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SOURCE: USGS 7.5-Minute Series Santa Cruz Quadrangle



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FIGURE 1-1 Project Location



FIGURE 1-2
Vicinity Location
Santa Cruz Wharf Master Plan EIR



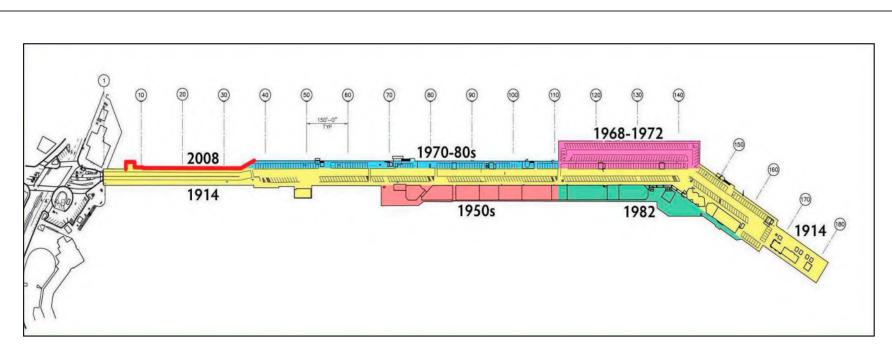




FIGURE 2
Wharf Expansion Over Time
Santa Cruz Wharf Master Plan EIR



SOURCE: ROMA Design Group; Moffat & Nichol (2014)



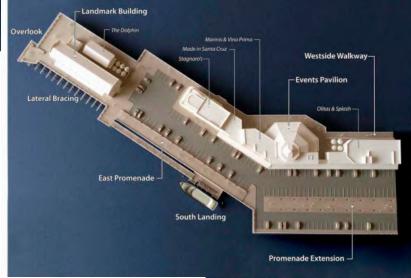
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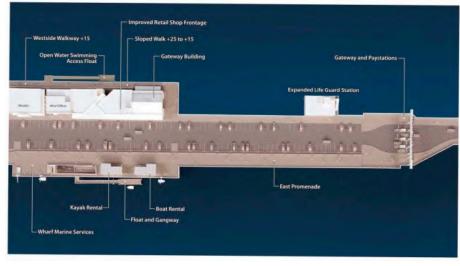
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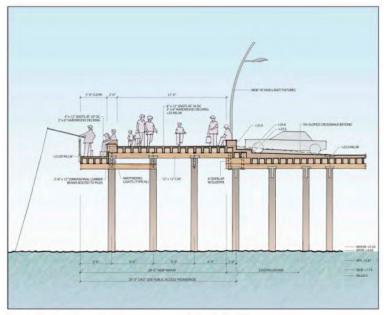




