

Harbourfront Commission

For discussion
on 4 June 2012

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Progress Report from Task Force on Water-Land Interface

REPORTING PERIOD

This progress report covers the period from April to June 2012.

SITE VISIT HELD

Site Visit to Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club and Boat Trip to Typhoon Shelters in Victoria Harbour – 11 May 2012

2. To foster Members' understanding on the operation of a marina as well as the different uses of sheltered waters in Victoria Harbour, a site visit to Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club (RHKYC) and a boat trip to typhoon shelters in Victoria Harbour was conducted on 11 May 2012. During the visit to RHKYC, a short briefing on the history of the marina and its operation was given, and followed by a guided tour to its berthing and land-side supporting facilities.

3. Members then boarded the Government Launch "Tin Hau" and visited four typhoon shelters in Victoria Harbour, viz, New Yau Ma Tei Typhoon Shelter, To Kwa Wan Typhoon Shelter, Kwun Tong Typhoon Shelter and Shaukeiwan Typhoon Shelter. Representatives from Marine Department briefed Members on the background and operation of those typhoon shelters. Representative from the Civil Engineering and Development Department also briefed Members on the location of the proposed boardwalk underneath the Island Eastern Corridor and the site constraints as seen from the seaside.

Secretariat

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