

12/11/2024

Notice to Mariners No. 05/2024 – Balbriggan eastern pier earthing test works.

New lighting has been installed on the eastern pier. For the new lighting we need the trial holes dug so the ESB can carry out an earthing test. The ESB had initially understood the pier to be constructed of concrete, however during the harbour works, photos were taken and these shared with ESB, noting the deck is concrete, with subsurface composed of rubble and sand. The ESB have now indicated they can proceed with their works, including excavating 15-20m trench from the ESB pole and lay a copper wire along this trench with earthing rods hammered where necessary. These works shall be carried out on the locations marked red on the below picture on Monday the 18.11.2024. The eastern pier will be closed on Monday morning and for the duration of works as shown on the below sketch. The closure of the pier is to allow the works to take place, and as it is now a work site, access must be closed off for health and safety reasons.



Skippers, owners, and recreational boaters should ensure that the contents of this notice are made known to the persons in charge of their vessels or craft. All notices to mariners can be found on the website <https://www.fingal.ie/council/service/harbours>.

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