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Beach Advisory Lifted for 5th Street Crossover Beach

GLYNN COUNTY, GA – The Glynn County Health Department has lifted the advisory for 5th Street Crossover Beach, from Cedar Street to 9th Street, on St. Simons Island.

The advisory was issued on December 15, 2020 after routine water quality tests showed a high level of enterococci bacteria which increase the risk of gastrointestinal illness in swimmers.

Subsequent water samples show the bacteria level has dropped below the 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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