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[1] This view of Oregon Inlet Beach this past Sunday. At the top of the picture you can see the Oregon Inlet Campground. This picture was taken about 13:30 hrs by park volunteer pilot Woody Woodall. At 14:00 hours we closed this beach due to capacity issues. We allowed a vehicle on when one came off. Had to let a few more on when the vehicles backed up Ramp 4 on the turning lane on NC-12. By about 15:00 hrs. we were able to let traffic flow freely on and off the beach since there were more leaving the area.

If really helped contacting every vehicle coming on the beach to advise them of the closures, no open containers, no barbecues, and no cruising up and down the beach due to the narrow beach. Had very few vehicles stuck on Saturday and Sunday when we contacted every vehicle. Monday, we did not set up to contact every vehicle and many were stuck on the ramp.

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