# Project 19: Wheelchair Adaptive Stand-Up Paddleboard

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# **Project Overview**

## **Project Design**

#### **Design Assembly**

#### Problem Statement / Need



Quality of Life's Challenger Adaptive Freedom Foundation used an existing fleet of Wheelchair Adaptive Stand Up Paddleboards (WASUP) for 5 years and needed updating

A new WASUP is needed which accommodates: various wheelchair sizes, maneuverability, buoyancy, stability, and ease of transportability



#### **Adaptive Flow Members**



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#### Manufacturing





Testing





Strength: Normal loading on sample board





# **Design Analysis**









## **Advantages**

Maneuverability: Arched lako's allow for a greater paddle stroke length

- for each rider so all can have less interference while paddling • Modular wheelchair channels accommodating standard wheelchair
- or custom wheelchair
- Transportation of the system via roof rack or truck bed
- Supports 800 lb load
  Sporty Aesthetic