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Dear Saanich Resident;

**Re: Gloria Beach Access Improvements**

Starting in early April, Saanich Parks will begin making improvements to the Gloria Beach Access which is located between 5065 and 5055 Cordova Bay Road. Saanich Parks is acting on safety concerns expressed by citizens who have had some difficulty navigating the slippery gravel surface down to the beach. A new paved surface and handrails will be installed along with a few other minor improvements.

In addition to pedestrian use, this access is the only point for heavy machinery (through a permitting system) to access the beach for repairs to seawalls and the sewer infrastructure.

The improvements will take approximately two weeks. During this period of time, the access **will be closed to both pedestrian and vehicle access**. Pedestrians are directed to Agate Park, McMorran Park, and Cordova Bay Park for alternate access routes to the beach.

Regards;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Darran", is written over a faint, larger version of the same signature.

Gary Darran  
Manager of Planning, Design and Development

cc Suzanne Samborski, Director of Parks and Recreation  
Eva Riccus, Senior Parks Manager  
Ian Blackwood, Parks Operations Manager  
Ben Bowker, Manager of Storm and Wastewater Systems  
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