

STANDARD LEASE APPLICATION: NON-DISCHARGE

1. APPLICANT CONTACT INFORMATION

Applicant	Norumbega Oyster Inc.		
Contact Person	Eric Peters		
Address	19 Snow Rd		
City	Nobleboro		
State, Zip	Maine		
County	Lincoln		
Telephone	207 380 8158		
Email	eric.e.peters@gmail.com		
Type of Application	Draft Application [submitted before scoping session session]		X Final Application [submitted after scoping session]
Dates	Pre-Application Meeting: 12/8/21	Draft Application Submitted: 2/16/22	Scoping Session: 4/14/22
Payment Type	Draft Application: Check (included) <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card		Final Application: x Check (included) <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card

2. PROPOSED LEASE SITE INFORMATION

Location of Proposed Lease Site	
Town	Newcastle
Waterbody	Damariscotta River
General Description (e.g. south of B Island)	East of Upper Dodge Point
Lease Information	
Total acreage requested (100-acre maximum)	6 Acres
Lease term requested (20-year maximum)	20 years
Type of culture (check all that apply)	<input type="checkbox"/> Bottom (no gear) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suspended (gear in the water and/or on the bottom)
Is any portion of the proposed lease site above mean low water?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

3. GROWING AREA DESIGNATION

Growing Area Designation (e.g. WL):	Open/Approved
Growing Area Section (e.g. "A1"):	WQ A

4. SPECIES INFORMATION

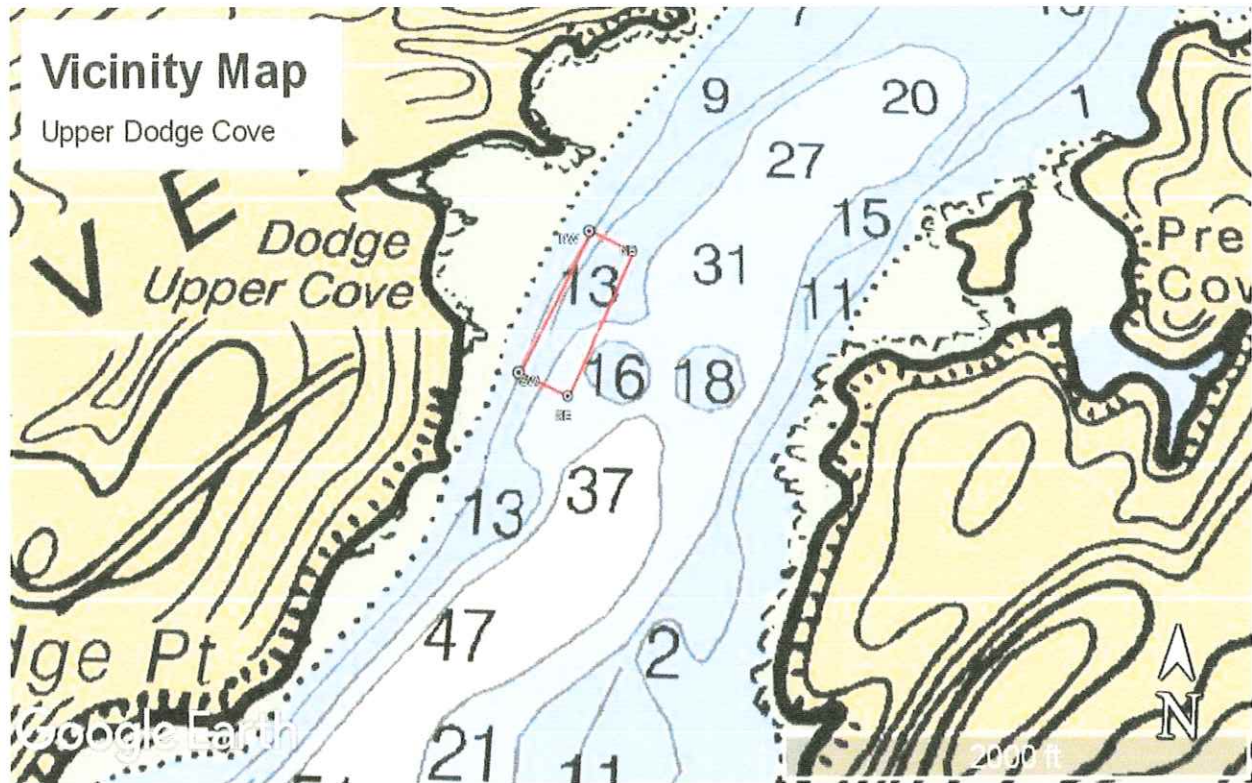
A. Please complete the table below and add additional rows as needed.

