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COMMISSIONER

11/28/2023

**TO:** Riparian (shorefront) landowners within 1,000 ft. of proposed aquaculture lease sites  
Town of Phippsburg  
GovDelivery Aquaculture mailing list

**RE:** 40-day notice final lease decisions

The Commissioner has signed the final decisions in the matters noted below.

Applicant Name	Hermit Island Oyster Company (Application 1 – NMR SPH & Application 2 – NMR SPH2)
Type of Applications	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Experimental <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal <input type="checkbox"/> Expansion <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer
Decision Outcome	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Granted <input type="checkbox"/> Denied
Date of Signed Decision	11/27/2023

To view a copy of the decisions please visit DMR’s aquaculture webpage. Decisions are posted under “Aquaculture Lease Decisions.”

These decisions are considered the “final agency action” on the applications. In accordance with the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, 5 M.R.S.A. §11002, you have the right to seek judicial review of these decisions. If you wish to bring an action for judicial review, you must do so within 40 days following the date of the Commissioner’s signature on the final decisions.

Sincerely,

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