

Aerial Perspectives of New Accessway show the route from the Sandy Bay Rivulet to the Slipyards

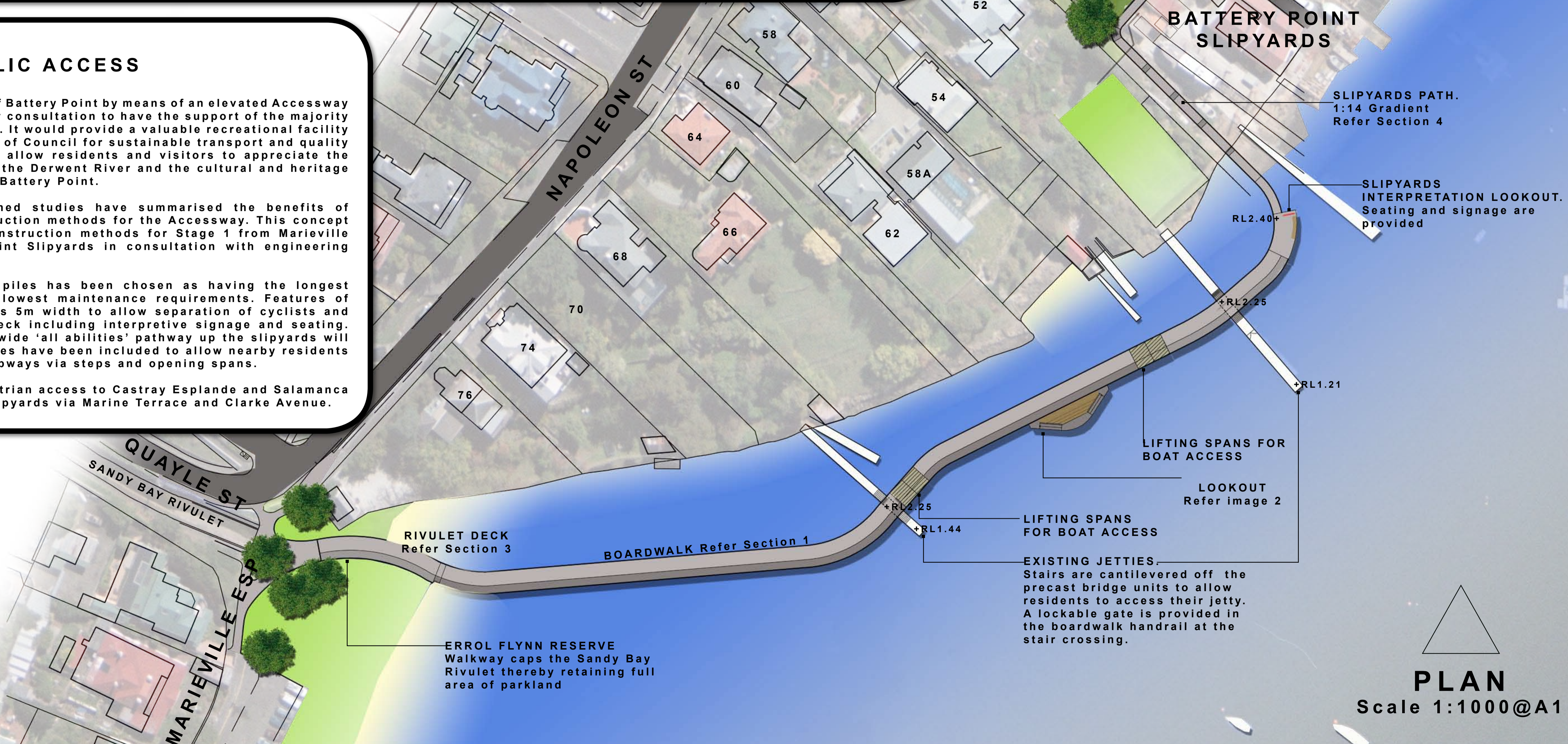
## BATTERY POINT FORESHORE PUBLIC ACCESS

Access around the foreshore of Battery Point by means of an elevated Accessway has been shown via community consultation to have the support of the majority of the residents of Hobart City. It would provide a valuable recreational facility that meets the strategic goals of Council for sustainable transport and quality urban environments. It would allow residents and visitors to appreciate the magnificent natural values of the Derwent River and the cultural and heritage features of the Slipyards and Battery Point.