Name of species to be cultivated (include both common and scientific names):	Name and address of the source of seed stock or juveniles	Maximum number (or biomass) of organisms you anticipate on the site at any given time
1 Eastern Oyster Crassostrea virginica	Muscongus Bay Aquaculture Bremen Maine	3,000,000
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

<p>B. Do you intend to possess, transport, or sell whole or roe-on scallops? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>

If you answered "yes" please contact the Bureau of Public Health to discuss your plans at the following email: DMRPublicHealthDiv@maine.gov

5. VICINITY MAP



6. BOUNDARY DRAWING

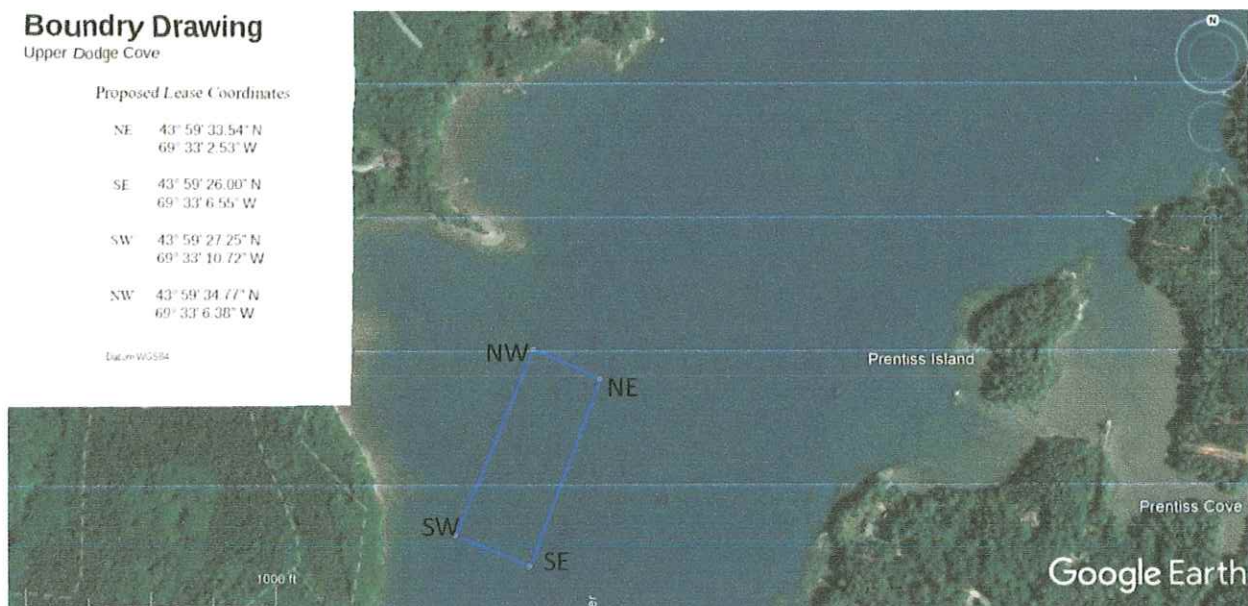
Boundry Drawing

Upper Dodge Cove

Proposed Lease Coordinates

NE	43° 59' 33.54" N	69° 33' 2.53" W
SE	43° 59' 26.00" N	69° 33' 6.55" W
SW	43° 59' 27.25" N	69° 33' 10.72" W
NW	43° 59' 34.77" N	69° 33' 6.38" W

Datum: WGS84

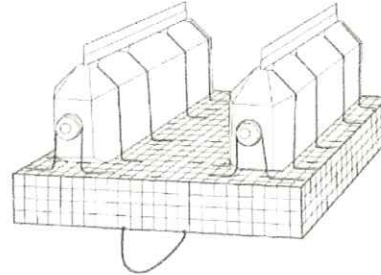
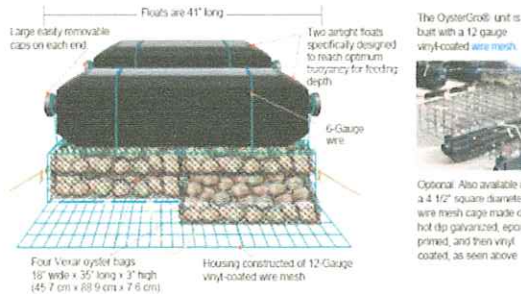


7. SITE DEVELOPMENT

A Gear Information

1. Gear Drawing

The OysterGro cage system



Helix Mooring



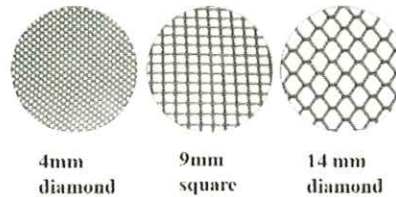
Galvanized
6" screw
3/4" diameter
5' length

Seafarm Buoys



HD 100 Polyethylene
Height
Above water: 3.5'
Below water: 2'

Vexar oyster bags configurations



Corner Markers will be yellow with reflective tape and Lease # on them.

2. Gear Table:

Specific Gear Type (e.g. soft mesh bag)	Dimensions (e.g. 16"x20"x2")	Time of year gear will be deployed (e.g. Spring, Winter, etc.)	Maximum amount of this gear type that will be deployed on the site (i.e. 200 cages, 100 lantern nets, etc.)	Species that will be grown using this gear type
4 pack Grow out Cage	36"x40.5"x9"	Year Round	900	Crassostrea virginica
6 pack Grow out Cage	40.5"x68"x9"	Year Round	750	Crassostrea virginica
Vexar bags	36"x18"x3"	Year Round	3600-4500	Crassostrea virginica
Helix anchors	6" blade 60"x3/4" shaft	Year Round	40	
Longlines	5/8"x 260'	Year Round	30	

B. Maximum Structure and Mooring System Schematic

1 Overhead View.

OVERHEAD VIEW

6 Acres

↑ **NNE**

305'

30 (4 pack) Oystergro cages per line

25 (6 pack) Oystergro cages per line

4 pack growout cages

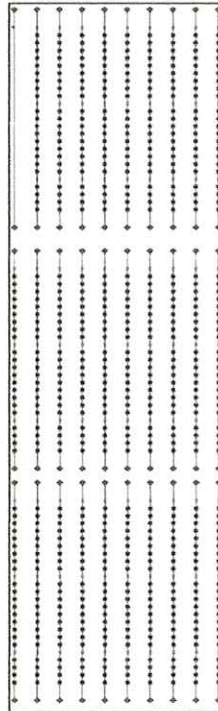
3 sets of 10 rows of lines spaced 30' apart
Each line would contain a maximum of 30 cages spaced 7' apart. (900 cages max. total)

6 pack growout cages

3 sets of 10 rows of lines spaced at 30' apart
Each line would contain a maximum of 25 cages Spaced 8' apart (750 cages max.)

