



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

## LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No 021 of 2021

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### **Removal of sand from Il-Magħluq for the re-nourishment of the beach close by**

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that sand will be removed from parts of Il-Magħluq and used to replenish the beach close by, the work is expected to start with immediate effect and will continue until further notice.

The project consists of removing sand from within Il-Magħluq, area A, B, C, D, E and the intermediate coastline and area F, G, and the intermediate coastline. The sand will then used the replenish the area W, X, Y, Z and the intermediate coastlines as shown on attached chart.

Point	LATITUDE (N)	LONGITUDE (E)
A	35° 50'.385	014° 32'.763
B	35° 50'.389	014° 32'.752
C	35° 50'.406	014° 32'.762
D	35° 50'.359	014° 32'.802
E	35° 50'.381	014° 32'.798
F	35° 50'.386	014° 32'.870
G	35° 50'.367	014° 32'.859
W	35° 50'.329	014° 32'.929
X	35° 50'.324	014° 32'.927
Y	35° 50'.336	014° 32'.851
Z	35° 50'.344	014° 32'.852

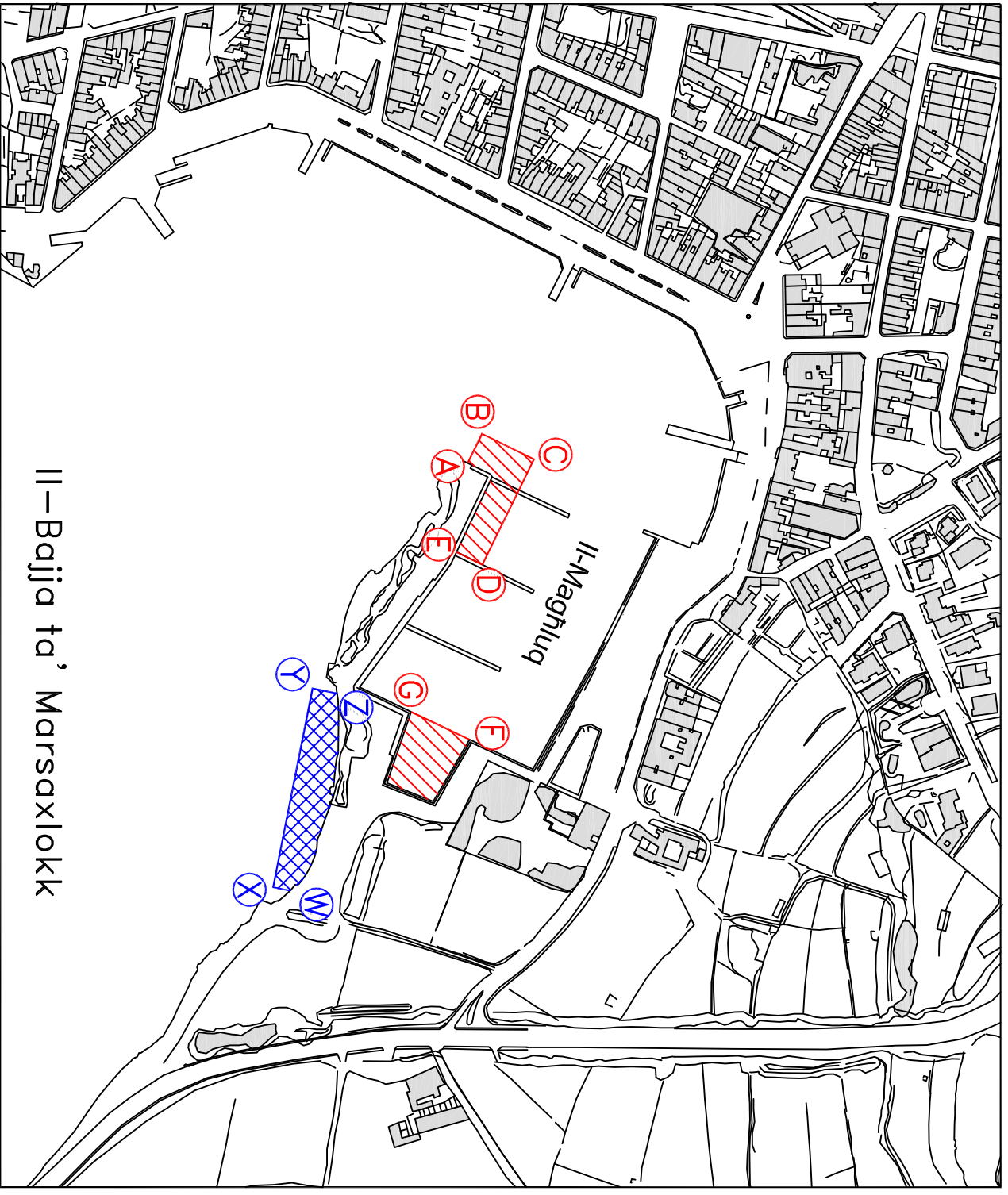
Silt curtains will be laid along the following imaginary three lines: line A, B, C, D, E, line F to G and line W, X, Y, Z. The silt curtains will be marked by spherical buoys at close intermittent distances from each other.



In view of the above, mariners navigating in the area, are to proceed with caution and at very slow 'no wake' speed. They are to give the above areas a wide berth and obey any instructions as may be given by the Marsaxlokk Port Control (Marsaxlokk VTS) on VHF Channel 14 and / or enforcement personnel.

Positions referred to WGS 84 DATUM.

Chart affected: **BA 36**



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