

Sydney Harbour

# Boating Destinations Plan





Sydney Harbour is one of the finest natural harbours in the world and has a foreshore perimeter of 310km.

The Harbour is host to a wide variety of recreational and commercial vessels including runabouts, sailing dinghies, paddle craft such as kayaks, pleasure cruisers, yachts, commercial work boats, adventure vessels, water taxis, passenger ferries, naval vessels and sea-going ships. Currently, vessel access to Sydney Harbour is available through avenues such as private and commercial moorings, marina berths, club or private landing facilities and boat ramps.

The Sydney Harbour Boating Destinations Plan is an initiative of the NSW Government designed to increase the number of services and amenities available to the general boating public on Sydney Harbour.

The Destinations Plan forms part of the Government's Maritime Policy Agenda which includes a range of initiatives aimed at improving boating safety, increasing boat storage and waterways access, and reducing red tape.

Examples of the types of facilities available under the Destinations Plan include toilets, pump-out, water and fuel facilities, as well as access to cafes, kiosks and marine services.

The Maritime Management Centre has worked closely with industry to provide commercial incentives for marinas to make these facilities available to the public.

## Identifying Destination Marinas

When out on the Harbour, look for the green banner which will be displayed prominently at participating marinas. See Figure 1 Boating Destination Marina.

A map identifying the participating Sydney Harbour Boating Destination Marinas is available at:  
[rms.nsw.gov.au/maritime](https://rms.nsw.gov.au/maritime)

The following symbols are used on the map to identify the services and amenities available at each Boating Destination Marina



Destination Berth



Destination Mooring



Water Taxi access



Public toilets



Food services



Recreational area



Wi-Fi zone



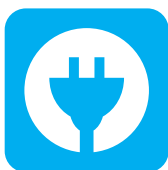
Fuel



Dinghy storage



Water wash down



Power



Pump out area



Slipway



Marine services

## What to do when you arrive at the Boating Destination Marina

When you arrive at the Boating Destination Marina look out for the blue Destination Berth banner to see where you can tie up. See Figure 2.

Some smaller marinas may not have berths available, but do have Destination Moorings. Please contact the marina operator to arrange a Destination Mooring.

Each marina has its own House Rules which visitors must follow when making use of the facilities. The House Rules will be displayed near the Destination Berths. Each marina can only accommodate a limited number of visiting vessels at a time. Marinas may therefore impose time limits to help manage demand. If you arrive at a marina and the Destination Berths are occupied, please be patient or try another Boating Destination Marina.



**Figure 1**

Boating Destination Marina



**Figure 2**

Destination Berth

## Other public access points

The Boating Destinations Plan map highlights the range of public infrastructure available to recreational boaters on Sydney Harbour including boat ramps and ferry wharves that can be used.

## Safe Boating

Boating safety is a priority for the NSW Government. Before you head out on the water you should review and consider some basic tips for trouble free boating. For more information, go to [rms.nsw.gov.au/maritime](https://rms.nsw.gov.au/maritime)



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