



December 2018 Update

Fort De Soto Bay Pier Replacement

Project Overview

Pinellas County is preparing plans for the replacement of the Fort De Soto Bay Pier and Dock. The pier was originally built in 1960 and reconstructed 1984. As a result of excessive deterioration, the current structure has served its useful life and requires replacement.

The structure serves as a docking point for multiple agencies and users including Tampa Bay Marine Pilots, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and Florida Department of Environmental Protection. It is expected that the new pier/dock will resemble the existing structure, utilize materials with a greater ability to withstand the aggressive environment, and incorporate the needs for all dock users and meet requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Project Schedule – Next Steps

- Design Start: December 2018
- Design End: June 2020
- Construction Start: January 2021
- Construction End: December 2023

The design of the pier/dock is funded through a grant from the Federal Transit Administration.



Fort De Soto Bay Pier Project Area



Project ID# 000929A

Project Location

Fort De Soto Park,
St. Petersburg

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