

## 7 Howland Hook



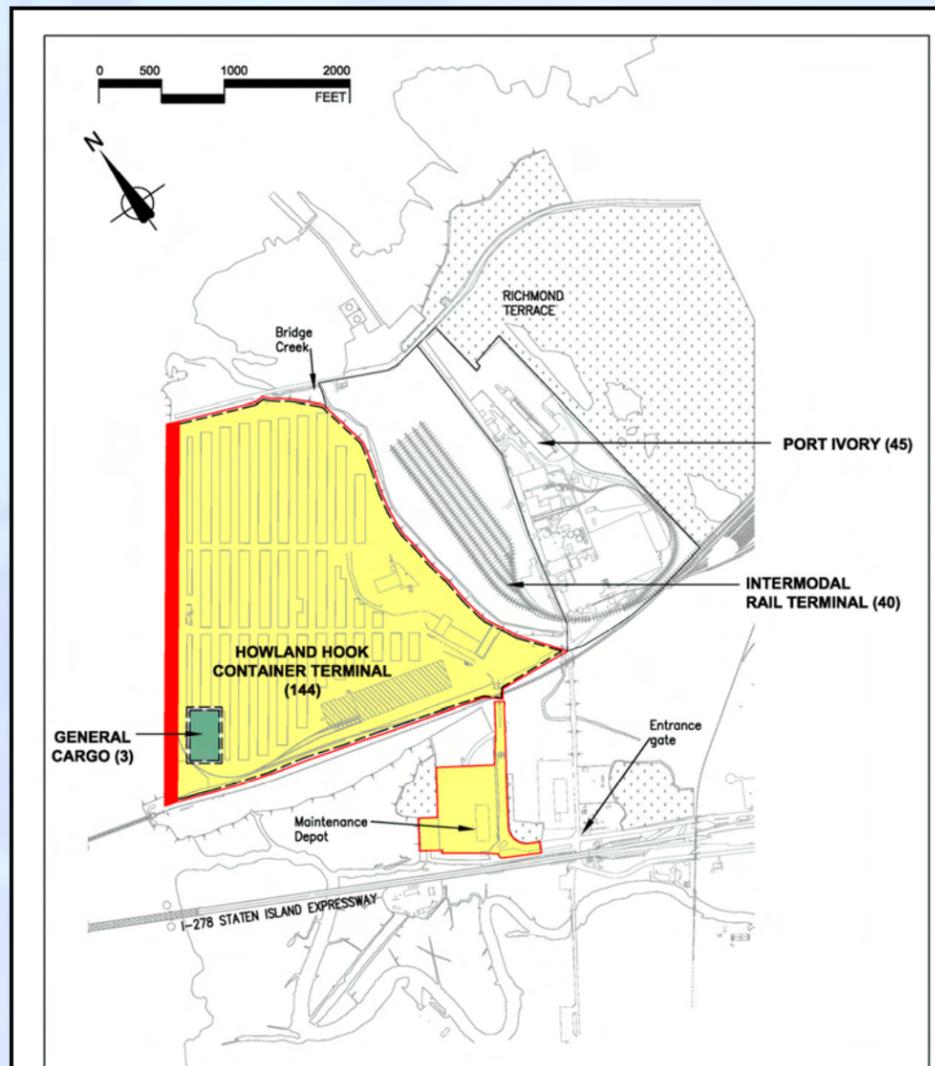


Fig 7.1 - Existing Layout

- Container Terminal
- Auto Terminal
- Off Terminal Warehousing & Support
- Dry Bulk
- Liquid Bulk
- General Cargo

