



Vila Real de Santo António boasts “longest boardwalk” in eastern Algarve



PROJECT || Giving the Algarve's many boardwalks a run for their money, Vila Real de Santo António is in the final stages of building one of its own - a two-kilometre stretch described as the “longest boardwalk of the Eastern Algarve”.

Connecting the beaches of Manta Rota and Lota and also including

a path to Ribeira do Álamo near the borough of Castro Marim, the walkway will provide “spectacular views of the dunes”, says the council, and be a perfect spot for birdwatching.

There will also be many points where people will be able to stop and simply sit back and enjoy the

surroundings.

The project, almost at an end, cost €307,000, 70% of which was co-financed by the PO Algarve 21 programme.

It follows the €2 million redevelopment project of Manta Rota beach - launched by VRSA council in 2005.

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