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Ocean Water Clearance for Los Angeles County Beaches

LOS ANGELES – The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health informs residents who are planning to visit the below Los Angeles County beaches that the closure of the following beaches has been lifted:

BEACH REOPENING:

On January 26th, Public Health issued a beach closure and posted closure signs due to sewage discharge affecting all swim areas within ½ mile of:

- Top Sail beach in Venice
- Dockweiler State Beach near lifeguard tower 40

Samples taken January 27th and January 28th show bacteria levels lower than state standards. Sampling is done daily.

BEACH CLOSURE REMAINS IN EFFECT:

On January 26th, Public Health issued a beach closure and posted closure signs due to sewage discharge affecting

- Mothers Beach within Marina Del Rey

Samples taken January 27th and January 28th show bacteria levels exceeding state standards. Sampling will continue daily until two consecutive samples meet state standards.

Recorded information on beach conditions is available 24- hours a day on the County's beach closure hotline: 1-800-525-5662. To view the map of impacted locations and for more information, please visit: PublicHealth.LACounty.gov/Beach/.

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