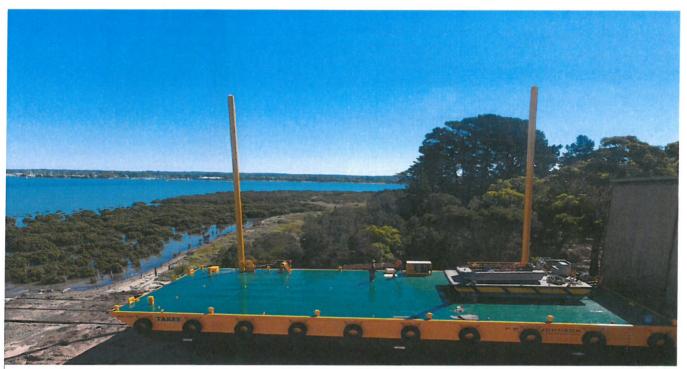
## Project update Mornington Pier

Storm Damage Repairs - Autumn 2017



## Autumn works to secure pier's future

A specialist marine infrastructure contractor will visit Mornington Pier during March and April 2017 with a floating barge and hydraulic crane to remove five of the pier's 15 tonne storm damaged wave protection panels.



Barge to be used to remove damaged wave panels

## When will the pier be fixed?

The safest time for Parks Victoria's contractor to install the strengthened pier infrastructure is in summer 2017/18.

The repairs cannot be undertaken before then as the wave conditions at Mornington throughout the rest of the year make construction and under water installation unsafe for our marine contractors.

July 2016 100km/hour winds and storm surges on July 13 resulted in 15 panels being damaged and needing removal.

October 2016 90km/hour winds on 9 October resulted in a further 25 panels being damaged and needing removal.

The damage was confined to the wave screens and some decking. A number of the wave screens dislodged and fell to the sea floor. The storm events impacted many other sites around the bay.