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### **Health Department Lifts Swimming Advisory**

**GLYNN COUNTY, GA**— The Glynn County Health Department has lifted the swimming advisory for Clam Creek Beach on Jekyll Island, which is from Clam Creek to the Old North Picnic Area. The advisory was originally issued after routine water quality tests showed a high level of enterococci bacteria, which increase the risk of gastrointestinal illness in swimmers.

However, water samples taken Tuesday, December 11<sup>th</sup>, showed that the bacteria levels had dropped below Environmental Protection Agency's recommended limits. Therefore, the advisory has been lifted. No Glynn County beaches are under advisory at this time.

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