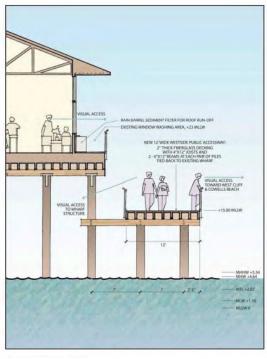




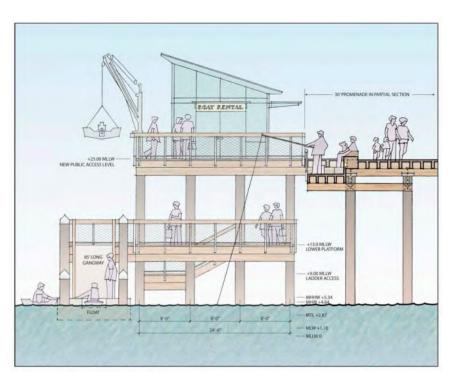




**East Promenade** 

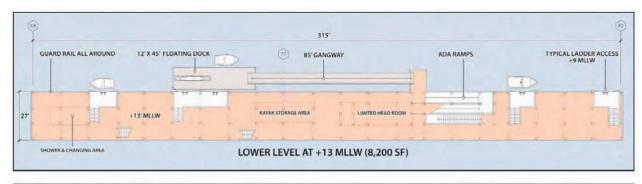


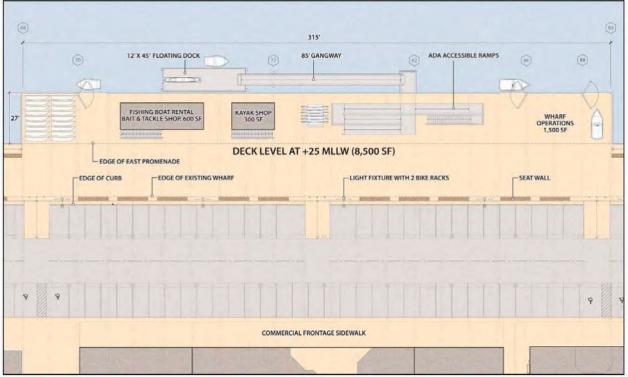
Westside Walkway



North Elevation of Small Boat Landing Adjacent to East Promenade

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Plan of the deck and platform levels of the Small Boat Landing

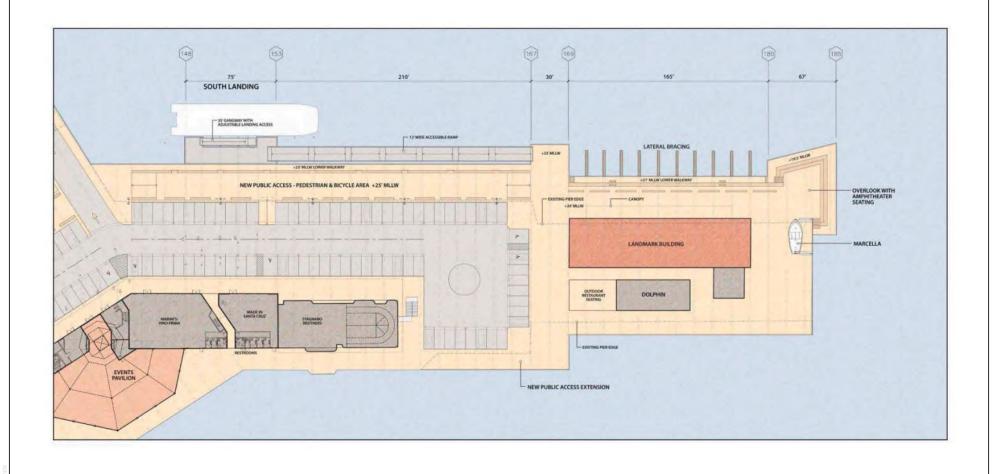
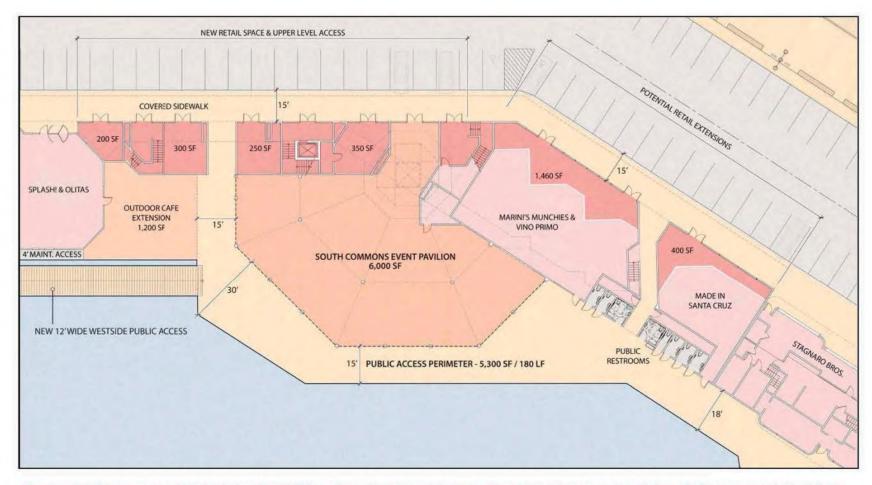


