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Beach Advisories Lifted for North Beach at Goulds Inlet and East Beach on St. Simons

GLYNN COUNTY, GA – The Glynn County Health Department has lifted the advisories for North Beach at Goulds Inlet (from 15th Street to 10th Street) and East Beach at the old Coast Guard station (10th Street East to Driftwood Drive) on St. Simons Island.

The advisories were issued on August 29 after routine water quality tests showed a high level of enterococci bacteria which increase the risk of gastrointestinal illness in swimmers.

Subsequent water samples taken showed that the bacteria levels had dropped below Environmental Protection Agency's recommended limits. Therefore, the advisory has been lifted.

For more information about beach water advisories, go to www.gachd.org and click on the Environmental Health tab at the top of the page.

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