Previous Council commissioned studies have summarised the benefits of alternative routes and construction methods for the Accessway. This concept has refined the route and construction methods for Stage 1 from Marieville Esplanade to the Battery Point Slipyards in consultation with engineering consultants.

A precast concrete deck on piles has been chosen as having the longest lifespan, moderate cost and lowest maintenance requirements. Features of the design include a generous 5m width to allow separation of cyclists and pedestrians with a viewing deck including interpretive signage and seating. Lighting, handrails and a 2m wide 'all abilities' pathway up the slipyards will be provided. Additional features have been included to allow nearby residents to access their jetties and slipways via steps and opening spans.

Continuous bicycle and pedestrian access to Castray Esplanade and Salamanca Place is available from the Slipyards via Marine Terrace and Clarke Avenue.



**PLAN**  
Scale 1:1000@A1



**DECK LEVEL**

(All figures are in AHD)

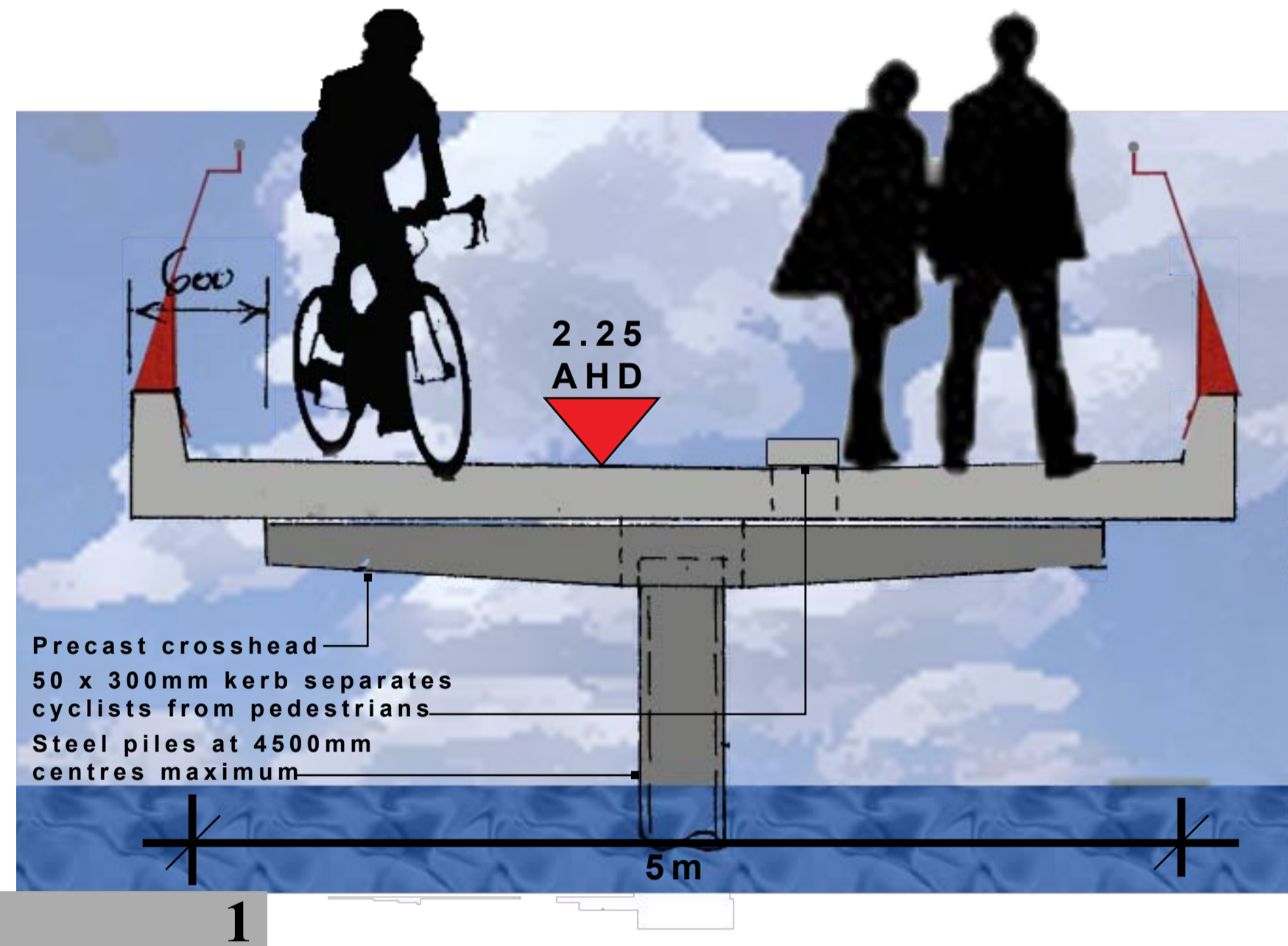
- Design still water level at a 'high' tide = 0.47m ≈
- Additional water level due to atmospheric and wind setup in combination, say = 0.45m
- ½ wave height, say = 0.75m
- Deck superstructure height = 0.25m
- Allowance for higher astronomical tide = 0.33m