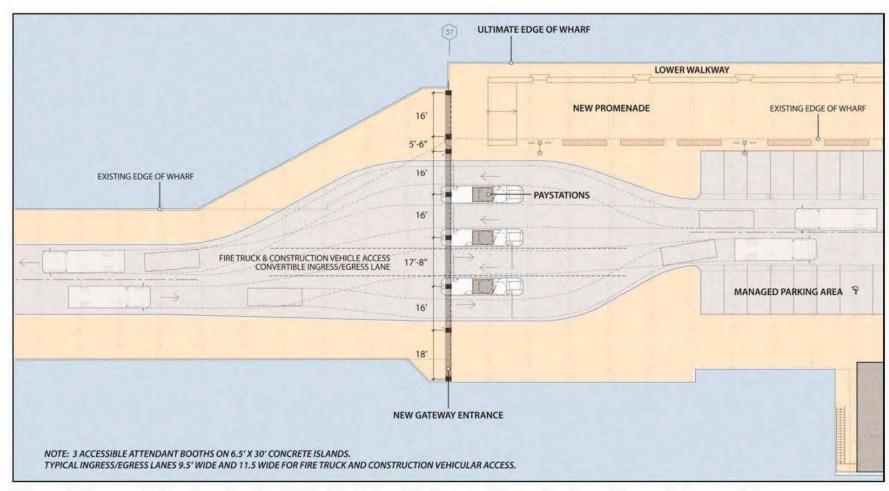
FIGURE 3-5B Concept Site Plan - South Landing



The plan for the Events Pavilion includes the addition of small commercial tenant spaces and the extension of the existing commercial buildings.







The pay stations provide four lanes in and out of the Wharf – two in/out on most days and one in and three out when needed.

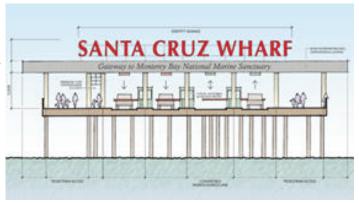
SOURCE: Santa Cruz Wharf Master Plan (2014)

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Existing Wharf Entrance Relocated Entrance



The Master Plan provides a general example of signage, but a specific design, size, shape, and color will be developed and provided for public review before a final design is selected



## **EAST PROMENADE SANTA CRUZ WHARF LEGEND** WHARF WIDENING EAST PROMENADE

SOURCE: City of Santa Cruz Public Works Department

FIGURE 3-7A
Entry Gate Relocation Plan View

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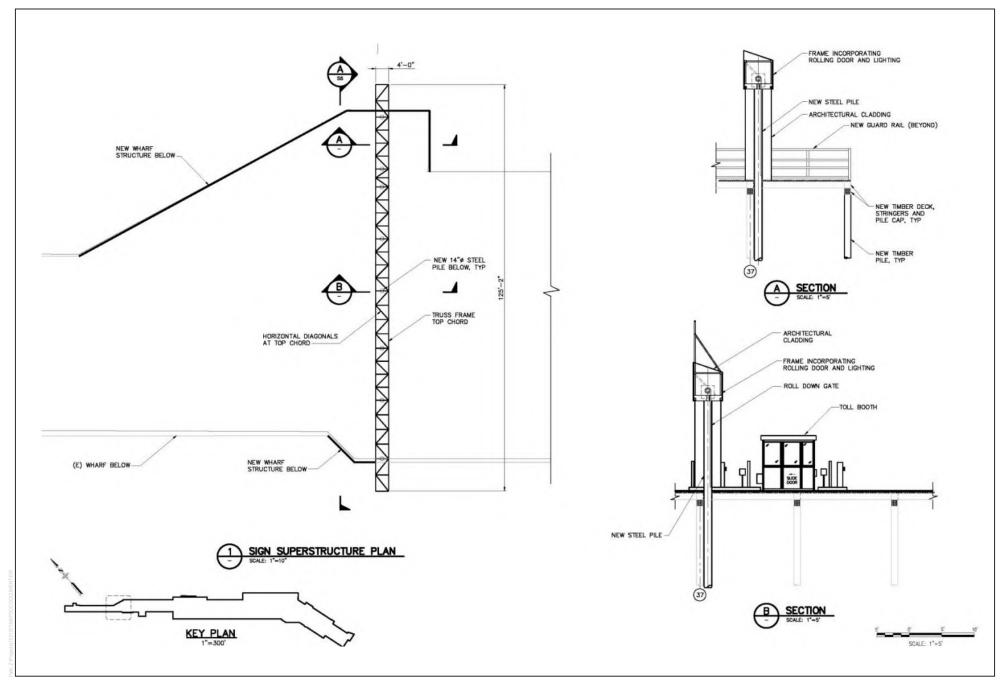