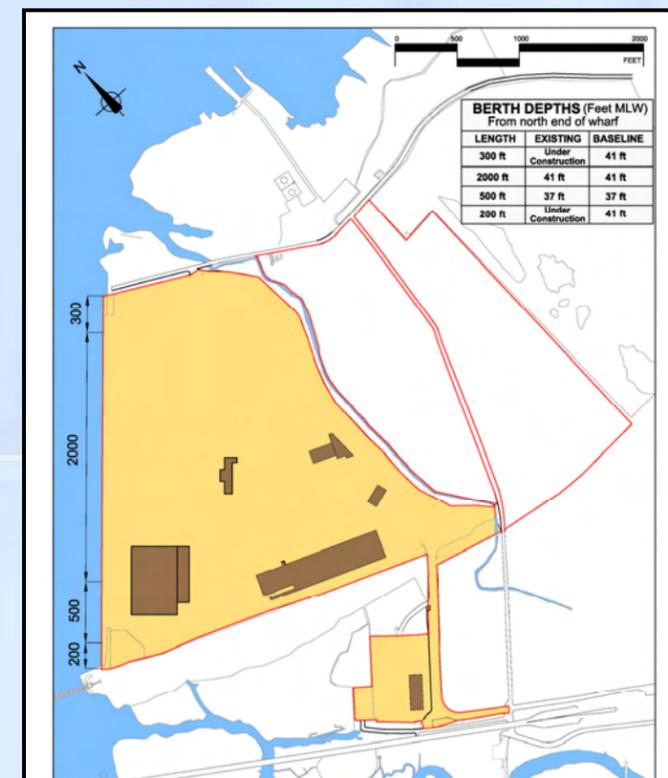


Fig 7.2 - Existing and Baseline Berth Depths

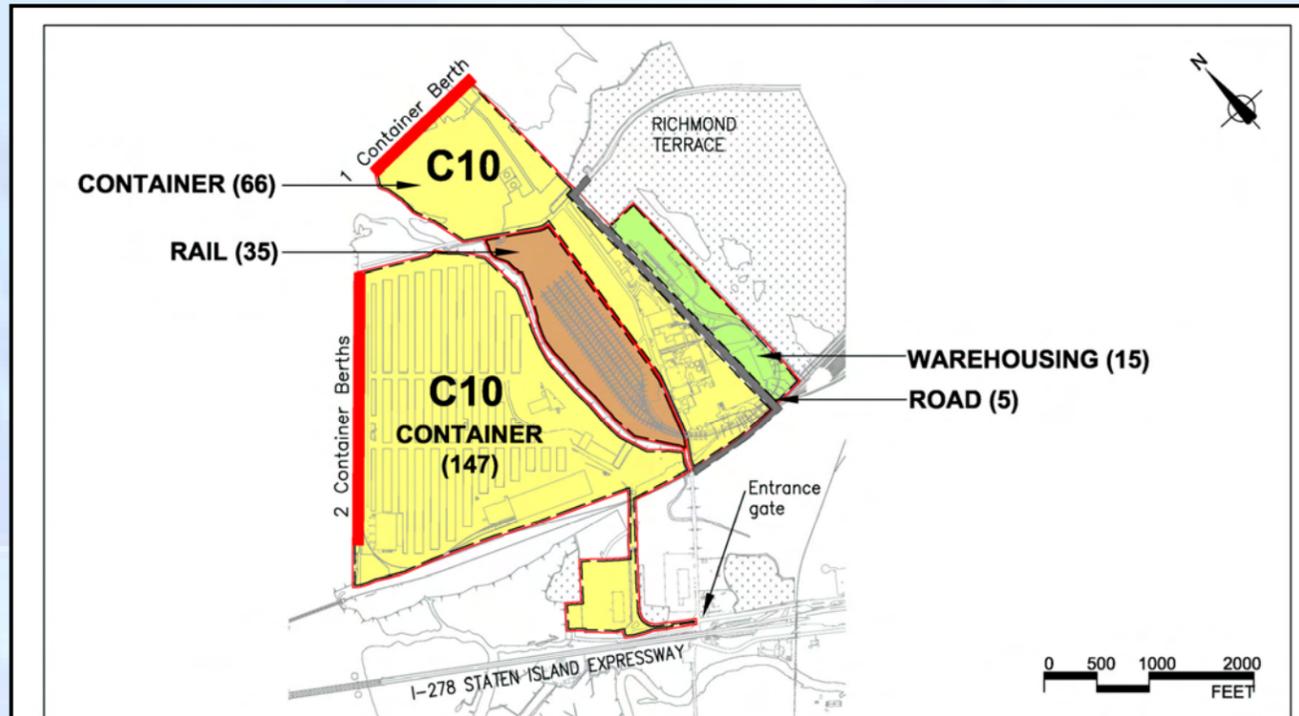


Fig 7.3 - Orange Scenario

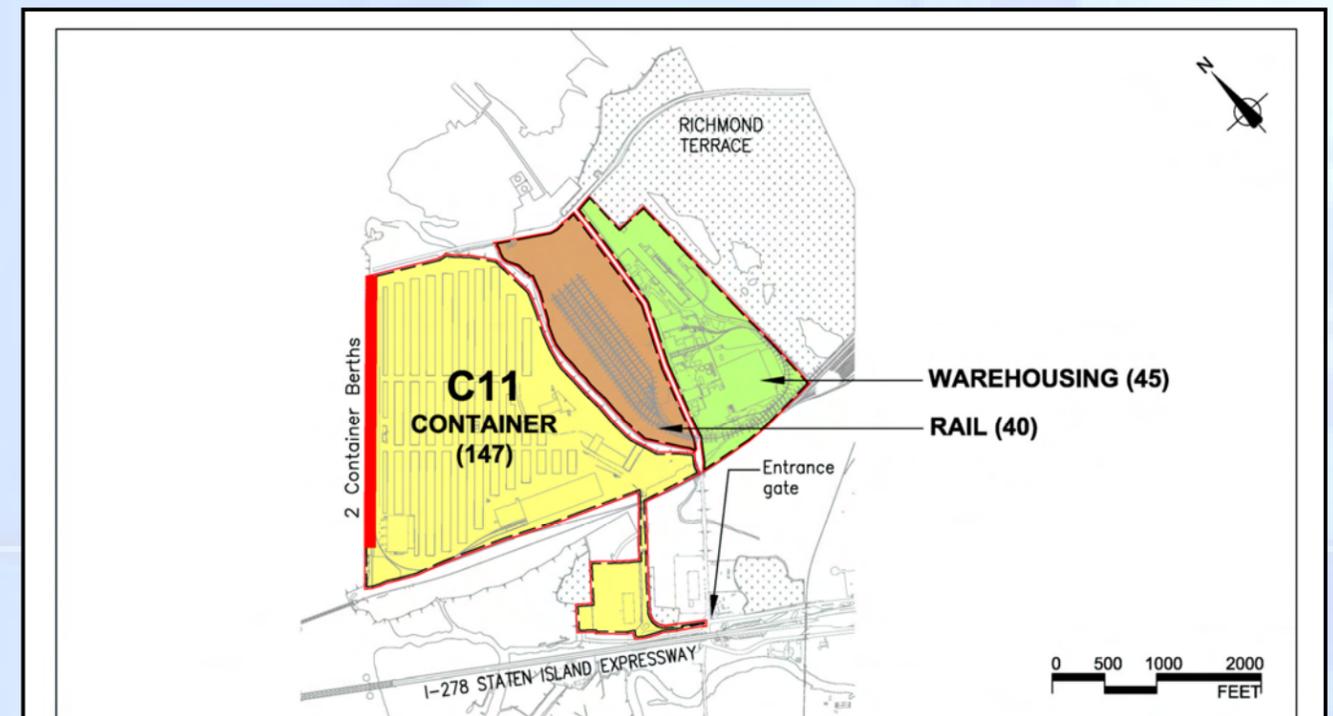


Fig 7.4 - Red, Yellow and Blue Scenarios

# Howland Hook Site Information

Existing site area and berths			
Terminal	Type	Area (acres)	# berths
Howland Hook	Container	144	3
Howland Hook	General Cargo	3	Inc in above

**Table 7.1**

Ref: Chapter 5, Volume 1, CPIP.

Existing terminal assessed capacity		
Container	144 acres	846,600 TEU/year
General	3 acres	130,000 tons/year

**Table 7.2**

Ref: Chapter 5, Volume 1, CPIP.

Land allocation								
Scenario	Containers		Road & Rail	Warehousing & terminal support industries	Total area	Area made from		
	Option	Area				Existing	Waterfront fill	Acquired
Orange	C10	213	40	15	268	147	3	118
Red, Yellow & Blue	C11	147	40	45	232	147	0	85

**Table 7.3**

Ref: Chapter 7, Volume 1, CPIP.

2060 Site Options and provisions					
Terminal	Type	Area (acres)	# Berths	Land capacity	Berth capacity
C11	Container	147	2	1,249,500 TEU/year	1,271,000 TEU/year
C10	Container	213	3	1,810,500 TEU/year	2,096,100 TEU/year

**Table 7.4**

Ref: Chapter 7, Volume 1, CPIP.

