



RE QUALIFICAÇÃO DA PONTA DA PIEDADE

2ND PHASE: UPGRADING AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE STRETCH OF COAST BETWEEN THE LIGHTHOUSE AND PRAIA DO PINHÃO

One of the most iconic stretches of the Portuguese coastline deserves to be conserved and improved.

The new municipal public works that form part of the second phase of the project for Upgrading and Improving Ponta da Piedade will carry out work on the access routes and car parks, extend the circuit of walkways, create safe viewpoints, improve public lighting and upgrade the landscaping of the surrounding area.

CONTRACT OF WORKS

Period of execution: 360 days

Amount of investment: €2,404,895.00 (plus VAT)

Co-financing: CRESC Algarve 2020 – Portugal 2020 – European Union/FEDER

DESCRIPTION OF WORKS

- Reorganising road access and parking, creating conditions for walking and non-motorised mobility (cycle path);
- Renovating and improving public lighting;

- Continuing the walkways - connection between the 1st and 2nd phase (in the area surrounding the Ponta da Piedade Lighthouse) and extension as far as Praia do Pinhão;
- Constructing a wooden staircase to provide access to Praia do Pinhão.

PLAN FOR EXECUTION

- **April to August/September:** the work will be carried out mainly on the stretch of road between the access road to Praia do Camilo and Ponta da Piedade;
- **September onwards:** work will take place on the stretch of road between the junction with the access road to Praia D. Ana and the new Camilo roundabout.

During this period, vehicle traffic will be restricted.

RECOMMENDATIONS

So that work can take place as normally, quickly and safely as possible, your collaboration is essential:

- Avoid driving in the area where work is being carried out. Please walk instead, using the existing infrastructure (walkways).
- Tourist buses visiting Ponta da Piedade should preferably drop and collect their passengers at Praia D. Ana. There, visitors can access the existing pedestrian walkway.

KEEP INFORMED, COLLABORATE AND HELP US WITH CONSERVATION.



LIGHTHOUSE ZONE

- 1 Linear Walkway and Viewpoint at the Lighthouse
- 2 Access to boats/visits to the caves
- 3 Square

ROAD NETWORK

- 4 Shared road with restricted road access
- 5 Road with pavement and cycle path
- 6 Parking for 150 light vehicles and 10 tourist buses
- 7 New roundabout

- 8 Parking for 56 light vehicles
- 9 Upgrading of the landscaping in the ravines

PRAIA D. ANA – PRAIA DO PINHÃO ZONE

- 10 Connection to the walkway providing access to Praia D. Ana and the tourist area
- 11 Pedestrian route on a raised walkway
- 12 Viewpoint
- 13 Wooden staircase providing access to Praia do Pinhão

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