



City of Kenosha pools will remain closed this summer due to COVID-19

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KENOSHA – The City of Kenosha’s public swimming pools at Washington Park and Anderson Park will remain closed for the 2020 season, due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the unpredictable nature of the disease. City Administration decided against opening the pools as usual in June, in light of social distancing guidelines during the pandemic, and the difficulty of keeping people apart in a pool.

Opening the pools later in the season was not a viable option because lifeguards are required in order to keep the pools a safe environment. Opening the pools for a partial season would pose challenges with filling lifeguard positions with only a few weeks of work available.