Option evaluation	
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C11	C10	Criterion
P1	P4	<b>Port Planning</b>
P2	P5	P1 Phasing, plan flexibility and relationship to existing land and berth use
P4	F2	P2 Appropriateness of land shape for cargo handling
P5	F3	P3 Ease of navigation to site along the main approach channels
E4	E4	P4 Space in the adjacent waterway for ship manoeuvring to the berth
E5	T1	P5 Effects of operations on neighbouring port operations
T1	T2	<b>Financial and Economic</b>
T2	T3	F1 Financial analysis – breakeven price
T3	T5	F2 Economic impact – job creation
T5	T6	F3 Economic impact – tax revenue created
T6	E1	<b>Environmental Issues</b>
F1	E2	E1 Light
F2	E3	E2 Noise
F3	T4	E3 Dust and odors
E1	P1	E4 Traffic
E2	P2	E5 Wildlife habitat
E3	P3	E6 Waterfront access
T4	E5	<b>Transportation Issues</b>
P3	E6	T1 Highway access
E6	F1	T2 Local highway congestion
		T3 Local highway improvement cost
		T4 Rail access
		T5 Rail terminal on-site availability
		T6 Rail terminal on-site cost

Key	Color	Description
F1	Yellow	Relatively good evaluation under financial criterion F1
E1	Blue	Indifferent evaluation under environmental criterion E1
P3	Red	Poor Evaluation under planning criterion P3
	White	Criterion is not applicable

**Table 7.5**

Ref: Chapter 15, Volume 1, CPIP.

# Howland Hook Navigation

## 1. Access Channels

Access to Howland Hook is by the Upper New York Bay stretch of the Anchorage Channel whose present depth of 45 ft is planned to be deepened to 50 ft, and then by the Kill van Kull Channel followed by a short stretch of the Arthur Kill Channel.

## 2. Restrictions

Howland Hook is affected by the air draft limitations of Bayonne Bridge which spans the Kill van Kull Channel.

This may be problematic in the future when container ships get larger. The air draft at Verrazano Narrows Bridge is more than adequate for the foreseeable future.

