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Ms. Deborah Neill, Secretary
Lake Colby Association
PO Box 934
Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Dear Ms. Neill:

Thank you for your letter of August 14, 2009 advising me of the traffic congestion that occurs on and along Moir Road when the Lake Colby Beach parking lot is closed and that the property adjoining beach lacks appropriate signage.

The parking lot gate is locked whenever the Village does not have lifeguards on duty at the Beach as per New York State Department of Health (DOH) regulations and in compliance with our insurance provider. Realizing it may be a meager attempt to keep people from using the beach whenever lifeguards are not on duty, it is the only means by which we can satisfy both the requirements of both DOH and our insurance provider.

The Village does have posted "No Parking This Side" signage on the north side of Moir Road and will post additional signage on the south side of Moir Road as well as appropriate signage on property adjacent to the beach. I have also asked Police Chief Nason to increase patrols of the area and take appropriate action when necessary.

Please contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Martin Murphy

Cc: Village Board
Chief Nason, SLPD
R. Martin, DPW Superintendent

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