

June 11, 2025

MEMO TO : Park Board Commissioners

FROM : Director, Park Planning and Development

SUBJECT : **Jericho Pier Rehabilitation Project – Status Update – Board Briefing Memo**

Dear Commissioners,

The purpose of this memo is to provide an update on the Jericho Pier rehabilitation project and to advise that the pier will reopen to the public on June 12, 2025. A new float at the end of the pier is anticipated to be installed at the end June.

Background

Jericho Beach Park Pier (“the pier”) is a wooden pier located at Jericho Beach Park at the north end of Discovery Street. Originally built in the 1940s, the pier has welcomed visitors for decades. Although the pier was refurbished in 1977, the supporting piles are largely from the original 80-year-old structure. The pier is composed of a wood structure on wood piles which connects to the shore through a rubble mound embankment.

In addition to deterioration due to age and marine conditions, the pier was heavily damaged in coastal storms in November 2021 and January 2022, which led to its closure. In September 2023, the [Park Board directed staff](#) to proceed with a like-for-like repair of Jericho Pier to re-open the facility to the public.



Photo 1: Jericho Pier (prior to repair)

Project update

Park Board staff retained a marine engineering consultant and contractor for the repairs, and construction commenced in December 2024. Repairs to the pier included, but were not limited to:

- Timber repairs
- Riprap repairs
- Safety ladder repairs
- Supply and install of a new float

These repairs are now complete, apart from the installation of the new float. The new float is anticipated to be installed by the end of June.



Photo 2: Jericho Pier (June 2025)

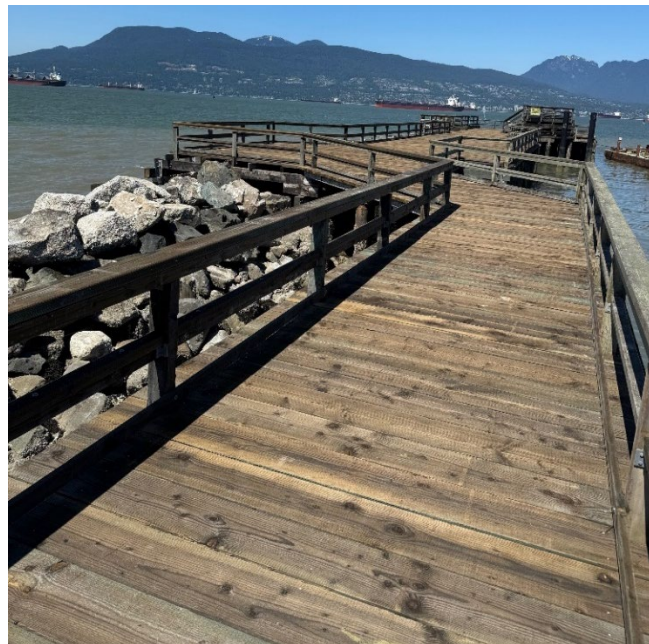


Photo 3: Jericho Pier (June 2025)



Ahead of the T100 Triathlon event, the Park Board is looking to open the pier to the public on June 12, 2025.

The Park Board's Communications team will announce the pier's reopening via its social media channels.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tiina Mack". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Tiina Mack (*she/her*)
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