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COMMISSIONER

July 8, 2020

Kara George, Town Clerk
PO Box 299
Thomaston, ME 04861

Re: Conservation Closure(s)/Opening(s)

Dear Ms. George:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the following request(s). New requests are in BOLD.

EFFECTIVE	END DATE	SHELLFISH AREA	STATUS
8/1/2019	Indefinite	Mason Cove, Cushing: West of a line beginning at the most eastern tip of Montgomery Point (Cushing) running south to the opposite shore.	OPEN
6/18/2017	Indefinite	Hornbarn Cove, Cushing: northeast of a line drawn from the southwestern tip of Hornbarn Point, southeast to Carvers wharf at the end of Orne Lane.	CLOSED**
7/27/2016	Indefinite	Cutler Cove, St. George- East of a line drawn northwest from a red painted post located at the narrow portion of the east side of Cutler Cove to a red painted post on the opposite shore.	CLOSED**
7/20/2015	Indefinite	Salt Pond-Cushing: North of a line beginning at the End of Gun Creek Lane (Cushing) running west to the Cushing-Friendship town line AND south of a line Beginning at the east end of the Salt Pond Road Bridge Running west out to the Cushing-Friendship Town line.	CLOSED**
7/13/2020	11/1/2020	Broad Cove-Cushing All flats north of a line starting at Bradford point, running southwest to Bailey's point.	Closed**

****This conservation closure will automatically open for temporary harvest only when the Department of Marine Resources (DMR) closes pollution area number 27 part C due to rainfall or when tide heights exceed 11 feet. This conservation closure will automatically resume when DMR pollution area 27 part C returns to the conditionally approved status.**

This office approves of the George's Regional Shellfish Program's 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Denis-Marc Nault". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Denis" being the most prominent.

Denis-Marc Nault
Shellfish Program Supervisor

cc: Lt. Daniel White, Marine Patrol Division I - Boothbay
Hannah Annis, Area Biologist
Kohl Kanwit, Director of Bureau of Public Health