The outside anchors have 30' scope
From anchor to the 1st cage. The
Middle sets of anchors are utilized by
Both lines and have 20'-25' of scope
Between cage and anchor.

825'



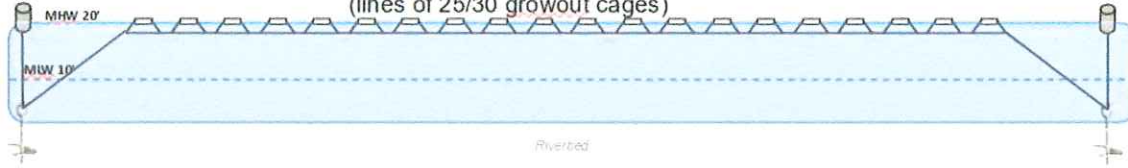
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- ◇ Helix anchor
- 5/8" poly line
- OysterGro Cages

Each set of 10 lines will be seperated by 30' of line attached to anchor
The distance of the anchors to the to the boundary of the lease is approxamtly 10 feet. The lines are approxanmatly 20' from the boundary edge.

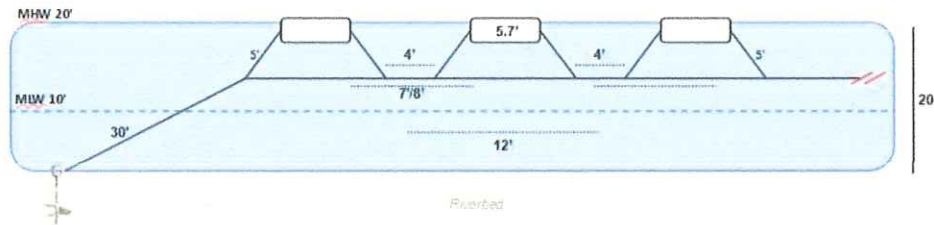
2. **Cross-Section View.**

CROSS-SECTION VIEW: IN-SEASON (April – October)
(lines of 25/30 growout cages)

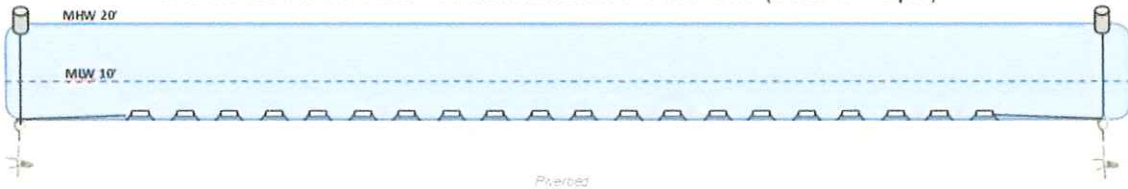


TO SCALE CROSS-SECTION VIEW: IN-SEASON (April – October)

- 5/8" poly sink line
- 10" screw, 3/4" shaft helix mooring
- Growout cages



CROSS-SECTION VIEW: OVERWINTERING POSITION (October – April)



Views do not represent actual number of cages
(actual number is 25/30 growout cages per line)

On-Site Support Structures

1. Describe structures such as barges, sheds, etc., to be located on-site. Provide a schematic and indicate the dimensions, including height above sea level, materials, etc.

No onsite structures

2. Describe the storage and use of oil, gasoline, or other hazardous materials on site. If petroleum products are to be stored on site, provide a spill prevention plan.

No storage of hazardous materials on site

D. Gear Color

Provide the color of the gear and structures proposed to be used at the lease site.

Cages and cage floats are black.
Marker buoys are black, white, yellow, and green.
Corner markers will be yellow.

E. Equipment Layout



Facing SE



Facing NW

F. Marking

Will you be able to mark your site in accordance with DMR regulations, Chapter 2.80? In part, this requires marker buoys which clearly display the lease ID and the words SEA FARM to be located at each corner of the lease.

Yes No

If you answered no, explain why and suggest alternate markings.

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8. PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES

Directions: If you are cultivating more than one species, you will need to provide the following information for each species. Please attach additional pages if needed.

