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Glen Cove Beaches Earn High Marks in Regional Water Quality Report

GLEN COVE, NY — Glen Cove beaches received top grades for water quality in the newly released 2025 Beach Grades report from Save the Sound, recognizing the City's waterfront as one of the cleanest along Long Island Sound.

According to the report:

- Pryibil Beach received an A
- Morgan Memorial Beach received an A
- Crescent Beach earned an A-

The annual report evaluates water quality at beaches across the Long Island Sound region using data collected throughout the swimming season and submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency's Water Quality Portal.

Overall, 77 percent of the 192 beaches sampled received A or B grades, representing the highest percentage since 2022.

Mayor Pamela Panzenbeck said the rankings reflect the importance of continued environmental stewardship and infrastructure investment along Glen Cove's shoreline.

"We are incredibly proud to see Glen Cove beaches recognized with such strong water quality grades," said Mayor Panzenbeck. "Our waterfront is one of our community's greatest treasures, and protecting it remains a priority for our City."

Executive Director of Youth Services and Recreation Spiro Tsirkas added, "Our beaches are such an important part of life in Glen Cove for our families, residents, and visitors. These strong grades are something our entire community can feel proud of as we continue working to protect and preserve our waterfront for future generations."

The report noted that stormwater management and infrastructure improvements continue to play a major role in protecting beach water quality throughout the region.

The full report can be viewed here: <https://soundhealthexplorer.org/swimmable>

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