**TOTAL = 2.25m AHD**

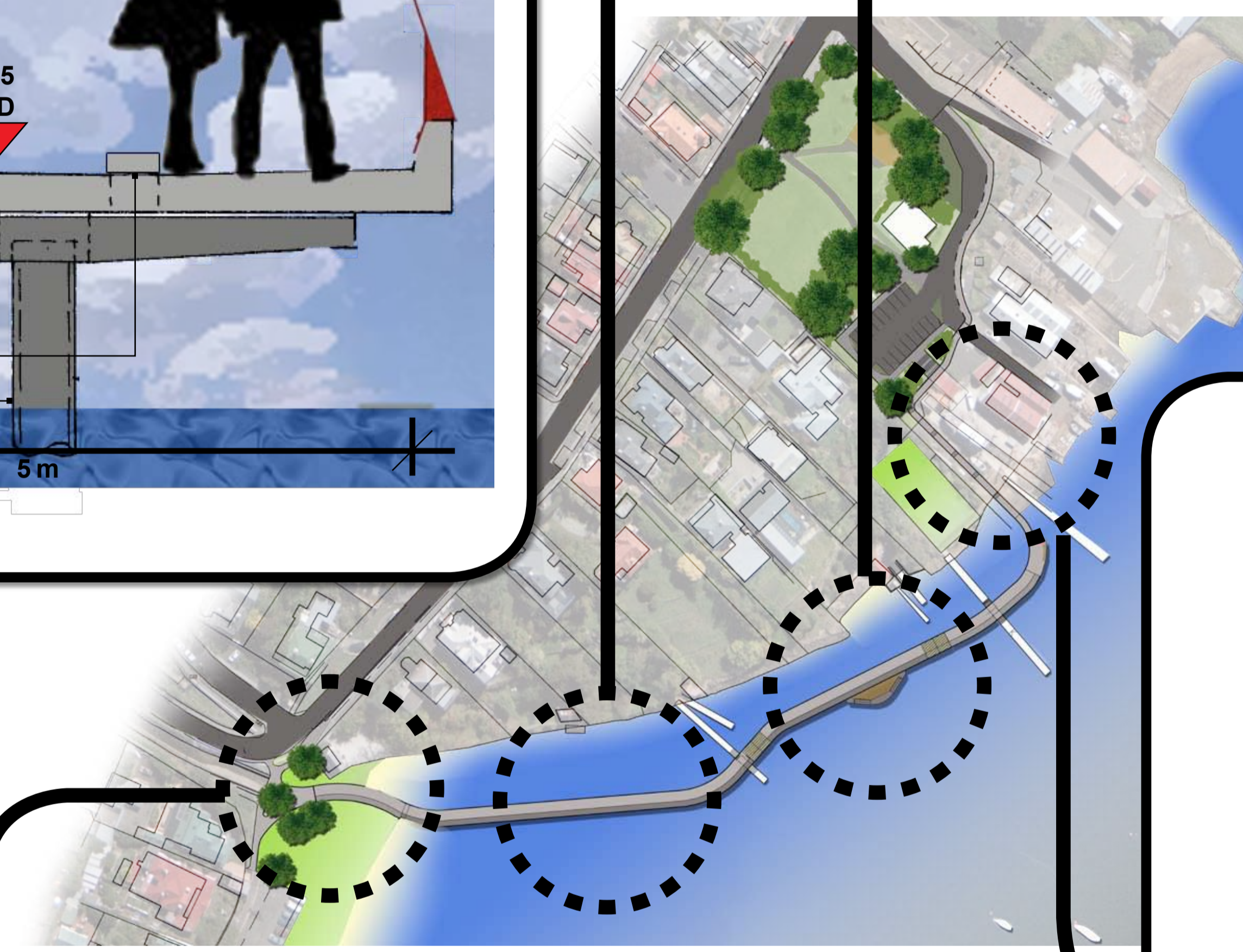
≈NOTE : this is below the level of the highest astronomical tide and below the highest known recorded tide (1.35m)



