBA/347/02 & IBA/347/03 show the works. This Marine Licence application is required for the piling and pontoon installation. The work is planned to occur during as soon as marine consents are in place. In order to provide flexibility for plant availability a three licence is being applied for. 2. Method statement The piles will be installed from a spud legged crane barge using a vibro hammer in accordance with usual practice. The works will be undertaken at high water to enable the barge to access the piles. The inshore pile will be driven first in order to locate the pontoons. The pontoons will then be connected at attached to the inshore pile. The pontoons will then be aligned into their final position and the second pile driven through the pontoon pile guide. Working over the high-water periods has the advantages that there will be minimal impact on navigation and any feeding wildfowl will be some distance away as the mudflats will be covered. This work is anticipated to be completed within one week.

### 3 Other applications already decided by MMO

Case Information	Project Type	Project Title	Locations	Applicant Name	Submitted	Latest Decision
MLA/2018/00343	Application - Minor removals	Trial holes in rock armour revetment, Shipyards Estate, Shore Road, Hythe, Southampton	Revetment to Sea Wall, Shipyards Estate, Shore Road, Hythe, Southampton	Taylor Wimpey Uk Limited	19-Jul-18	19-Jul-18
MLA/2018/00349	Application - Maintenance of existing structures or assets	Netley Sailing Club Slipway Minor Maintenance	Slipway_Boundary	Netley Sailing Club Ltd	24-Jul-18	24-Jul-18
MLA/2018/00327	Application - Maintenance of existing structures or assets	B159 Little London Bridge Maintenance	Newport, IoW	Ringway Island Roads Limited	11-Jul-18	11-Jul-18

MLA/2018/00317	Application - Maintenance of existing structures or assets	Royal Lymington Yacht Club Starting Platform	Starting Platform	Royal Lymington Yacht Club Limited	05-Jul-18	05-Jul-18
MLA/2018/00297	Application - Maintenance of existing structures or assets	Repair to the sea wall at Bosham Quay Meadow	Bosham Quay Meadow, Chichester Harbour	National Trust (Enterprises) Limited (The)	26-Jun-18	26-Jun-18
EXE/2018/00142	Exemption - Construction	BT IOW3 Project - Authorised Emergency Inspection & Burial Exemption to Licence L/2017/00252/1	Lepe Beach	British Telecom Plc	13-Jun-18	14-Jun-18
MLA/2018/00259	Application - Maintenance of existing structures or assets	Replacement of existing sea defences on foreshore land	Warrens Foreshore	Mr Paul Cox	04-Jun-18	04-Jun-18
EXE/2018/00135	Exemption - Removal	Comparison of macrofaunal analysis using phylogenomic taxonomy and DNA methods	Beaulieu to Fawley	Dr Rachel Hale	07-Jun-18	
EXE/2018/00138	Exemption - Removal	2018 Marine Conservation Zones (MCZ) Subtidal Monitoring Survey	Needles MCZ	Environment Agency	07-Jun-18	
EXE/2018/00145	Exemption - Removal	IFA2 pUXO Investigations	Lee on Solent	National Grid IFA 2 Limited	18-Jun-18	

(Anchor Points)					
EXE/2018/00151	Exemption - Dredging	Hoist Dock Plough	Universal, Hamble River	John Willment Marine Limited	22-Jun-18
EXE/2018/00153	Exemption - Deposits	IFA2 Moorings	Lee on Solent	National Grid IFA 2 Limited	02-Jul-18
EXE/2018/00165	Exemption - Removal	Marine ecological survey of Great Salterns Quay	Langstone Harbour	Ecospan Environmental Ltd	11-Jul-18
EXE/2018/00168	Exemption - Removal	Ground Investigations RNLI Portsmouth		R.N.L.I. (Trading) Limited	13-Jul-18
EXE/2018/00169	Exemption - Deposits, Removal	Mooring Buoy Placement	Hamble River	Mr Daniel Van Gelder	16-Jul-18
EXE/2018/00174	Exemption - Dredging	MYC Dredge	Marchwood	Marchwood Yacht Club	25-Jul-18
EXE/2018/00178	Exemption - Deposits	Southampton Oceanographic	Southampton Water	Abpmer	02-Aug-18
EXE/2018/00180	Exemption - Construction	Installation of Ponton between Pile H26-27, Hamble River		Mr Oliver C North	02-Aug-18
EXE/2018/00185	Exemption - Removal	Investigating benthic foraminifera of Hamble Estuary		University Of Southampton	07-Aug-18

#### **4 Applications not yet decided nor open to consultation**

None in this report