

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE City of Duluth Fire Department

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DATE: 09/08/2013

**NATURE OF INCIDENT: Rip Currents Park Point** 

CASE NO.:

INCIDENT DATE:09/08/2013

**INCIDENT TIME:** 

**INCIDENT LOCATION:** 

SUBJECT: Red Flag Warning BY: Marcus Hardin, AC(acting)

The Duluth Fire Department is issuing a Red Flag Warning for Park Point beaches effective immediately and continuing until 10:00 a.m.

A Red Flag Warning means that wind and/or wave conditions support deadly rip currents. Rip currents are life-threatening to anyone en Everyone should stay out of the water regardless of swimming experience. There are currently no lifeguards at Park Point.

You will be notified if surf conditions improve before this warning period expires.

Surf condition flag locations are: 12th St beach, Lafayette Square, and Park Point beach.

More information on conditions and rip currents can be found by visiting the National Weather Service Duluth website: <a href="http://www.crh.noaa.gov/dlh/">http://www.crh.noaa.gov/dlh/</a>



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