

Klaipeda District Municipality

Dreverna, 2025



Rasa Grubliauskyte

KLAIPEDA DISTRICT

- **A constantly growing population.** Latest number of citizens in our district is **70 942**.
- There are **11 elderships** in our district, which differ in size, population, and problems.
- We are constantly **leading in various rankings**: for strengthening public health (2019), fastest growing business (2020), educational progress during a pandemic (2021), largest investment in local road infrastructure (2022), change in the development of renewable energy resources (2023). Also the municipality of Klaipėda district was awarded by the Council of Europe seal for impeccable democratic governance.
- More than 2.1 thousand **business enterprises** work in the region.
- **A constantly growing budget.** In 2025 confirmed **171 mln. Eur** budget.



KLAIPĖDA REGION



Project purpose and the solving problem



- Klaipėda District Municipal Council in 2021 December 23 decision No. T11-363 approved the "**Sustainable Development Concept of the Drevernos-Svencelė area**", and in 2022 the implementation plan for this concept has been prepared and approved (hereinafter referred to as the Concept Implementation Plan).
- According to the Concept Implementation Plan, it is proposed to implement the following measures that would contribute to the sustainable development of Dreverna – Svencelė territory:
 - a new slipway in King Vilhelm Channel,
 - pedestrian and bicycle path from J. Gižas's homestead,
 - conversion of the Dreverna sluice in order to expand the passage
 - reconstruction of the Jokšai bridge
 - conversion of the former Dreverna school territory, creation of new adopted for informal children after school educational activities, summer camps, also infrastructure for the local community.
- The Comprehensive Plan of the Territory of Dreverna – Svencelė for further development

Strategical plans of Klaipeda District municiaplity



- The project with all planned activities will directly contribute to the **Tourism Development Plan of Klaipėda district until 2030** of one of the goals - "To comprehensively develop the infrastructure and services of Klaipėda district's highest tourist potential and promising tourist areas, extending the tourist season, encouraging tourists to stay and increasing tourist expenses" task "To comprehensively develop areas of the highest tourist potential (Gargždai-Vėžaičiai-Lapiai, Priekulė-Dreverta-Svencelė, Kukuliškiai-Karklė-Kalotė)" measure "Development of sustainable development of the territories of Dreverta and Svencelė". Also, the project directly responds to the measures planned in the implementation plan of the "Sustainable Development Concept of the Drevertos-Svencelė area".

Mari Ex project: School conversion

- The project aims to repair the old Dreverna school building (roof, electricity, water and other ongoing repairs), planned soft activities, involving the community, cultural institutions, tourist information center, local business, in order to use the renovated former school building as widely as possible, planned international awareness raising events, marketing actions, inclusion in international water tourism routes. Now it works as Youth and children leisure center, continuing the same main activity.



MariEx - new slip

place for the slip in King Wilhelm channel
confirmed;
institutional procedures ongoing;



Kultūros paveldo departamentas prie Kultūros ministerijos

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🔔 Aptartos Karaliaus Vilhelmo kanalo išsaugojimo ir pritaikymo turizmui galimybės 🌊

🏠 KPD Klaipėdos teritorinio skyriaus specialistų susitikime su Klaipėdos rajono savivaldybės atstovais buvo aptarti svarbūs klausimai, susiję su Karaliaus Vilhelmo kanalo statinių komplekso išsaugojimu ir jo pritaikymu turizmui.

🟡 Jau ne pirmus metus Klaipėdos rajono savivaldybė deda pastangas išsaugoti šią vertybę.

🟡 Šiu... [Žr. daugiau](#)



Detailed local plan and Documentation

- The preparation of the general plan of the municipality part of the Klaipėda district - Dreverna-Svencele local level is started. The purpose of the general plan is to optimize the urban structure, social, recreational and engineering infrastructure of the planned territory.
- Svencelė – luxurious new place for the summer houses.

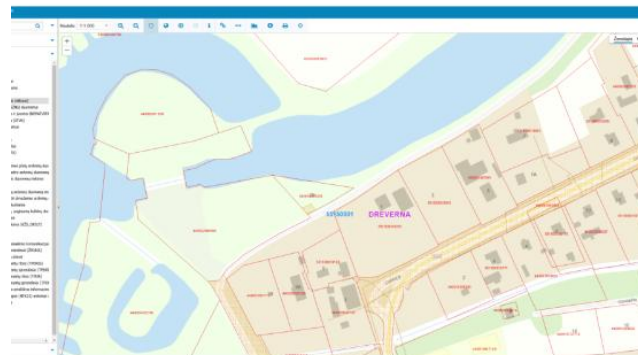


Klaipeda district municipality projects in Dreverna – Svencele territory

A new sluice-regulator with a width of at least 6 meters is done with public procurement procedures with a plan to be built in 2 years. The construction agreement is signed. Works are on going.

Reconstruction of old **historical bridge** in **Joksai** over King Wilhelm Channel -

Pedestrian – bicycle path in Dreverna to the small ship harbour – finished





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