



City of Isle of Palms, South Carolina
Proclamation 2024-06

To Proclaim May 20-27, 2024, as National Beach Safety Week

WHEREAS, the beautiful coastal and inland beaches of [your area] represent a world renowned recreational resource; and

WHEREAS, [insert term for natives of your area] and visitors alike are drawn to these beaches by the millions each year for water and beach activities; and

WHEREAS, the aquatic environment has dangers, particularly rip currents, that can be effectively managed through public awareness and the vigilance of professional lifeguards; and


WHEREAS, for reasons of public safety, an annual reminder of the joys and hazards associated with the aquatic environment are appropriate at the commencement of the busy summer beach season; and

WHEREAS, Isle of Palms residents and visitors alike must remember: Swim Near a Lifeguard, Learn to Swim, Learn Rip Current Safety, Never Swim Alone, Designate a Water Watcher, Alcohol and Water Don't Mix, Feet First Water Entry, Life Jackets Save Lives, Observe Signs & Flags and Beat the Heat & Block the Sun.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Isle of Palms City Council do hereby urge all residents using our beaches to enjoy themselves at the beach this year, while taking appropriate measures to protect themselves and their children, and proclaim May 20-27, 2024, as National Beach Safety Week in Isle of Palms.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF ISLE OF PALMS, SOUTH CAROLINA, ON THE 23 DAY OF April, 2024.


Phillip Pounds, Mayor

ATTEST:

Nicole DeNeane, City Clerk

