

Friends of A1A Scenic & Historic Coastal Byway

The Spoonbill Sampler



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Growing the Board

The Friends of A1A were excited to announce the new executive board in January of this year, and are thrilled to announce the addition of six new board members during May and June 2020.

We invite you to meet these dedicated members of the community as we look forward to a dynamic year ahead!

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Our organization has continued to navigate and execute our projects and programs during the current pandemic by meeting remotely and outdoors. We truly appreciate the support and goodwill of our communities as we all work toward the betterment of the A1A Scenic Byway!

Best,
Marge Rooyakkers
President
Friends of A1A Scenic & Historic Coastal
Byway





Friends of A1A Apply for All-American Road Designation

With two decades of service to the community in St. Johns and Flagler counties, volunteers for the Friends of A1A have worked diligently to protect, preserve, promote and enhance the A1A Scenic & Historic Coastal Byway.

Currently designated as Florida Scenic Highways and a National Scenic Byway, we are pleased to announce the Friends of A1A submitted the application for designation as an All-American Road on June 15th, as one of five Florida Scenic Highways to be endorsed by the Florida Department of Transportation to seek higher designation.

Official designations will be announced this fall by the U.S. Secretary of Transportation.

In addition to designations, exciting progress is being made at the Congressional level by our partners at Scenic America and the National Scenic Byway Foundation to restore funding to the National Scenic Byway Program.

We appreciate the tremendous support Scenic Highways and Byways are receiving from across the nation and thank you for expressing this support to your members of Congress!



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It passed in the House by a vote of 233-188!



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