

The start of the Green and Blue Axis in Sintra marks the 25th of April in the municipality

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This Wednesday, April 25th, the construction of the Green and Blue Axis will begin and a new management of Matinha de Queluz will take place. The moment will be marked at 3:30 pm, at Matinha de Queluz, where the Secretary of State for Forests and Rural Development, Miguel Freitas, will be present.

With the signing of the consignment note, of the construction contract for the Green and Blue Axis – Sintra section (1st phase) Rio Jamor and tributaries for a value of 1 million and 683 thousand euros and a completion period of 12 months, the project that aims to requalify the Jamor-Carenque system and the area surrounding the National Palace of Queluz thus begins, in order to enhance the environmental, social and economic value of this region.



The green bridge on the IC19 is part of the route and work should begin before the end of 2018.

The protocol for the management of Matinha de Queluz establishes the terms of the investment for requalification and management to be carried out in Matinha de Queluz, with emphasis on the recovery, use, exploration and conservation of the natural and cultural heritage of this space.

This requalification aims to ensure its safeguarding and maintenance, in order to make it possible to explore the space that enhances its values and capabilities as a natural space and cultural heritage.

The Secretary of State for Forests and Rural Development, Miguel Freitas, the Mayor of Sintra, Basílio Horta, the Chairman of the Board of Directors of Parques de Sintra Monte da Lua, SA, Manuel Baptista, the Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Institute for

Nature Conservation and Forests, IP, Rogério Rodrigues and the representative of Protecnil, Adelino Tomás, will be present at the ceremony.