<p>A. Please explain your proposed seeding activities. What months will seeding occur and how often will you be onsite to seed during this time.</p>
<p>Seeding occurs through out the summer months of April-September. Seeding and the grading of seed is a daily operation. Visits to the site will happen daily to pick up seed bags and redeploy bags of graded product back into cages.</p>

<p>B. Please explain your proposed tending/maintenance activities.</p>
<p>Cages will be flipped to air dry a minimum of once per week.</p> <p>Cages will be tended (sorted,checked,harvested) 4-5 days per week.</p> <p>Cages will be harvested April-November (1-3 days per week)</p>

<p>C. How frequently will you visit the site for routine tending/maintenance (i.e. flipping cages, etc.)?</p>
<p>Daily</p>

<p>D. Describe the harvesting techniques you will use. If you plan on using a drag, please provide the dimensions.</p>
<p>Harvesting consists of pulling bags out of the cages into barges/boats and the product is then sorted and either prepared for sales or redistributed back into the system based on the size of the animal.</p>

E. How often will you be at the site during harvesting periods?

Harvesting occurs 2-3 days a week. The process does not occur exclusively on-site for the entire 2-3 days. Product is taken off the site for the sorting process.

F. Will gear be on the site year-round? Yes No

G. Describe any overwintering or “off season” plans for the site. For example, will you remove gear from the site and/or deploy gear in different areas within the proposed site? Please include where gear or product will be located if removed from the site.

Overwintering occurs in late October/early November thru April. The cages are sunk to the bottom where they remain until the following spring when they are raised to the surface for the next growing season.

H. Please provide details on any predator control techniques you plan to employ, including the use of bird deterrents. Will you use commercially available or custom equipment? If commercially available equipment, please include the brand and model names. If custom equipment, please attach a detailed schematic that includes the dimensions, materials, and function of the equipment.

Predator control employed on this lease will be:

- 1) Attaching physical deterrents (cable ties) to the cages
- 2) Cages are routinely flipped keeping cages clean which deters birds from setting on the gear
- 3) Product is harvested from the lease site and then relocated to a final growout stage where birds are not an issue.

9. NOISE AND LIGHT

Directions: If a question does not pertain to your proposed operations, please write “not applicable” or “N/A”.

A. What type of boats will be used on the site? When and how often will these vessels be on the site?

Boats and Barges will be on site on a daily basis except the months of January-March.

- 1) Lifting barge 24' pontoon on site April most days until cages are all on surface.
- 2) Three 16'-18' skiffs 2 aluminum and 1 fiberglass on site daily April-December.
- 3) Two aluminum boats One 31' the other 24' on site daily April-December.
- 4) One fiberglass 21' Carolina skiff periodically on the lease site April-December.
- 5) A 24' pontoon boat will be used to flip cages up and down

B. What type of powered equipment (e.g. generator, power washer, grading equipment, barges, etc.) will be used on the site? When and how often will the equipment be used?

A power pack for a hydraulic winch will be used to raise the cages in the spring. This will take 1-2 weeks every spring to lift all the gear to the surface. Occasionally a water pump will be used to clean the oysters for sorting and sales.

C. Specify how you intend to reduce noise levels from the boats and other powered equipment.

Noise will be reduced with the pump and powerpack enclosed in a noise reducing enclosure which is lined with sound insulating material. The boats are all powered with four stroke engines which are relatively quiet.

D. Provide the number, type (whether fixtures are shielded), wattage and location of lights, other than those used for navigation or marking, that will be used at the proposed lease site.

None will be used.

E. Indicate under what circumstances you might work at your site beyond daylight hours.

Hurricanes, Large wind storms where the gear would be compromised. The types of lights used in these circumstances would be battery operated handheld flashlights and battery operated headlamps.

10. CURRENT OPERATIONS

Directions: If a question does not pertain to your proposed operations, please write “**not applicable**” or “N/A”.

A. Describe your existing aquaculture operations, including the acronyms of all active leases and/or licenses.

Norumbega is a working Oyster aquaculture company. Norumbega has several working leases (DAMPPN, DAMHIS, DAMMIx, DAMDUx) .

B. What are your plans for any existing leases and/or Limited Purpose Aquaculture (LPA) licenses if the lease is granted? Will any existing leases and/or LPA licenses be relinquished if the lease is granted? If so, please indicate which ones.

All leases would remain active except DAMDUx which the proposed lease would replace.

11. ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERIZATION

Directions: Using your knowledge of the area, describe the environment of the proposed lease site. Be sure to include units of measurement in your answers (i.e. feet, cm/s).

A. What are the approximate depths at mean low water?
10 feet

B. What are the approximate depths at mean high water?
20 Feet

C. Provide the approximate current speed and direction during the ebb and flow.
3-5 knot NE to SW direction.

D. The following questions (D.1 through D.6) may be answered in writing or by submitting a video. If you plan to submit a video, please contact the Department prior to video collection.
1. What are the bottom characteristics (mud, sand, gravel, rock, ledge or some mix, etc.)?
Soft mud throughout the entirety of the lease
2. Describe the bottom topography (flat, steep rough, etc.).
The bottom has a slow incline of 5-8 feet from the Eastern side of the lease to the Western side.

