All abilities beach access ramp proposal

Alexandra Headland

November 2026

FACT SHEET

Have your say

Sunshine Coast Council is seeking community feedback on a proposal to improve beach access at Alexandra Headland through the future delivery of:

- a new all-abilities beach access ramp
- improvements to an existing beach access to create a new machinery service ramp used for beach maintenance

Consultation is open: 18 November to 11 December 2026

Project Goals

The proposed ramps aim to:

- improve accessibility and usability for beach users
- improve safety for pedestrians and maintenance vehicles
- provide a durable, low-maintenance solution suitable for coastal conditions
- improve functionality for both community and operational use
- respect and protect the natural beach environment.

Why is this project being considered?

The project supports Council's commitment to creating a more inclusive region and removing barriers to accessing public spaces.

Alexandra Headland has been identified as a location where improved beach access could benefit a wide range of users, including:

- people with disability
- older residents and visitors
- families with prams and strollers
- people recovering from injury
- beachgoers carrying equipment
- the broader community.

The proposal aligns with Council's *All Abilities Action Plan 2024-2028*, which identifies beaches as a priority area for accessibility improvements.

What is being proposed?

All Abilities Beach Access Ramp

A new pedestrian beach access ramp designed to improve access to the beach and nearby amenities for a broader range of users.

Machinery Service Ramp

Widening the existing beach access (BA161) into a machinery access ramp to improve safety for beach maintenance operations such as the beach sweeper.

The current southern maintenance ramp at the surf club is narrow, steep and has limited visibility, making it difficult for machinery such as beach sweepers to operate safely.

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Council wants to understand:

- community values and priorities
- experiences with beach accessibility at Alexandra Headland
- design considerations that should be explored during planning.

Scan the QR code to complete the online survey and view the artist impressions on Council's website.

Project Timeline

- Community consultation:18 Nov-11 Dec 2026
- Stakeholder focus group and community pop up session: 2 Dec 2026
- Feedback review and analysis: Jan - Feb 2027
- Consultation outcomes will be published following review: Feb–Mar 2027
- Detailed design and approvals: Mar - Dec 2027
- Construction (subject to approvals, funding and procurement): During 2030.

Further information

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