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WHO: Concerned Citizens of Montauk / Surfrider Foundation
 WHAT: Water Quality Testing Program Results: week of Sept. 4, 2017
 WHEN: Ongoing – Weekly Water Testing
 WHERE: Montauk, Amagansett, and East Hampton
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The Concerned Citizens of Montauk (CCOM), in partnership with the Surfrider Foundation’s nationwide Blue Water Task Force water quality testing program, has been sampling Montauk and Amagansett water bodies for the bacteria *enterococcus*. Highly trained volunteers collect and test water samples from Montauk to Southampton and then post test results online on Surfrider’s Blue Water Task Force portal. **In its summer schedule, water testing takes place on a weekly basis. Please see below for water quality testing results for the week of September 4, 2017:**

LOCATION	ENTERO LEVEL	INDICATION OF
MONTAUK		
Lake Montauk: Harbor	<i>Not Tested</i>	
Lake Montauk: Causeway South	<i>Not Tested</i>	
Lake Montauk: Little Reed Pond Creek	0	Low Bacteria
Lake Montauk: Nature Preserve Beach	0	Low Bacteria
Lake Montauk: East Creek	0	Low Bacteria
Lake Montauk: South Beach	0	Low Bacteria
Lake Montauk: West Creek	0	Low Bacteria
Ditch Plains: Ditch Witch	0	Low Bacteria
Surfside Place: Ocean Beach	0	Low Bacteria
Surfside Place: Outfall Pipe	<i>Not Tested</i>	
Fort Pond: Industrial	96	Medium Bacteria
Fort Pond: Ramp	0	Low Bacteria
LI Sound: Fort Pond Bay @ Navy Rd.	0	Low Bacteria
LI Sound: Fort Pond Bay @ Tuthill Rd.	30	Low Bacteria
LI Sound: Block Island Sound @ Soundview Dr.	20	Low Bacteria
AMAGASETT		
Fresh Pond: Beach	0	Low Bacteria
Fresh Pond: Creek	122	High Bacteria
Napeague: West	41	Medium Bacteria
Napeague: East	0	Low Bacteria
EAST HAMPTON		
Pussy’s Pond	134	High Bacteria
Hook Pond: David’s Lane Duck Pond	5475	High Bacteria
Hook Pond: South	164	High Bacteria
Georgica Beach / Third Jetty	20	Low Bacteria
Georgica Pond: Beach Side	20	Low Bacteria
Georgica Pond: Rt 27 Kayak Launch	0	Low Bacteria
Georgica Pond: Cove Hollow Access	0	Low Bacteria
Three Mile Harbor: Head of the Harbor	0	Low Bacteria
Three Mile Harbor: Folkstone Drive	0	Low Bacteria
Three Mile Harbor: Settler’s Landing	0	Low Bacteria

To learn more about test results from East Hampton to Montauk, please visit CCOM’s website and click on “Water Testing Results” in the *News & Noteworthy* column: www.preservemontauk.org

For test results from Southampton, performed by the Surfrider Foundation and the Peconic Baykeeper, please visit: www.surfrider.org/blue-water-task-force/chapter/49