

NEWS RELEASE

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**Beach Advisories Lifted for North Beach at Goulds Inlet; East Beach at old CG Station;
and Massengale Park Beach on St. Simons**

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

The advisories were issued on November 6, 2013 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 advisories have been lifted.

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