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USS *Arizona* Memorial shoreside dock repairs begin December 15

HONOLULU – Repairs on the USS *Arizona* Memorial shoreside dock will begin tomorrow December 15. After a December 14 on-site assessment, crews from Navy Facilities (NAVFAC) determined that the best course of action is to remove the damaged dock ramp via crane and began repair work at their off-site facility.

Once the repairs are completed the dock ramp will be re-installed and undergo stress tests, which include allowing the USS *Arizona* Detachment to practice docking and departing with the white boats. Operations will resume when National Park Service and US Navy (USN) personnel deem conditions safe enough for the white boats to use the shoreside dock.

The Pearl Harbor Visitor Center grounds, museums, and park film (on the open-air lanai) are still accessible. Visitors can still participate in the Pacific Historic Parks Audio Tour, VR Center, and visit The Pacific Fleet Submarine Museum, Pearl Harbor Aviation Museum, and the Battleship Missouri Memorial.

We apologize for the inconvenience and appreciate your flexibility.

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About Pearl Harbor National Memorial: Pearl Harbor National Memorial is a fee-free site and no reservations are required to enter the Visitor Center, museums, or walk the park grounds. Pearl Harbor National Memorial and its partners preserve, interpret, and commemorate the history of World War II in the Pacific from the events leading to the December 7, 1941, attack on O`ahu, to peace and reconciliation. For more about the memorial, please visit www.nps.gov/pearlharbor and www.facebook.com/PearlHarborNPS.

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