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Date: October 31, 2019
To: Town of Bar Harbor, Municipal Officials
Riparian (shorefront) landowners within 1,000 ft. of proposed aquaculture lease site
General and case-specific notification list
From: Department of Marine Resources (DMR) Aquaculture Division
Re: Notice of Completed Application

The Maine Department of Marine Resources (DMR) has received a completed standard lease application for the following:

Applicant	Western Bay Oyster Company, LLC	
Culture Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bottom culture (No gear)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suspended culture (Bottom and/or surface gear)
Species	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shellfish	<input type="checkbox"/> Marine algae <input type="checkbox"/> Finfish <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Location, Waterbody, Town	Off Old House Cove/Spruce Point, Western Bay, Bar Harbor	
Lease Size and Term	Size: 3.36 Acres	Lease Term: 10 years

The next step in DMR's process is the required site review, which is conducted by DMR scientists. After the site review is complete and a site report is published, DMR will hold a public hearing on this application. DMR will notify you when the hearing has been scheduled.

To view a copy of the completed application, please visit:
<https://www.maine.gov/dmr/aquaculture/leases/pending/index.html>.

Please contact the applicant with any questions regarding their proposal. Contact information for the applicant can be found in their application.

If you have additional questions or concerns, or to request a paper copy of the application, please contact: DMRaquaculture@maine.gov

Relevant Authority: The legal authority for this notice is Title 12, MRSA §6072 (5) and DMR Rules Chapter 2.10 (4).