



Safety Issues in the Community and on the Beach

Coronavirus Update (Covid-19) In Public and At the Beach

Gov. Henry McMaster has ordered that it is “unlawful for persons to congregate, unless authorized or in their homes, in groups of three or more and to refuse to disperse upon order of a law enforcement officer.”

Please help the Fripp Island Security and Fripp Island Property Owners Association in protecting all of our residents, especially the elderly and sick, who are most vulnerable.

Alligators in our Lagoons and on the standing water on the Beach

Fripp is home to a beautiful beach, birds, deer, alligators and poisonous snakes. We expect to find alligators in our lagoons around the island but did you know we have alligators in the standing water on our beach?

While on the beach you need to stay away from all standing water (tidal pools.) There is no fishing, crabbing, swimming or wading in these waters. Just because you cannot see an alligator it does not mean that one is not there.

Everyone needs to respect the wildlife on Fripp Island. Please, for your own safety, keep yourself, children and pets away from our lagoons and pay extra attention to alligator presence on the beach.

Leash Laws

Please be aware of the Leash Laws

The Beaufort County Regulations regarding leash laws on beach state:

“No person shall bring or allow any dog, or any other animal, on the beach between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. from the Friday before Memorial Day weekend through the Monday of Labor Day weekend. No person shall bring or allow any dog or any other animal on the beach that is not on a leash or under strict voice control of the responsible person between 5:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. from April 1 through September 30.”

Your pet should be on a leash at all times when not on the beach.