<p>3. Describe marine organisms by species or common names. Based on your personal observations or other sources of information, are these species abundant, common, or rare?</p>
<p>Occasional crabs, mud worms and sea shrimp.</p>
<p>4. Are there shellfish beds or fish migration routes in the surrounding area? If so, please describe.</p>
<p>Commercial clam harvesting occurs in the cove to the west of the proposed lease throughout the year.</p>
<p>5. Describe the presence and extent of submerged aquatic vegetation, i.e. eelgrass, within the proposed lease area. Please include the date of this observation along with the method of observation. If submerged aquatic vegetation is observed, please also describe the abundance below and sketch the limits of the beds in the vicinity map.</p>
<p>None. Observed 4/15/21. Observed by SCUBA.</p>
<p>6. Describe the general shoreline and upland characteristics (rocky shoreline, forested, residential, etc.)</p>
<p>The shoreland to the west of the lease is mud flat up to forested upland. Dodge Point preserve is to the Southwest of the proposed lease.</p>
<p>E. Is your proposed lease located within a Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife designated Essential Habitat?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>

12. EXISTING USES

<p>A. Describe the existing uses of the proposed area in questions A.1 through A.5 below. Please include the a) type b) time of year c) frequency and d) proximity to the lease site for each existing use.</p>
<p>1. Commercial Fishing</p> <p>There is no commercial fishing in the proposed lease area. There is commercial shellfish harvesting in the cove to the West of the proposed lease</p>
<p>2. Recreational Fishing</p> <p>There is occasional recreational striper fishing in the cove to the west of the proposed lease during summer months.</p>
<p>3. Boating Activities (Please provide the distance to any navigable channel(s) from your proposed site at low water)</p> <p>There is a channel 300'-700' to the East which has all of the traffic coming up and down the Damariscotta river passing through it.</p>
<p>4. Ingress and egress (i.e. coming and going) of shorefront property owners within 1,000 feet of the proposal (e.g. docks, moorings, landing boats on shore, etc.)</p> <p>Ingress and egress from shorefront property to the west is not hindered there are no docks and if boats where to be launched there is plenty of room for navigation to the main channel. There are docks located to the North and West which are at the closest 770' from the nearest corner providing ample room to navigate to and from the dock .</p>
<p>5. Other uses (kayaking, swimming, etc.)</p> <p>There might be occasional recreational traffic (small outboard motorboats,kayaks) around the lease in the summer months where there is plenty of room to get to the cove at high tide and mud flat at low tide.</p>

B. Are there private docks, moorings, or other access points within 1,000 feet of the proposed lease? If yes, please include approximate distance from the proposed lease.

There are 3 docks to the North and Northwest of the proposed lease site. The closest is 770' followed by 1100' and 1400'. There is also a mooring 700' to the North of the proposed lease.

C. Are there public beaches, parks, docking facilities or federally, state, or municipally conserved lands within 1,000 feet of the proposed lease site? If yes, please describe and include approximate distances from proposed lease.

The Dodge point preserve has a beach 500' to the Southwest of the Southern end of the proposed lease. The Dodge point Preserve land is located West along the western edge and Southwest of the Southern end of the Proposed lease.

D. Are there any Limited Purpose Aquaculture (LPA) licenses or aquaculture leases within 1,000 feet of your proposed lease site? If yes, please list their acronyms below.

Current and pending aquaculture leases and active LPA licenses may be found here:
<https://www.maine.gov/dmr/aquaculture/leases/index.html>

The Southwestern corner of the Aquaculture lease DAM WP is located 715' to the Northeast of the Northeastern corner of the proposed lease.

13. EXCLUSIVE USE

If your lease is granted, what activities would you request be excluded from occurring within the boundaries of the lease site? In your answer please address applicable commercial and recreational fishing, boating activities, and other activities you listed in the 'Existing Uses' section of this application.

None

14. RIPARIAN LANDOWNERS AND SITE ACCESS

A. Tax Maps

See pages 18 and 19

B. Will your access to the lease area be across riparian land?

Yes No

C. How will you access the proposed site?

Access to the lease will be from the water. Norumbega has a dock located South of Glidden ledges where its boats are harbored. Norumbega also has sites both North and South of the proposed lease which the boats will access the proposed lease from.

D. How will your proposed activities affect riparian ingress and egress?

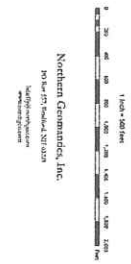
The proposed activities will not affect riparian ingress or egress. Moorings and docks are located over 700' to the North of the proposed lease and the lease does not restrict the access to and from the main channel at these points. The riparian owners to the West will not be restricted from navigated to and from the channel for there is ample room both North and South of the lease to access the river channel.

