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KINGSTON, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

KINGSTON DISTRICT COUNCIL

Located on the state's south-east coastline on the shores of Lacepede Bay; "The beach starts here" is their motto for good reason. Following a recommendation from its Maria Creek Sustainable Infrastructure Project Community Focus Group regarding vehicle beach access, Kingston District Council met to discuss the requirement.



THE CHALLENGE

Access to and from the beach required improvement for 2 and 4 wheel drives, along with the safe launch and recovery of watercraft. Traversing from the car park and along the access route was causing issues for visitors.



THE SOLUTION

30m of C40 Trackway® (4.2m width) was installed, secured with screws, and shipped in a 20ft container. Once installed, the Boat Ramp provided a stable route, and can be recovered and moved to an alternate location if required.



CEO at Kingston District Council: "This all-access solution is more than just a temporary boat ramp. In fact, by far the most satisfying outcome is that the council's safe, popular beaches are now accessible to conventional vehicles as a 4WD isn't required to use the Trackway[®]. Not only that, emergency service vehicles and those living with a disability can now also easily access our beaches".

Asset Manager, Kingston District Council: "Confidence in the community is building, it is getting a lot of use as bigger boats are being launched".