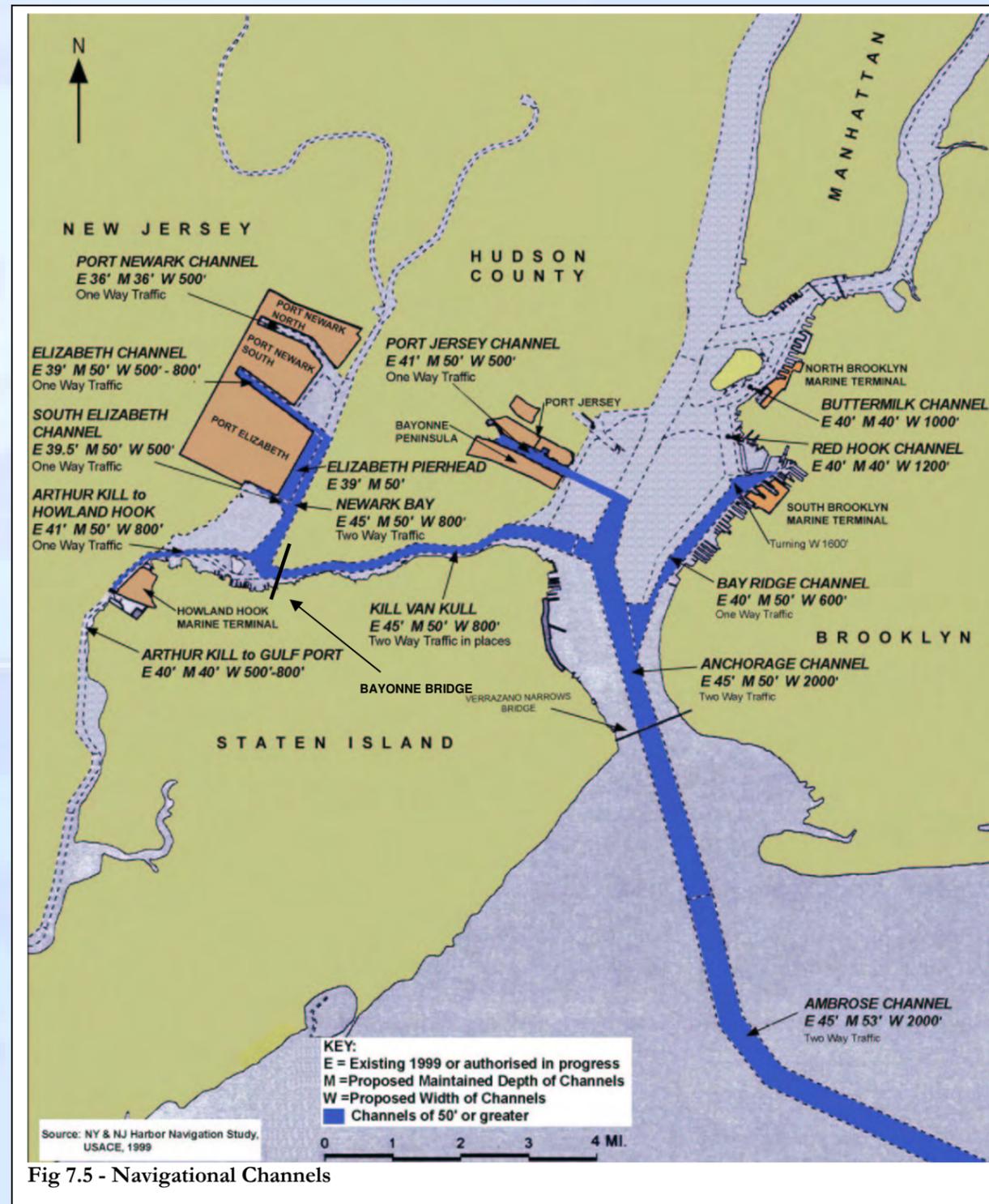


Fig 7.5 - Navigational Channels

### Approach channel depths

Channel name	Existing, or in progress, depth (ft MLW)	Future maintained depth (ft MLW)
Ambrose	45	53
Anchorage	45	50
Kill van Kull	45	50
Arthur Kill	41	50

Table 7.6

Ref: Chapters 5 & 6, Volume 1, CPIP.

### Berthing channel width

Channel name	Overall width (ft)	Dredged width (ft)
Arthur Kill	One sided	-

Table 7.7

Ref: Chapters 5 & 6, Volume 1, CPIP.

### Howland Hook

Howland Hook's present depth in the Arthur Kill channel off the berths of around 38 ft (41 ft authorized) is planned to be deepened to 50 ft. The existing and currently planned depths at the berths are shown on page 7.1

Infrastructure capital cost		
	C10	C11
Site clearance	5.5	0.0
Berths	48.1	9.0
Paving	16.3	0.0
Buildings	6.7	2.5
Other	111.4	25.2
Contingency & design	94.0	18.3
<b>Total \$m</b>	<b>282.1</b>	<b>55.0</b>

**Table 7.8**

Ref: Chapter 11, Volume 1, CPIP.  
Costs are quoted at 2003 constant US dollars.

Economic impact			
	Unit	C10	C11
<b>Additional units</b>		843,137	282,137
<b>Employment</b>			
Direct	jobs	2,990	1,001
In other industries	jobs	3,917	1,311
<b>Gross State Product</b>	(\$m)	379.7	127.1
<b>Income</b>	(\$m)	229.9	76.9
<b>Federal taxes</b>	(\$m)	48.5	16.2
<b>State taxes</b>	(\$m)	15.4	5.1
<b>Local taxes</b>	(\$m)	22.4	7.5
<b>Rank</b>		9	13

**Table 7.10**

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Overall ranking of terminal Options			
Terminal Option	Additional capacity (units) (000 TEU)	Financial rank	Economic rank
<b>Container Terminals</b>			
C3 Port Elizabeth	1,777	3	2
C4 Port Elizabeth	1,209	4	4
C13 Port Elizabeth	912	2	7
C9 Bayonne	1,275	6	3
C2 Port Newark South	1,025	5	5
C12 Port Elizabeth	672	1	11
C14 South Brooklyn	2,210	12	1
C8 Bayonne	850	8	8
C7 Port Jersey	965	11	6
C1 Port Newark South	345	7	12
C6 Port Jersey	765	10	10
<b>C10 Howland Hook</b>	<b>843</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>C11 Howland Hook</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>
C5 Port Jersey	200	14	14

**Table 7.11**

Ref: Chapter 11, Volume 1, CPIP.

Financial ranking of container terminal Options			
Rank (from 14 options)	Project	Additional capacity (000 TEU)	Breakeven price per unit
9	<b>C11</b> Howland Hook	282	168
13	<b>C10</b> Howland Hook	843	191

**Table 7.9**

Ref: Chapter 11, Volume 1, CPIP.  
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**Fig 7.6 – CPIP Federal Wetlands**

Source: CPIP-EIS Consultant (ESEC)

Note: The wetlands shown along the edges of Bridge Creek are within the boundaries of the ongoing terminal expansion works. It is understood that Bridge Creek will be retained and any impacts mitigated as part of the on-dock rail terminal project.

Estimated wetland usage in Options	
Option	Estimated wetland area (acres)
C10	15

**Table 7.12**

Ref: Chapter 12, Volume 1, CPIP.