FIGURE 3-7B Entry Gate/Sign Structure Cross Section

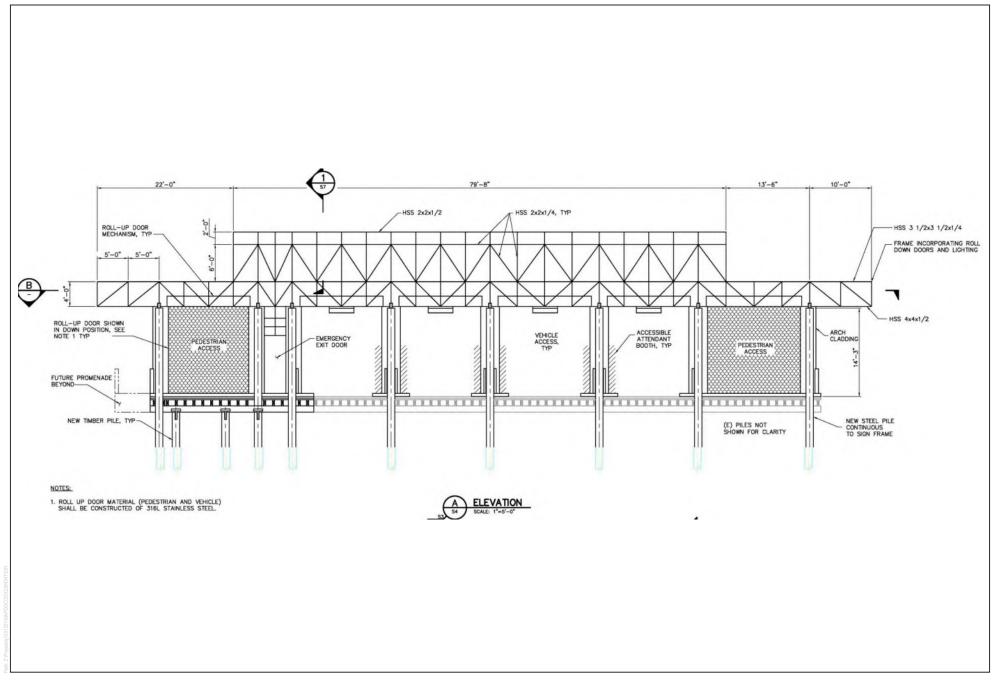


FIGURE 3-7C Entry Gate/Sign Structure Elevation

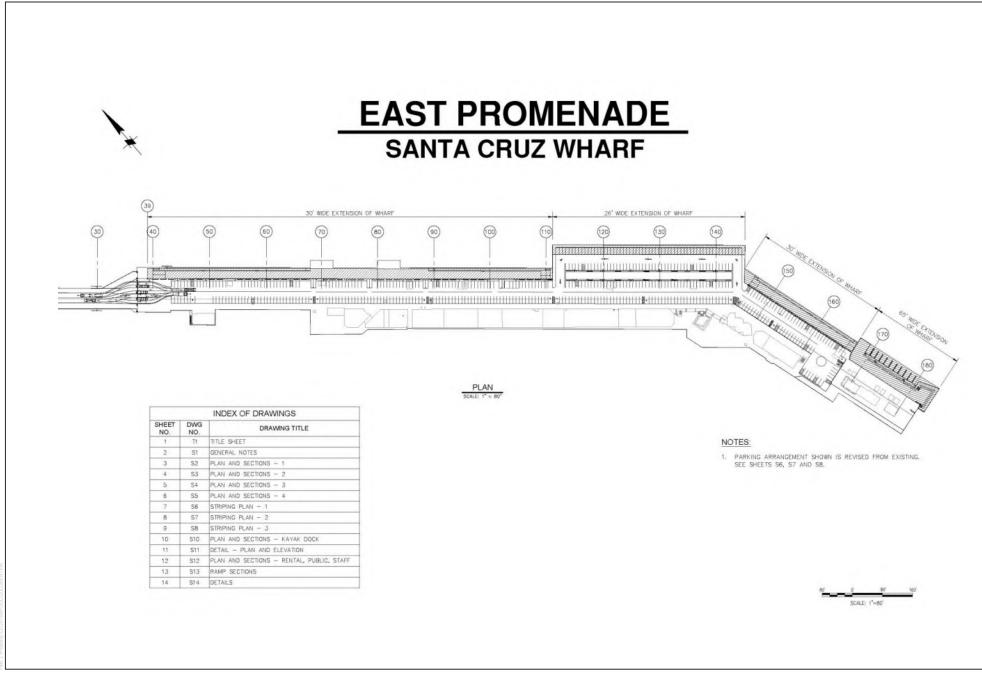


FIGURE 3-8A
East Promenade Conceptual Site Plan

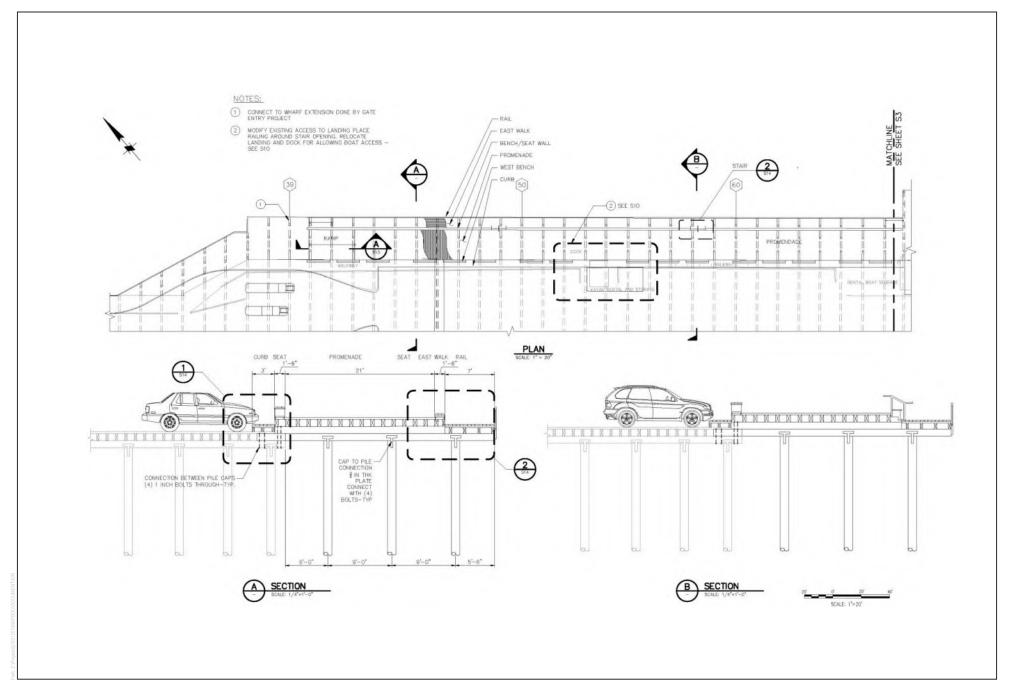


FIGURE 3-8B



West Walkway Near Entrance



West Walkway Near Lifeguard Headquarters



East Walkway Looking Toward Wharf Entrance



Pedestrians in Vehicle Lanes



Walkway Overlooking Commons Area



Pedestrian Lane in Parking Lot

