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Town of Surf City Announces ADA Kayak/Canoe/Stand-up Paddleboard Dock

Surf City, NC - On February 19, 2021, the Surf City Town Council approved the recommendation to proceed with installing an ADA Kayak/Canoe/Stand-Up Paddleboard dock in Soundside Park. The new dock will be installed by Summer 2021 and will provide two different options for community members to launch their small watercrafts in safe and accessible ways. The small vessels will be able to be launched through an open slip or built-in ramp within a secondary boat slip that will guide vessels into the water, as well as offering a transfer platform for individuals using wheelchairs.

Over the past year, the Town has continued to move forward with providing additional opportunities for more inclusive recreational access as identified in the Surf City Parks, Recreation, and Open Space Master Plan. These projects include the Beach Wheelchair Program, the approval of an all-inclusive playground that will be installed on the new Earl G. & Inez Batts Recreation Complex, and the upcoming ADA Kayak/Canoe/SUP Dock.

The mission of the Surf City Parks, Recreation & Tourism Department is to enhance the quality of life for citizens and visitors by providing diversified parks, recreation, and education programs, facilities and open spaces that are inclusive and meet the needs of all ages, while utilizing, enhancing, and preserving our natural resources. For more information, please visit our website at SurfCityNC.gov.



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