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**Shellfish Harvesting Area Classification-  
Notification of Changes**

May 12, 2025

Under the authority of 12 M.R.S.A. § 6172; the Commissioner has made the following change to the Pollution Abatement Closure Notice; This notice repeals the pollution abatement closure for Growing Area EM, R1 (Mash Harbor, Addison) due to water quality not meeting restricted standards and the area being reclassified from Restricted to Prohibited. All existing pollution and biotoxin closures remain in effect.

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

**Pollution Abatement Closures:**

~~Area EM (R1). Mash Harbor (Addison): east of a line beginning at a red painted post located on the south shore of the cove approximately 300 yards from the head of the cove; then running north to a red painted post located on the north shore of the cove approximately 300 yards from the head of the cove.~~

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](mailto: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: <https://www.maine.gov/dmr/fisheries/shellfish/closures>. This information is also recorded on our HOTLINE (207-624-7727 OR 1-800-232-4733).

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11:00 AM  
(Effective Time)