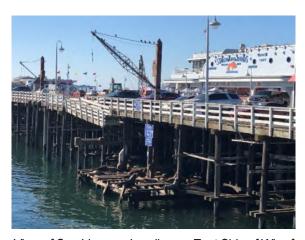




Viewing Sea Lions from Fishing Holes



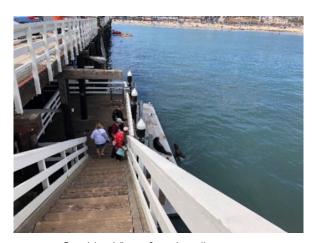
Viewing Sea Lions from Fishing Holes



View of Sea Lions on Landing on East Side of Wharf



Nature Photography



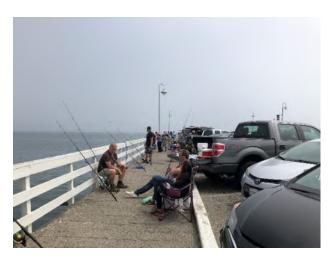
Sea Lion Views from Landing



Sea Lion Viewing From Landing #1



"Tailgate" Fishing on East Side of Wharf that Encroaches into Pedestrian Walkway



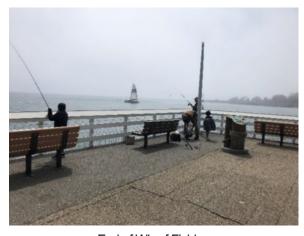
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Other East Side Fishing



