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April 7, 2016

Clair Woolfolk, Town clerk
P.O. Box 248
Northeast Harbor, ME 04662

Re: Conservation Closure

Dear Ms. Woolfolk:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the following request(s).

Effective	End	Shellfish Area	Status
4/17/2016	7/1/2019	<u>Northwest Birch Cove</u> – The four corners of this closure are as follows: (1)A small unnamed stream outlet in the northwest corner of the cove, (2) A prominent point locally known as Scotch Point Rock below a riprap bank and a large boulder in the northeast corner of the cove, (3)in the southwest, the point dividing the inner body of Birch Cove locally known as Peters Landing Point and (4)then directly across the cove to the south east point to create a rectangle. Stakes shall mark the boundary of this closure.	Closed

This office approves of the Town of Mount Desert conservation measures. We appreciate your efforts to keep us informed on your conservation activities.

If I can be of further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Denis-Marc Nault
Shellfish Program Supervisor

cc: Lt. Jay Carroll, Marine Patrol Division 2 - Lamoine
Heidi Leighton, Area Biologist
Kohl Kanwit, Director of Bureau of Public Health