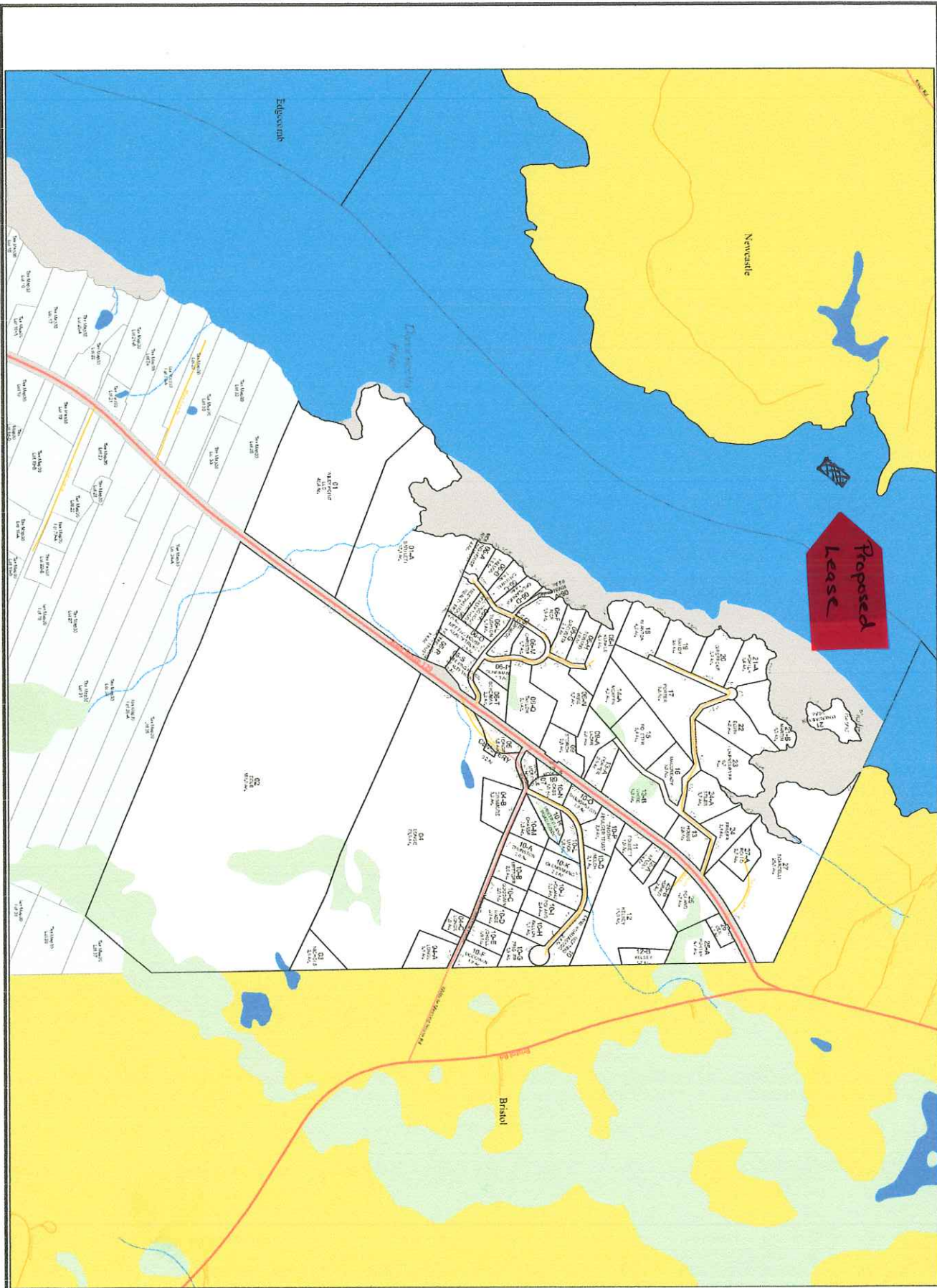
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 - Right of Way
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 - Boundary Stream
 - Yardline
 - Unsubdivided land
 - Other
 - Private Right of Way
 - Water, Ponds and Rivers
 - Non-forested Wetlands
 - Adjacent Maps
 - Adjacent Map Number

- Land Use Zoning Districts**
- C Commercial
 - LI Light Industrial
 - R1 Rural 1
 - R Rural
 - DA District A
 - DB District B
 - DD District D
 - VS Village Business
 - VC Village Center
 - VR Village Residential

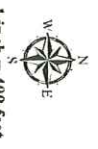
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**Property Map
South Bristol
Maine**



Legend

- Current Parcels
- Adjacent Maps
- Ponds
- sub parcel lines
- Easements
- Private Roads
- Public Roads
- Road Class
- Secondary
- Local
- Private
- Wetlands (MVI)
- Streams
- Tidal Waters
- Intertidal rocks and flats

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Not a Boundary Survey
Not to Be Used for Conveyances**

April 1, 2020

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MAP 31

RIPARIAN LANDOWNER LIST

THIS LIST MUST BE CERTIFIED

On this list, please show the current landowners' names and mailing addresses as listed in the municipal tax records for all riparian shorefront parcels within 1,000 feet of the proposed lease site along with the map and lot number for each parcel. It is the applicant's responsibility to assemble the information for the Town Clerk to certify. The Town Clerk only certifies that the information is correct according to the Town's records. Once you have completed the form, ask the Town Clerk to complete the certification section below. If the parcels are within more than one municipality, provide a separate, certified riparian list for each municipality.

TOWN OF: Newcastle

MAP #	LOT #	Landowner name(s) and address(es)
3	65	David and Kristin Harman 127 Perkins point Rd Newcastle, ME 04553 ✓
3	65-1	Brenda J. Donovan P.O. Box 265 Newcastle, Me. 04553 17 Old Field Rd. Newcastle, ME 04553
3	65-2	Derek Leek 6000 Seth + Alison Wilkinson P.O. Box 244 Bremen, Me. 04551 412 Mountain Rd. Woolwich, ME, 04579
3	72	Concord Trust LLC 3 Executive Park Drive Suite 302 Bedford NH 03110 ✓
3	72-A	Town of Newcastle Buck P.O. Box 386 Newcastle, ME 04553 ✓
3	75-A	Wendy Strothman P.O. Box 255 100 Bradley Shore Rd. Newcastle, ME 04553
1	2	State of Maine Dodge Point Preserve 116 State House Station Maintenance + Operations Augusta, ME. 04333

Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach hereto.