Other East Side Fishing

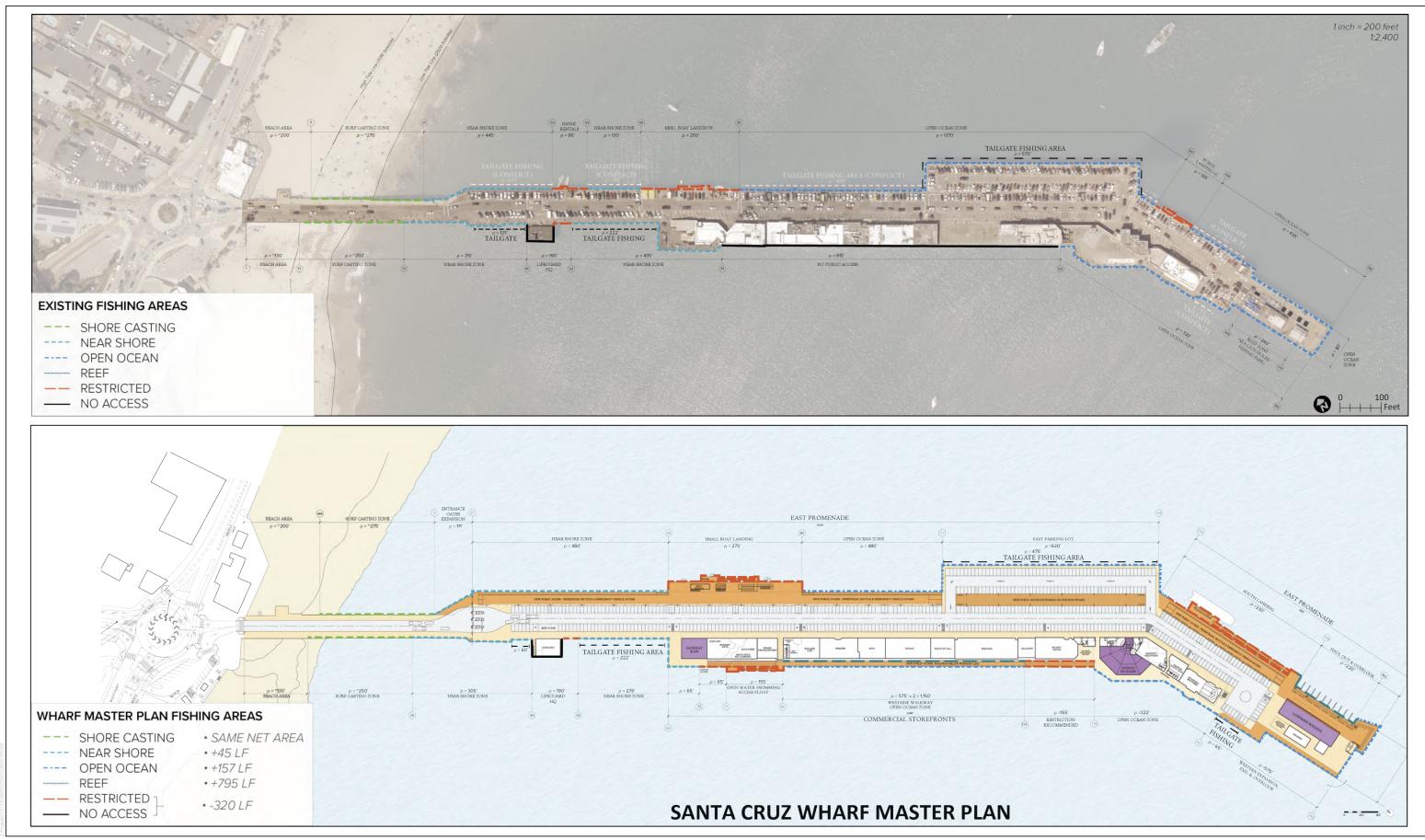


End of Wharf Fishing



Fishing Holes

SOURCE: City of Santa Cruz



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Public Landing #1



Public Landing #2



Kayak Access Landing



Kayak Rentals



Boat Rental Hoist - Landing



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**Educational Events** 



Woodies on the Wharf Annual Special Event



Special Event at the "Commons"



