

# Want a Huge Boat Marina here in Beaumaris Bay?



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- In 2009, Beaumaris Motor Yacht Squadron Ltd (BMYS) – a private club – applied for a permit to extend its [leased Crown land site](#) further out into our beautiful Beaumaris Bay. The State Government – as trustee of this public coast and sea for us all, and for posterity – after highlighting both its landscape quality, and the national and international importance of the [Beaumaris Bay Fossil Site](#), responded by requiring BMYS to produce an Environment Effects Statement (EES), [due soon](#). Once the Government approves the EES, it is too late for people to protest.
- [BMYS's \\$21 million plan](#) is to replace the 60-metre pier above with a 120-boat marina extending out 160 metres, with boats [up to 18 metres long](#). Two high sea walls, totalling 550 metres in length, built over our fossil-rich seabed would enclose it. A 3-storey high building, 88 metres long, would store 78 boats close to and along our cliff. As high as the cliff top, it would block all that length of it from view. Beaumaris Motor Yacht Squadron Ltd members only will have these exclusive facilities.
- [For fifty years](#), members have used only trailered boats at the 10,000 sq. metres of former seabed it leased, then filled. When unused - which is for most of the year – its members' boats do not clutter our coast. A 2013 BMYS ballot showed that 31% of its members do not want this plan to proceed.
- The [BMYS application](#), viewable at the website below, shows trucking in the 130,000 cubic metres of large basalt rocks to dump them in our Bay would mean 5,500 truck deliveries. A full truck would go down BMYS's ramp and leave empty each 10 minutes, for 10 hours a day, for some 5 months.
- To receive email alerts of action in Beaumaris Conservation Society Inc's campaign on this threat, email the word "**ALERT**", followed by your first & last names, to [info@bcs.asn.au](mailto:info@bcs.asn.au)

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