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### PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY UPDATE

Water sampling results allow completely lifting the public health advisory from June 12<sup>th</sup> which was a result of an accidental sewage spill of an estimated 2,500 gallons into the Boardman River after a heavy rain event. E. coli test results from June 12<sup>th</sup> sampling, indicate E. coli levels now meet recreational water quality standards for full body contact at Sunset Park and Bryant Park Beaches. In addition, the lower Boardman River has acceptable E. coli levels for recreational activities such as wading, fishing, and paddling.

<u>Site</u>	<u>sample results</u> <u>E. coli count per 100ml</u>	<u>Water Quality Index</u>
Sunset Park Beach	110	1
Bryant Park Beach	66	1

#### Water Quality Index Body Contact Limits

Level 1 E. coli levels meet MDEQ swimming standards for full body contact (0-300 E. coli).