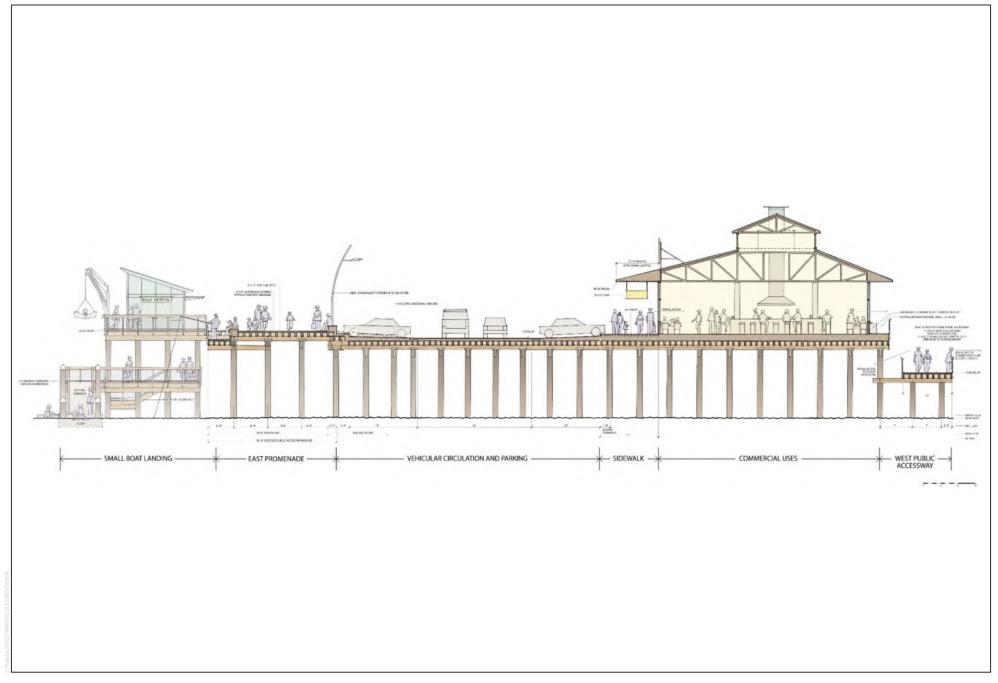
Sitting / Viewing at the "Commons"



Bocce Ball Court at the "Commons"



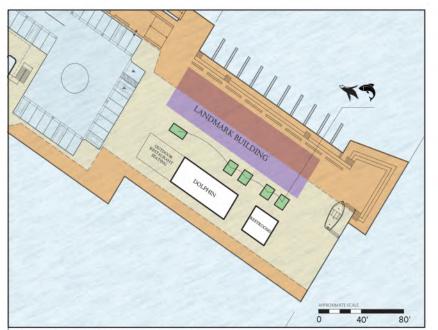
Surfing By the Wharf



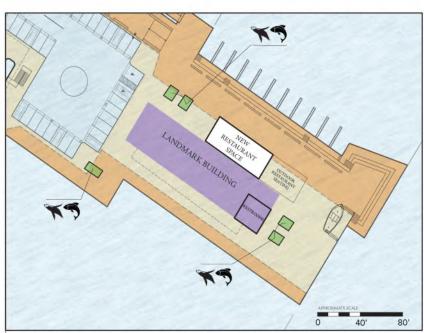
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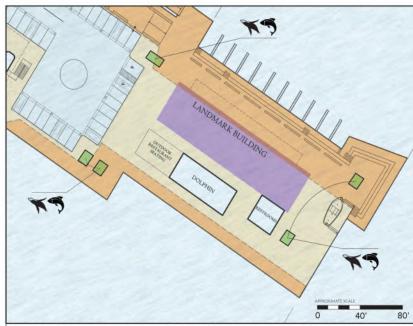
FIGURE 4.8-7 ed Improvements



