

Vamo Drive Park Improvements

CIP # 85646



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PROJECT SCHEDULE

Design Start
September 2022

Design Finish
Early Summer 2026

Construction Start
TBD

Construction Finish
TBD

PROJECT DETAILS

Design Consultant
AM Engineering, LLC

Design Contract Cost
\$238,784.05

Contractor
TBD

Construction Contract Cost
TBD

COUNTY PROJECT MANAGER(S)

Design
Dragan Grujic
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Construction
TBD

Project Description

The Vamo Drive Park is a 2.61 acre water access park located on Little Sarasota Bay with direct access to Intracoastal Waterway. The planned improvements include water access, expansion of existing adjacent parking area, and picnic facilities. The park development project will be designed and permitted together as two phases. Phase 1 proposes reorganization of parking, upgrades to existing water access launch, replacement of the existing boat dock with a fishing pier/ observation deck, construction of 2-pole shelter, installation of site furnishings, native vegetation plantings, pedestrian connectivity, and accessibility improvements.

Phase 2 proposes parking near the 2-story lodge, installation of prefabricated canoe/kayak launch (south of the small watercraft launch, construction of 2-pole shelter, installation of site furnishings, native vegetation plantings, pedestrian connectivity, and accessibility improvements.

Project Progress/Status

The project is in design and permitting phase and it is expected to be completed by early Summer 2026. Construction procurement will commence thereafter.

