



# Highlights!

## Almere Stad route 30,3 km



Discover fantastic nature!

Start & Finish: VV Almere, De Diagonaal 199



Start at the Almere tourist office (VV) and head for the cycling route node

76 50 52 53

54 55 8 54 53 2 1 35 75 77 83

76 and back to Almere tourist office (VV)



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Cycling at Almere is great fun! Road traffic here is separated in different lanes for cars and bicycles respectively. That's why you can discover and explore our city in a relaxed way. You won't have to deal with cars, most of the time!



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### 1. Filmwijk

The Filmwijk, literally: The film block, is a residential area designed in occasion of a special building exhibition called BouwRai. It took place in 1992 and was organised following an initiative of the Dutch residential council, the Nationale Woningraad. Architects were given the exciting and innovative challenge to present designs which could become trend setters for the future.

### 2. Lepelaarplassen

The lake area called Lepelaarplassen is a paradise for water and marshbirds. A visit there is definitely worth the effort. From the observation huts you can spot and observe fascinating wildlife, among which a rookery of cormorants and the sedge warbler. Stop by the visitor centre De Trekvogel (route node 55) and have a look at the stuffed animals there, such as the spoonbill or the bittern. Or join a guided excursion through this beautiful area.



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### 3. Water pumping station De Blocq van Kuffeler

The southern part of Flevoland is kept dry by the water pumping station called De Blocq van Kuffeler. In terms of delivery head and capacity, this is the biggest pumping station in Europe. Once powered by Diesel engines, meanwhile these got replaced by electric motors. The pumping station is managed by Dutch Waterschap, the regional government body for everything water related.

### 4. BoatHouse

A magnificent panorama, delicious food and a very hospitable atmosphere will ensure that you really will enjoy your visit to the BoatHouse. Opt for a great lunch or dinner on the terrace, at the waterside. This is the perfect place for a break during your cycling tour.



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### 5. Weerwater

Het Weerwater was created during the digging works for the highway A6. New water came up during these works and created a lake. Cablepark Almere awaits you for water skiing or wakeboarding. After your workout there, enjoy a drink on the terrace at View Almere.



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