

PUBLIC NOTICE

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Total Maximum Daily Load Report on Enterococci Bacteria for Mississippi Beaches

MDEQ is giving public notice regarding the Enterococci Bacteria TMDL for Mississippi Beaches in the Hancock, Harrison, and Jackson counties. A TMDL is the maximum amount of a pollutant that a waterbody can assimilate without violating water quality standards. This TMDL has been prepared for Enterococci Bacteria found in Mississippi Beaches.

Prior to proposing this TMDL to EPA for approval, MDEQ is asking for public comment on this draft document. Copies of the draft TMDL may be obtained and/or inspected by contacting MDEQ at the above address and telephone number or by website <https://www.mdeq.ms.gov/water/surface-water/tmdl/tmdls-at-public-notice/>. Persons wishing to comment upon the draft TMDL are invited to submit comments in writing to Shawn Clark at the address shown above or by email (sclark@mdeq.ms.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m. March 30th, 2020. All comments received during the public notice period will be considered prior to proposing the TMDL to EPA for approval.

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