

## **Huntington Beach Harbour Commission News You Can Use**

### **Ammunition Pier Project Update - Pile Driving**

On November 30, 2021, the Naval Weapons Station Seal Beach (NWSSB) Public Affairs Officer (PAO) sent an update on the Navy's ongoing project to build a replacement ammunition pier in Anaheim Bay. In case you missed it, here is some News You Could Use:

Since the NWSSB PAO's last update in August, the Navy has completed several major milestones. The test pile driving campaign was completed in September. Inshore dredging, which had been intermittently underway since early 2020, completed earlier in November. Work on the new pier in the center of the bay continues.

The next major step will be a large pile driving operation, in order to emplace support structures for the new pier. This is now scheduled to start in the beginning of December. Work is currently envisioned to take place during weekday, daylight hours only, although this schedule may occasionally change depending on weather, equipment availability and other issues. Night time pile driving work is not planned.

Although pile driving was initially thought to take up to a year to complete, the Navy contractors now believe that most of the work can be accomplished by early summer of 2022. The Navy's goal is to get this stage of the project done as quickly and safely as possible, in order to minimize impacts to the neighboring communities.

For additional information visit the Naval Weapons Station's project web page at <https://www.cnlic.navy.mil/sbammpier>.