CERTIFICATION

I, Jodee Kelley Deputy Town Clerk for the Town of Newcastle certify that the names and addresses of the property owners listed above, as well as the map and lot numbers, are those listed in the records of this municipality and are current as of this date

SIGNED: Jodee Kelley DATE: 12-28-2021



JANET T. MILLS
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES
21 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE
04333-0021

PATRICK C. KELIHER
COMMISSIONER

- RIPARIAN OWNERS LIST -

THIS LIST MUST BE CERTIFIED BY THE TOWN CLERK

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TOWN OF: South Bristol

MAP #	LOT #	Landowner name(s) and address(es)
31	20	Annette L. Giesecke, Donald J. Dunham * Judith Stevens P.O. Box 188 Landerberg, PA 19350- 99 Prentiss Cove Rd Walpole, ME 05783
31	19	Shetu Nandy P.O. Box 369 Damariscotta, ME 04568

Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach hereto.

CERTIFICATION

I, Brenda Bartlett, Town Clerk for the Town of South Bristol, certify that the names and addresses of the property owners listed above, as well as the map and lot numbers, are those listed in the records of this municipality and are current as of this date.

SIGNED: Brenda Bartlett DATE: 1/10/2022

15. TECHNICAL CAPABILITY

Provide information regarding professional expertise. Attaching resume or documentation of practical experience necessary to accomplish the proposed project would satisfy this requirement.
Norumbega has been a slow growing oyster company on the Damariscotta River for 15 years. Its employees have been working on the river for 20 plus years.

16. FINANCIAL CAPABILITY

A Financial Capability

Please provide documentation to show you have the financial resources to implement the proposal. For example, you may submit a letter from a financial institution or funding agency indicating that you have an account in good standing, or their willingness to commit funds. Note: Any financial information you submit with your application is part of the public record. Please exercise discretion when submitting financial information.
Please see attached page 23

B. Cost Estimates

Please provide cost estimates of the proposed aquaculture activities.
The experimental lease already in place is at maximum capacity and the proposed lease will not entail new expenditures (Norumbega already has enough gear already purchased to fill proposed lease to maximum capacity). Future activities will be site and product maintenance which annual costs estimates would be around \$50,000-\$100,000 in normal labor costs.

Bangor Savings Bank

You matter more.®

June 23, 2022

NORUMBEGA OYSTERS
19 SNOW ROAD
NOBLEBORO, ME 04555

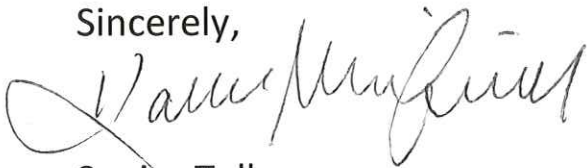
RE: Account open and in good standing for account ending in
XXXXXXXXXXXX7156 Held by Norumbega Oysters

Dear Norumbega Oysters,

Please accept this letter as confirmation that you have an open deposit
account in good standing with Bangor Savings Bank as of the end of
business on 06/23/2022.

If you have any questions or need further information, please call
Bangor Support at 1.877.Bangor1 (1.877.226.4671).

Sincerely,



Senior Teller
Bangor Savings Bank
207-563-8037

17. ESCROW ACCOUNT OR PERFORMANCE BOND

Check the category that describes your operation:

Check Here	Lease Category	Amount of Required Escrow or Performance Bond
<input type="checkbox"/>	No gear/structure, no discharge	\$500.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	No gear/structure, discharge	\$500.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	≤ 400 square feet of gear/structure, no discharge	\$1,500.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	>400 square feet of gear/structure, no discharge	\$5,000.00*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gear/Structure, discharge	\$25,000.00

*DMR may increase the bond/escrow requirements for leases with more than 2,000 square feet of structure.

I, (*printed name of applicant*) Eric Peters have read DMR Aquaculture Regulations Chapter 2.64(10) (D) and if this proposed lease is granted by DMR, I will either open an escrow account or obtain a performance bond, in the amount determined by the lease category.



Applicant Signature

Note: Add title if signing on behalf of a corporate applicant.

6/27/22

Date


ADDITIONAL APPLICANTS: Each applicant must sign this section indicating that they will open an escrow account or obtain a performance bond. Use the space below for additional persons listed on the application. You may attach additional pages, if necessary.

18. APPLICANT SIGNATURE PAGE

I hereby state that the information included in this application is true and correct. I have also read and understand the requirements of the Department's rules governing aquaculture and the application instructions pertaining to the standard lease process.

Printed name: Eric Peters

Title (if corporate applicant): President

Signature:  Date: 6/27/22

18 U.S.C. Section 1001 provides that: Whoever, in any manner within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States knowingly and willfully falsifies, conceals, or covers up any trick, scheme, or disguises a material fact or makes any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations or makes or uses any false writing or document knowing same to contain any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or entry, shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years or both.

Note:

- All applicants must sign and date this page. Please use the space below, if additional signatures are required.
- Corporate applicants, please be sure to include the title(s) (i.e. President, Treasurer, etc.) of the individual(s) signing on the company's behalf.

Additional Applicant:

Printed name: _____

Title (if corporate applicant): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



Aquaculture Division, 21 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333-0021 (207) 624-6567

CORPORATE APPLICANT FORM
For Standard and Experimental Aquaculture Lease Applications

Corporations or partnerships that apply for aquaculture leases in the State of Maine must complete this form. Corporations must submit information as requested under A. Corporate Applicant. Partnerships must submit information as requested under B. Partnership Applicant.

A. Corporate Applicant

Note: You must attach a copy of the Articles of Incorporation (Inc.) or Certificate of Formation (LLC) to your application.