**Boardwalk Deck & Supports**  
Section Scale 1:50



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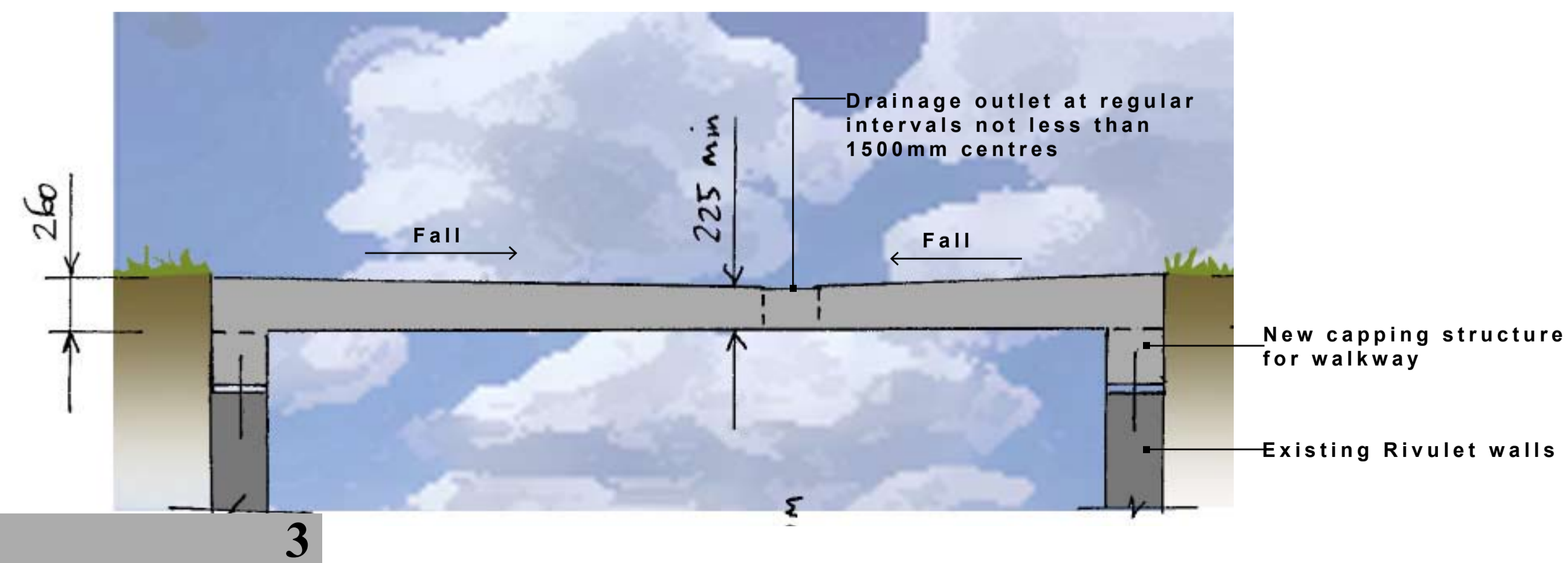


