



**Concerned Citizens of Montauk (CCOM)** regularly tests waterbodies in Montauk, Amagansett, and East Hampton for the bacteria *enterococcus*. CCOM processes the water samples in the CCOM office lab and then shares the results on the Surfriider Foundation’s Blue Water Task Force (BWTF) online portal. *Entero* levels at 104 and above are considered a risk to human health; it is often due to heavy rains, extreme high tides, and/or warm water temperatures.

**Intensive monitoring and/or remediation projects are planned or in place at the locations marked with an asterisk (\*)**

| LOCATION                                     | ENTERO LEVEL     | INDICATION OF          |
|--|------------------|------------------------|
| <b>MONTAUK</b>                               |                  |                        |
| Lake Montauk: Harbor*                        | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| Lake Montauk: Causeway South*                | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| <b>Lake Montauk: Little Reed Pond Creek*</b> | <b>63</b>        | <b>Medium Bacteria</b> |
| Lake Montauk: Nature Preserve Beach*         | 10               | Low Bacteria           |
| <b>Lake Montauk: East Creek*</b>             | <b>393</b>       | <b>High Bacteria</b>   |
| Lake Montauk: South Beach*                   | 10               | Low Bacteria           |
| Lake Montauk: West Creek*                    | 10               | Low Bacteria           |
| Lake Montauk: Stepping Stones*               | Not Tested       |                        |
| Ditch Plains: East of Jetty                  | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| Surfside Place: Ocean Beach                  | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| Surfside Place: Outfall Pipe*                | Not Tested - DRY |                        |
| Fort Pond: Industrial*                       | 10               | Low Bacteria           |
| Fort Pond: Ramp*                             | 20               | Low Bacteria           |
| Tuthill Pond                                 | 20               | Low Bacteria           |
| LI Sound: Fort Pond Bay @ Tuthill Rd.        | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| LI Sound: Fort Pond Bay @ Navy Rd.           | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| LI Sound: Soundview Drive Culvert            | Not Tested - DRY |                        |
| <b>AMAGANSETT</b>                            |                  |                        |
| Napeague Harbor: East                        | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| Napeague Harbor: West                        | 20               | Low Bacteria           |
| Fresh Pond: Beach*                           | 20               | Low Bacteria           |
| <b>Fresh Pond: Creek*</b>                    | <b>75</b>        | <b>Medium Bacteria</b> |
| <b>EAST HAMPTON</b>                          |                  |                        |
| Accabonac Harbor: Louse Point Beach          | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| Accabonac Harbor: Shipyard Ramp*             | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| <b>Pussy’s Pond*</b>                         | <b>228</b>       | <b>High Bacteria</b>   |
| Three Mile Harbor: Folkstone Drive           | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| Three Mile Harbor: Head of the Harbor*       | 0                | Low Bacteria           |
| <b>Three Mile Harbor: Settler’s Landing</b>  | <b>860</b>       | <b>High Bacteria</b>   |
| <b>Northwest Creek: Ramp</b>                 | <b>52</b>        | <b>Medium Bacteria</b> |
| <b>Northwest Creek: Culvert</b>              | <b>185</b>       | <b>High Bacteria</b>   |
| Methodist Lane Swale*                        | Not Tested       |                        |
| Hook Pond: David’s Lane Duck Pond*           | Not Tested       |                        |
| Hook Pond: Dunemere*                         | Not Tested       |                        |
| Hook Pond: South*                            | Not Tested       |                        |
| Town Pond*                                   | Not Tested       |                        |
| Town Bioswale*                               | Not Tested       |                        |
| <i>Georgica Beach / Third Jetty</i>          | Not Tested       |                        |
| <i>Georgica Pond: Beach Side</i>             | Not Tested       |                        |
| <i>Georgica Pond: Rt. 27 Kayak Launch</i>    | Not Tested       |                        |
| <i>Georgica Pond: Cove Hollow Access*</i>    | Not Tested       |                        |

*Georgica Pond sites are currently being processed by Surfriider at the Stonybrook Southampton Lab*



**Concerned Citizens of Montauk (CCOM)**, in partnership with the Gobler Lab at Stony Brook Southampton, monitors Fort Pond for toxic blue-green harmful algal blooms (cyanobacteria). CCOM delivers samples to the Lab, which shares bloom occurrences online through the NYS DEC HAB Notification page. Blue-green levels at 20ug/L and above are at high risk of a bloom and triggers toxicity testing; DEC considers a concentration of 25ug/L and above as a bloom.

| LOCATION              | BLOOM STATUS | BLUE-GREEN LEVEL | INDICATION OF      |
|-----------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Fort Pond: Industrial | No Bloom     | <b>10.80</b>     | <b>Medium Risk</b> |
| Fort Pond: Ramp       | No Bloom     | <b>11.45</b>     | <b>Medium Risk</b> |
| Big Reed Pond         | No Bloom     | 5.11             | Low Risk           |

To learn more about CCOM's water quality programs, please visit the website at [www.PreserveMontauk.org](http://www.PreserveMontauk.org)