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**Beach Advisory Lifted for South Beach at the Lighthouse on St. Simons and
Capt. Wylly Crossover Beach on Jekyll**

GLYNN COUNTY, GA – The Glynn County Health Department has lifted the advisories for South Beach at the lighthouse (9th Street to the pier) on St. Simons Island and Capt. Wylly Crossover Beach (Brice Lane to the beach pavilion) on Jekyll Island.

The advisory was issued on January 8 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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