



United States Department of the Interior



NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Interior Region 10
Building 201, Fort Mason
San Francisco, CA 94123-0022

IN REPLY REFER TO:

10 (GOGA-VRP)
Closure Order #21-003
August 8, 2021

NOTICE OF TEMPORARY BEACH CLOSURE

36 CFR 1.5 Closures and Public Use Limits

- (a) Consistent with applicable legislation and Federal administrative policies, and based upon a determination that such action is necessary for the maintenance of public health and safety, protection of environmental or scenic values, protection of natural or cultural resources, aid to scientific research, implementation of management responsibilities, equitable allocation and use of facilities, or the avoidance of conflict among visitor use activities, the Superintendent may:
- (1) Establish, for all or a portion of a park area, a reasonable schedule of visiting hours, impose public use limits, or close all or a portion of a park area to all public use or to a specific use activity

Temporary Beach Closure Location: The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) project
Duration of Temporary Beach Closure: From Sunday, August 8, 2021 through Monday, September 6, 2021, 24-hours each day, unless shortened or extended due to project requirements
Who is affected by the Temporary Beach Closure? Except in an emergency or by administrative (NPS, USACE, contractor) personnel and for the duration of the closure to the above listed area, all public use shall be prohibited
Justification for Temporary Beach Closure: Public and employee safety
Additional Justification/Details for Temporary Beach Closure: The Sand Nourishment project led by USACE involves the pumping of sand and use of heavy equipment on the beach. It is necessary to maintain a public closure of the project area to reasonably protect the public and employees during these activities

Approval: **LAURA JOSS**
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 General Superintendent