1 Name of Corporation: Norumbega Oyster Inc.

2. Date of incorporation: 1/18/06 State of incorporation: Maine

3. List the names, addresses, and titles of all officers:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Address, Title. Rows include Eric Peters (President) and Kellie Peters (Vice President).

4. List the names and addresses of all directors/members:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Address. Rows include Eric Peters and Kellie Peters.

5. Has the corporation, or any stockholder, director, or officer applied for an aquaculture lease for Maine lands in the past? Yes No

Norumbega and Eric Peters have applied for leases in the past. Leases are currently being used and in good standing.

6. List the names and addresses of all stockholders who own or control at least 5% of the outstanding stock and the percentage of outstanding stock currently owned or controlled by each stockholder.

Name	Address	Percentage of Owned Stock
Eric Peters	19 Snow Rd. Nobleboro ME 04555	50%
Kellie Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	50%

7. List the names and addresses of stockholders, directors, or officers owning an interest, either directly or beneficially, in any other Maine aquaculture leases, as well as the quantity of acreage from existing aquaculture leases attributed to each such person based on the percentage of owned stock listed in question 6. If none, write, "None."

Name	Address	Lease Acronym	Acreage
Eric Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMNP	2.55
Eric Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMPPN	2.93
Eric Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMDUx	1.97
Eric Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMMIx	1.975
Kellie Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMPPN	2.93
Kellie Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMDUx	1.97
Kellie Peters	19 Snow Rd Nobleboro ME 04555	DAMMIx	1.975

8. Has the corporation or any officer, director, member, or shareholder listed in item 5 above ever been arrested, indicted, convicted of, or adjudicated to be responsible for any violation of any marine resources or environmental protection law, whether state or federal?

Yes

DOMESTIC
BUSINESS CORPORATION
STATE OF MAINE
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

(Mark box only if applicable)

- This is a professional corporation** formed pursuant to 13 MRSA Chapter 22-A to provide the following professional services:

(type of professional services)

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Deputy Secretary of State

A True Copy When Attested By Signature

Deputy Secretary of State

Pursuant to 13-C MRSA §202, the undersigned executes and delivers the following Articles of Incorporation.

FIRST: The name of the corporation is Norumbega Oysters, Inc.

SECOND: The name of its initial Clerk, who must be a Maine resident, and the address of the initial registered office shall be:
Peter G. Warren

(name)

36 Chestnut Street, Camden, Maine 04843

(physical location, not P O Box - street, city, state and zip code)

P.O. Box 780, Camden, Maine 04843

(mailing address if different from above)

THIRD: ("X" one box only)

- There shall be only one class of shares. The number of authorized shares is 1,000
(Optional) Name of class _____

- There shall be two or more classes or series of shares. The information required by 13-C MRSA §601 concerning each such class and series is set forth in Exhibit _____ attached hereto and made a part hereof

FOURTH: ("X" one box only)

- The corporation will have a board of directors
 There will be no directors, the business of the Corporation will be managed by shareholders (13-C MRSA §743)

FIFTH: (For corporations with directors, each of the following provisions is optional - "X" only if applicable)

- The number of directors is limited as follows not fewer than 1 nor more than 5 directors (13-C MRSA §803)
 To the fullest extent permitted by 13-C MRSA §202 2.D, a director shall have no liability to the Corporation or its shareholders for money damages for an action taken or a failure to take an action as a director.
 Except as otherwise specified by contract or in its bylaws, the Corporation shall in all cases provide indemnification (including advances of expenses) to its directors and officers to the fullest extent permitted by law. (13-C MRSA §§202, 857 and 859)

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SIXTH: ("X" only if applicable)

The Corporation elects to have preemptive rights as defined in 13-C MRSA §641.

SEVENTH: ("X" only if applicable)

Additional provisions of these Articles of Incorporation are set forth in Exhibit ___ attached hereto and made a part hereof (13-C MRSA §202)

EIGHTH: Name and address of each Incorporator is set forth below or on Exhibit ___ attached hereto.

Eric E. Peters
(type or print name)

19 Snow Road
(street or mailing address)

Nobleboro, ME 04555
(city, state and zip code)

Kellie J. Peters
(type or print name)

19 Snow Road
(street or mailing address)

Nobleboro, ME 04555
(city, state and zip code)

(type or print name)

(street or mailing address)

(city, state and zip code)

DATED 1/18/06

*By Kellie Peters
(signature of incorporator)

Kellie Peters
(type or print name and capacity)

Acceptance of Appointment of Clerk

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as clerk for the above-named domestic business corporation

DATED 1/18/06
Peter G. Warren
(signature of clerk)

Peter G. Warren
(type or print name)

Note Unless the Clerk is signing here to accept appointment as clerk, Form MBCA-18 (13-C MRSA §501.3) must accompany this document

**The professional corporation name must contain one of the following: "chartered," "professional corporation," "professional association" or "service corporation" or the abbreviation "P.C.," "P.A." or "S.C." Examples of professional service corporations are accountants, attorneys, chiropractors, dentists, registered nurses and veterinarians. (This is not an inclusive list - see 13 MRSA §723.7.)

*These articles must be dated and executed by an incorporator pursuant to the provisions of 13-C MRSA §121.5.

Please remit your payment made payable to the Maine Secretary of State.

SUBMIT COMPLETED FORMS TO: CORPORATE EXAMINING SECTION, SECRETARY OF STATE,
101 STATE HOUSE STATION, AUGUSTA, ME 04333-0101

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