

Works Completed during the last week.

Week 105: Monday 3 December to Friday 7 December 2007

- Throughout the week works have concentrated on the concreting of footpaths adjacent to the highway and to pedestrian areas within the open space opposite Victoria Road West. A total of 71m³ of concrete have been cast this week. Additionally a large area has been prepared for further concreting works to be carried out during next week.
- The vehicular access ramp opposite Beach Road has been prepared and concreted this week. The new ramp will provide access to the promenade for pedestrians as well as for council maintenance vehicles and emergency vehicles.



The exposed aggregate finish is revealed by power washing



Preparing the plaza area for concreting works

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- On the beach, construction of the timber section of the new groynes has progressed well throughout the week with the fixing of approximately 250m of timber boards to the greenheart timber posts. In addition, installation of the remaining greenheart timber piles has now been completed.
 - The existing rock groynes have been temporarily removed to allow access for the piling rig. The rocks will be repositioned at the end of the new timber groynes for a length of approximately 40m.
 - Work has begun on driving the sheet steel piles that will form the toeline of an extension to the new slade opposite Beach Road. This extension was deemed necessary to reduce the slope at its base and enable Wyre BC meet its obligations for access for all to the beach.



Construction of a timber groyne in progress



Driving the greenheart timber piles

- Works within the café building have continued with the installation of wall and floor tiles and the completion of the public toilets. The coin operated toilets consisting of a disabled toilet / baby changing facility, a urinal and 2 unisex toilets, will be operated by Danfo on behalf of the council.
- A number of other works have been carried out, including continued installation of the ventilation system, further installation of the suspended ceilings and construction of a suspended walkway and storage area above the new toilet facilities; this will provide maintenance access to the roof.



Cutting ceramic wall tiles



The new café building

- Other works that have been carried out throughout the week include
 - installation of planters within the lower plaza area
 - coring of holes in the walls and promenade slabs to accommodate the posts for hand rails and pedestrian barriers
 - installation of uplighters into plaza area
 - installation of roadside kerbing around Victoria Road roundabout
 - construction of timber shuttering for steps joining lower plaza area to upper area



Installation of timber shuttering for new roadside footpath



Planters have been installed in the lower plaza

Further information about the scheme can be viewed at

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