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Sete Rios Square has more space to walk around

Praça Marechal Humberto Delgado (Sete Rios) has been returned to the people. The new urban square in front of the Zoo has wider sidewalks, a cycle path and shared bike station, a children's playground, green areas and around 200 trees.

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The new project, in an intervention area of over 152 thousand m², concentrates the local road system on both sides of the Eixo N/S Viaduct, returning to pedestrians the space in front of the Zoo, with the reappearance of an Urban Square, requalification of the Correspondence Pavilion, and a significant area with a system of recreational water games.

Among the measures adopted, traffic calming stands out, with the narrowing of lanes, more BUS lanes, relocation of stops for the various modes of transport, and

short pedestrian crossings – which benefit pedestrians, cyclists and public transport.

The old space, in the parish of São Domingos de Benfica, was “complex and contradictory”, whose traffic and parking “throughout its entire space, made pedestrian use a residual, uninteresting and unsafe activity”. According to the municipal services responsible for the work, “the existing uses and equipment across the entire front of the Zoo did not allow for the enjoyment of a coherent and attractive public space”.

The work inaugurated today – lasting around two years and an investment of eight and a half million euros – by Carlos Moedas, president of the Lisbon City Council, also included a collector on Estrada das Laranjeiras, as part of the [General Drainage Plan for Lisbon](#) , at a cost of three and a half million euros.

The “very important invisible work”, stated Carlos Moedas, is a collector that “was completely destroyed” that transports water to the Alcântara Treatment Plant, through the Alcântara canal. “And this is part of a large project, which I call an invisible project, but which is so important for the city, which is drainage”.

“We experience floods every year and once these works are finished, including this one, the other is the tunnel that goes from Campolide to Santa Apolónia and the third is the tunnel from Chelas to Beato, we will no longer have these effects”, he concluded.


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