



# PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION ANNOUNCEMENT

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## Recreation Bay Beach closed due to elevated levels of E. coli

**(Kahnawà:ke – 20, Ohiarihkó:wa/July 2023)**

The Public Safety Division of the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke would like to advise the community that Recreation Bay Beach will be closed for reasons of health and safety due to high levels of E. coli.

Recent water sampling by technicians from Environmental Health Services (EHS) of Kahnawake Shakotia'takehnhas Community Services has revealed a rise in E. coli and is recommending the closure of the beach until levels return to what is considered acceptable for swimming and recreation.

EHS technicians will continue testing, and improvements to the water quality are only expected once there has been a significant amount of rainfall.

The community will be kept up to date on further developments. For more information, please contact Environmental Health Services at **450-635-9945** or the Public Safety Unit at **450-632-0635**.