**Viewing Deck**  
Perspective



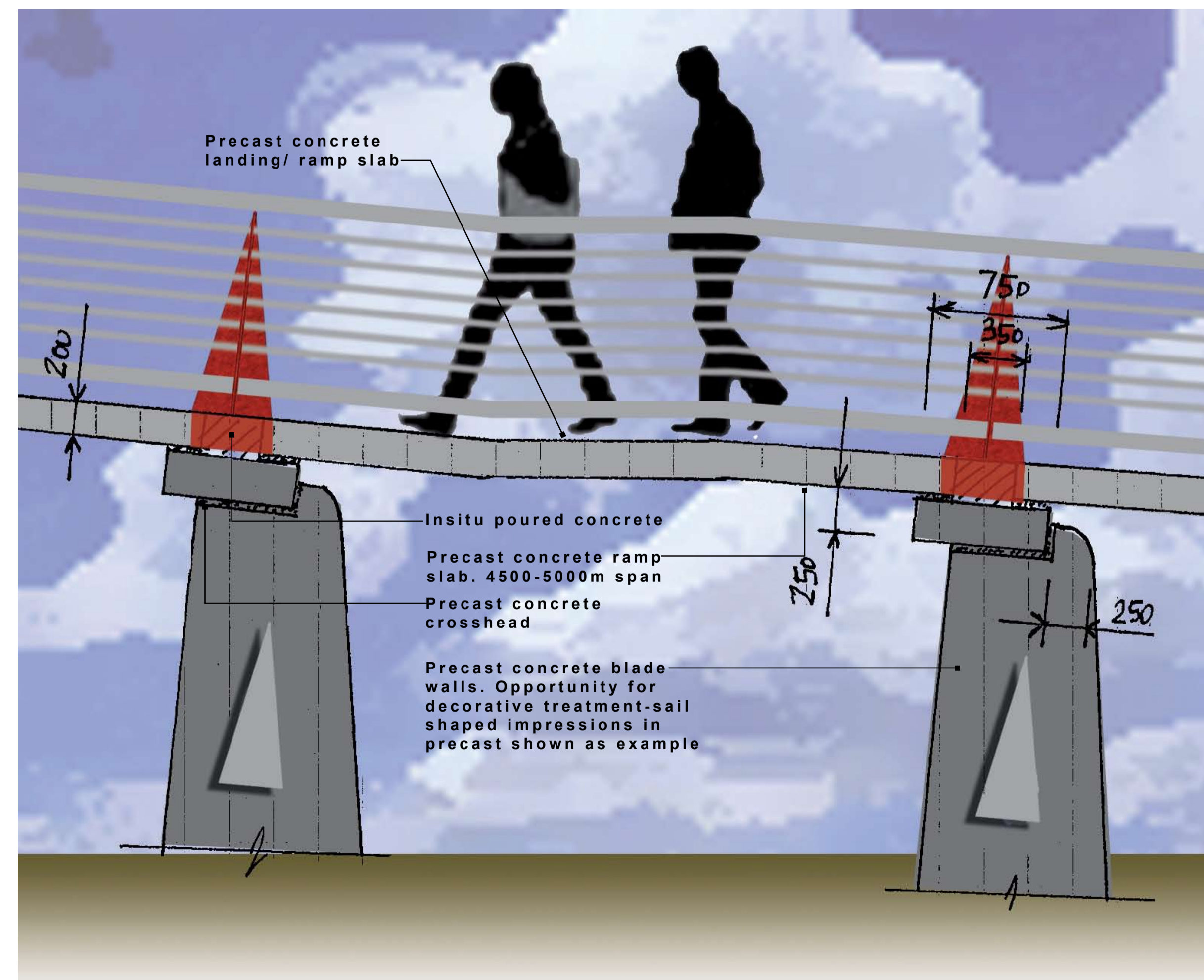
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**Rivulet Deck**  
Section Scale 1:50



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**Slipway Path**  
Longitudinal Section Scale 1:50



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