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COMMISSIONER

Shellfish Harvesting Area Classification-Notification of Changes
July 9, 2020

This notice is in effect until repealed or replaced

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Under the authority of 12 M.R.S.A. § 6172; the Commissioner has made the following change to Area No. 55-D, Little Machias Bay (Cutler, Trescott Twp): This notice reclassifies a portion of the Restricted area in Little River (Cutler) to Approved due to water quality meeting approved standards and a stream dilution calculation. An interactive map that allows the user to zoom in to specific areas can be found on the ME DMR website: <https://www.maine.gov/dmr/shellfish-sanitation-management/maps/index.html>. All existing pollution and biotoxin closures remain in effect.

The boundary descriptions of the area are as follows (struck text is being removed and underlined text is being added):

- A. Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters, ~~or~~ mussels or whole or roe-on scallops from the shores, flats and waters of the following Prohibited area(s):
1. Money Cove (Cutler): West of a line beginning at the easternmost tip of Marsh Point, then running northeast to the easternmost tip of Otter Point.
 2. Bog Brook Cove to Moose Cove (Cutler and Trescott Twp): west of a line beginning at an unnamed prominent point approximately 400 yards northeast of the end of Rosebrooks Lane running north to an unnamed prominent point on the opposite shore; AND west of a line beginning at a unnamed prominent point at the end of Sebistose Lane running north to a point of land approximately 150 yards northeast of the end of Norse Pond Road.
- B. Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters, ~~or~~ mussels or whole or roe-on scallops from the shores, flats and waters of the following Restricted area(s) without a special MDMR permit:
1. Haycock Harbor (Trescott Twp): west of a line beginning at a red painted post located on the north shore of "The Pool" approximately 570 yards from the Route 191 bridge crossing Wiggins Brook, then running southeast to a red painted post located on the south shore of "The Pool" approximately 550 yards from the Route 191 bridge crossing Wiggins Brook.
 2. Little River (Cutler): ~~west of a line beginning at the Fitzhenry Lobster Pound Pier on the south shore of Little River then running north~~ north of a line beginning at a red painted post located on a point approximately 100 yards east of the Destiny Bay Road culvert running east approximately 500 yards to a red painted post on the north shore of the Little River.

If you have questions, please contact Department of Marine Resources, 194 McKown Point Road, West Boothbay Harbor, Maine 04575-0008, Tel: (207) 633-9500 Email: DMRPublicHealthDiv@maine.gov. During **weekends/holidays**, contact on duty Marine Patrol Officers through the appropriate State Police barracks: from New Hampshire border to Brunswick, barracks 1-800-228-0857; from Cushing/Boothbay to Lincolnville/Belfast area, barracks 1-800-452-4664; from Belfast to Canadian border, barracks 1-800-432-7381. This notice can be viewed on the Department's website at: <http://www.maine.gov/dmr/shellfish-sanitation-management/closures/pollution.html>. This information is also recorded on our HOTLINE (207-624-7727 OR 1-800-232-4733).

Sincerely,



David W. Miller
Eastern Maine Growing Area
Commissioner's Designee

2:30 PM
(Effective Time)

Maine Department of Marine Resources

Pollution Area No. 55-D

Little Machias Bay to Haycock Harbor
(Cutler to Trescott Twp)

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