



Port Botany Foreshore

Sydney Ports has invested \$30 million into the recreational, visual and ecological enhancement of the public open space area south of Foreshore Road, as part of the expansion of Port Botany to create 60 hectares for new container handling facilities through dredging and reclamation.

The works have included the development and construction of the following community facilities:

- a four-lane boat ramp with two floating pontoons; car and trailer parking; boat engine washing facility; and an enclosed fish cleaning facility;
- enhancement of Foreshore Beach dune areas with new native vegetation plantings;
- a pedestrian and cycle path extending the entire length of the foreshore and connecting into Sir Joseph Banks Park, a Council park on the northern side of Foreshore Road, via a pedestrian bridge;
- solar lighting;
- a new amenities building with toilets, water bubbler, shower and foot-washing facilities;
- a recycled water system that captures water from the car park and amenities building roof for use in toilets and for washing boat engines;
- new lookouts including at the Mill Stream, the Boat Ramp and on the new pedestrian bridge; and
- a viewing platform and bird hide within Penrhyn Estuary.

A number of the community facilities were opened to the public in October 2010. The remaining facilities will be opened in early 2011.

For more information on the Port Botany Foreshore works, please visit

http://www.sydneyports.com.au/port_development/port_botany_expansion_project/community