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## **South Siesta Key Beach restoration maintenance to begin Jan. 15**

Sarasota County staff will be tilling portions of the restored South Siesta Key Beach, including Turtle Beach, from Jan. 15-23, weather permitting. The work is part of ongoing maintenance of the restored beach to create softer sand for turtles to nest and smooth out the beach contours.

For safety reasons, public beach visitors and nearby residents are asked to avoid tilling machinery as it moves up and down the beach.

For more information, contact the Sarasota County Call Center at 941-861-5000 and ask about the South Siesta Key Beach Restoration project.

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