Navigation Marker Repairs at Slaughden



What are we telling you about?

We will be carrying out repairs on our Navigation Markers. These road signs in the water are important for safety reasons, warning boats and vessels of hazards.

Where is this work happening?

We will be working on a 100metre section of the Slaughden shingle beach (please see the plan overleaf).

When are we doing the work?

The work will start at the end of October 2023 and it will take 3 days to complete. .

What will we be doing?

We will be straightening and re-painting two damaged navigation markers.



Image: Defected marker to be repaired

For safety reasons we will need to temporarily close the beach near the damaged markers as we work on them. A member of staff from the Contractor will be on-site to guide beach users past the work area. Our machinery will be brought to site via Slaughden Road. It is unlikely that we will cause any damage but if any damage does occur as a result of our work we will repair it to the standard it was when work started.

We apologise for the inconvenience this work may cause and would like to thank local people and visitors to this area for their patience.

Why are we doing the work?

Navigation markers and buoys are in place to warn of hazards to boats and vessels from items such as groynes, outfalls or other structures.

What are the benefits for you and your community?

Ensuring the navigation markers are repaired and in good condition means that our structures are clearly marked for shipping vessels.

Contact

If you would like any further information about this work, please contact:

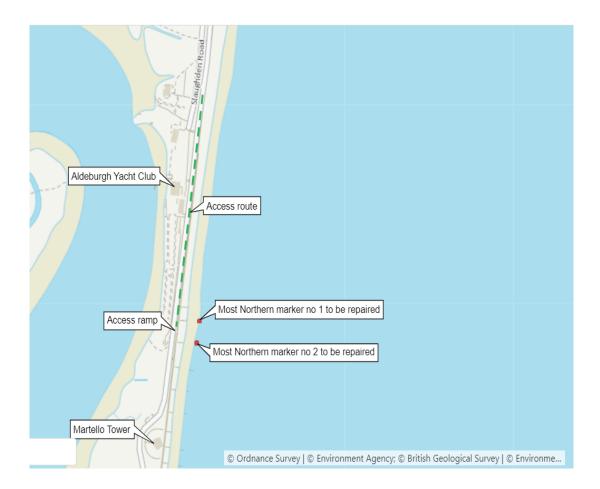
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Site plan and approx. repairs location