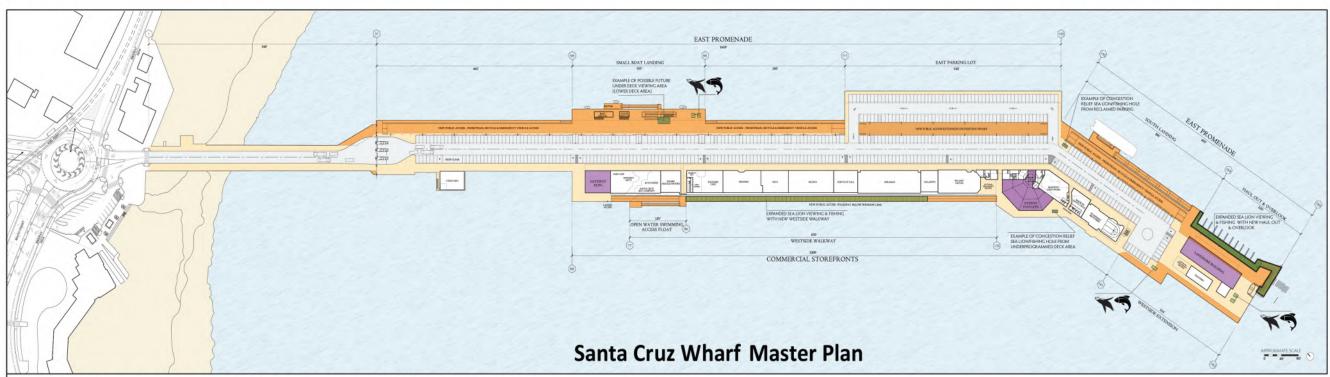
EXAMPLE 1 - The landmark building is moved eastward to preserve the sea lion/fishing holes At their current location. Circulation areas would be narrowed, which may require relocation or the elimination of proposed seating atop the new lowered overlook. Step seating in the amphitheater and overlook would still be available. The holes would become more sheltered from winds, but outward looking views from the holes would be greatly diminished.



EXAMPLE 2 - Repair of the Wharf beneath the Dolphin will eventually require demolition of the building. This will allow realignment and possible integration of building uses. This would free ample deck space for reconfiguration of the sea lion/fishing holes and create distinct views and experiences from each. Circulation would be maximized around the Wharf edges.



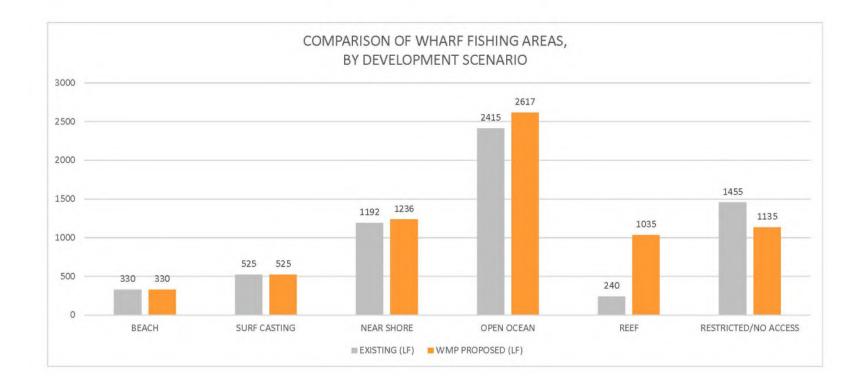
EXAMPLE 3 - Maintaining the layout proposed in the Wharf Master Plan, the sea lion/fishing holes could be relocated around the end of the Wharf creating unique perspectives and viewsheds from each. Circulation around the sea lion/fishing holes would change, although wharf widening would ensure ADA accessibility compliance and comfortable spacing similar to existing conditions. Wind exposure may sometimes exceed current levels at certain holes.



EXAMPLE 4 - Wharf master plan improvements like the Westside Walkway and Haul Out and overlook are anticipated to increase sea lion viewing and fishing opportunities dramatically. Existing sea lion/fishing holes could also be redistributed to areas around the Wharf to reduce congestion and redevelop the end of the Wharf. Additional opportunities to preserve or even expand the sea lion/fishing hole experience could also be integrated into projects as they progress to final design and permitting. For example, underprogrammed deck space could be converted to sea lion/fishing holes, parking spaces could be reclaimed during restriping, and even viewing areas beneath the deck could eventually be considered near the new landings. This approach could also be considered to maintain this type of recreational wildife viewing and fishing during project phasing.

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