

# Balmain East Wharf upgrade

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## The new wharf



The new Balmain East Wharf viewed from the water – artist's impression for illustrative purposes.

**The existing wharf will be replaced by a completely new structure designed to provide customers with improved access and amenity.**

The wharf will be made up of a steel floating pontoon, a concrete entry platform and an aluminium gangway connecting the entry platform to the pontoon. Four steel piles will hold the floating pontoon in place and the entry platform and ramp will be supported by 13 steel piles.

The pontoon will have a curved roof which will shelter customers from the weather. Glass screens and seating will provide improved comfort and amenity.

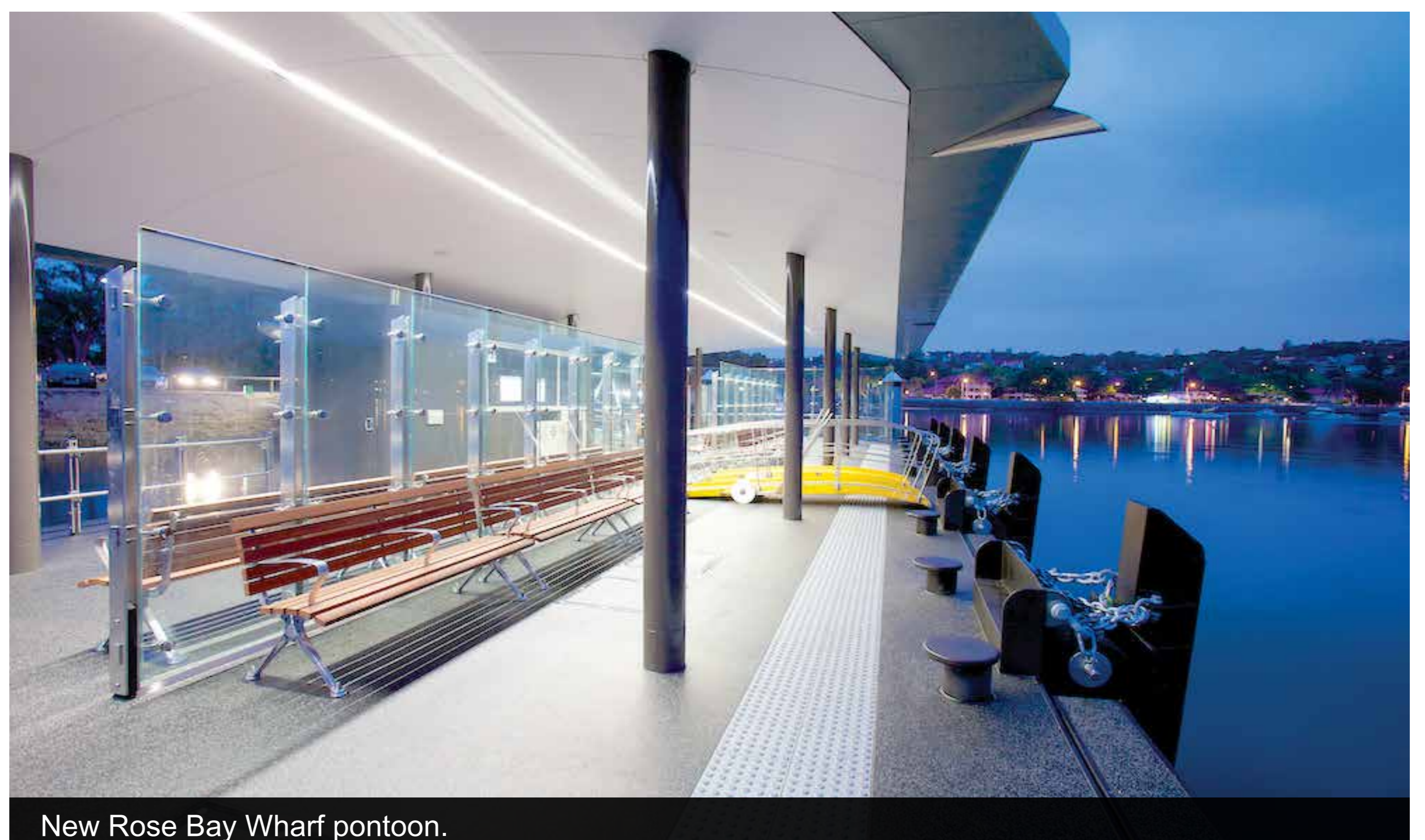
The new sections of the wharf will look similar to the recently upgraded wharves including Rose Bay and Balmain (Thames Street).

Accessibility for customers using mobility aids and customers with prams will be improved with the pontoon, gangway and ramp designed to meet current access standards.

The new wharf will have capacity for two ferries to berth at the wharf at the same time.



Recently upgraded Balmain (Thames Street).



New Rose Bay Wharf pontoon.