

## LEASE TRANSFER APPLICATION

**1. LEASE.** Identify the lease to be transferred.

|  |                               |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Acronym of Lease Proposed for Transfer       | BAG BH                        |
| Date Lease Expires                           | February 27, 2041             |
| Town   | Brooksville                   |
| Water Body                                   | Bagaduce                      |
| Acreage                                      | 5.3                           |
| Authorized Species                           | American and European Oysters |
| Army Corps of Engineers Authorization Number | NAE-2010-843                  |

**2. TRANSFEROR.** Identify the present lessee (*if multiple lessees, provide information for each one; use a separate sheet if necessary*).

|                |                                      |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Applicant      | Frank S. Peasley                     |
| Contact Person | Frank S. Peasley                     |
| Address        | 167 Ferry Road, Brooksville ME 04617 |
| City           | Brooksville                          |
| County         | Hancock County                       |
| State, Zip     | Maine 04617                          |
| Country        | USA                                  |
| Telephone      | 207.326.4087                         |
| Email          | littleisland@myfairpoint.net         |

**Note:** The email address you list here will be the primary means by which we will contact you. Please provide an email address that is checked regularly. If you do not use email, please leave this blank.

### 3. PAST USE OF LEASE

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Has this lease been used for aquaculture during its term? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|---|---|

A. If "Yes", describe the aquaculture activities, including but not limited to seeding, cultivation, or harvest of organisms.

Eastern American (*Crassostrea virginica*) oysters have been seeded, grown and harvested continuously on this lease site since 2010 and to the present time. We cultivate oysters through top culture methods in floating ADPI grow out bags. Seeding of baby oysters has always happened in the summer months, either in June or July, with seed being deployed to the lease site upon receiving of seed. Our seed is sourced from Muscongus Bay Aquaculture in Bremen, Maine. These seed oysters are deployed in 4mm mesh bags. Numbers planted has varied from 100,000 to as many as 600,000. On average, grow out of oysters on our site takes approximately 2 years. We harvest oysters, measuring at least 3 inches in length, May through October sometimes as late as December (varying due to demand). Harvesting activities including counting, sorting, washing and bagging takes place on our work float and take place once or twice per week, depending on market demands. For winter storage of oysters, we consolidate all oysters in mesh bags and sink them on our lease site to the bottom of the river for their hibernation - generally November through April. This fluctuates due to ice conditions. The Lessee is in good standing with the State of Maine for all reporting and bond requirements.

B. If "No", explain why no aquaculture has been conducted.

N/A

**4. TRANSFEREE.** Identify the proposed transferee (*if multiple transferees, provide information for each one; use a separate sheet if necessary*).

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| Applicant      | Greer-Tapley LLC, dba Tapley Cove Oyster Company   |
| Contact Person | Kristen Greer  |
| Address        | 96 Ferry Rd., Brooksville, ME 04617  |
| City           | Brooksville  |
| County         | Hancock  |
| State, Zip     | Maine, 04617   |
| Country        | USA  |
| Telephone      | 207-712-5101   |
| Email          | 1kris10.greer@gmail.com  |
| Transfer Type  | <input type="checkbox"/> Include transferee on lease with current leaseholder<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transfer entire lease to transferee |

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**5. TRANSFEREE'S CURRENT LEASE(S).** List all Maine aquaculture leases now held by the transferee(s).

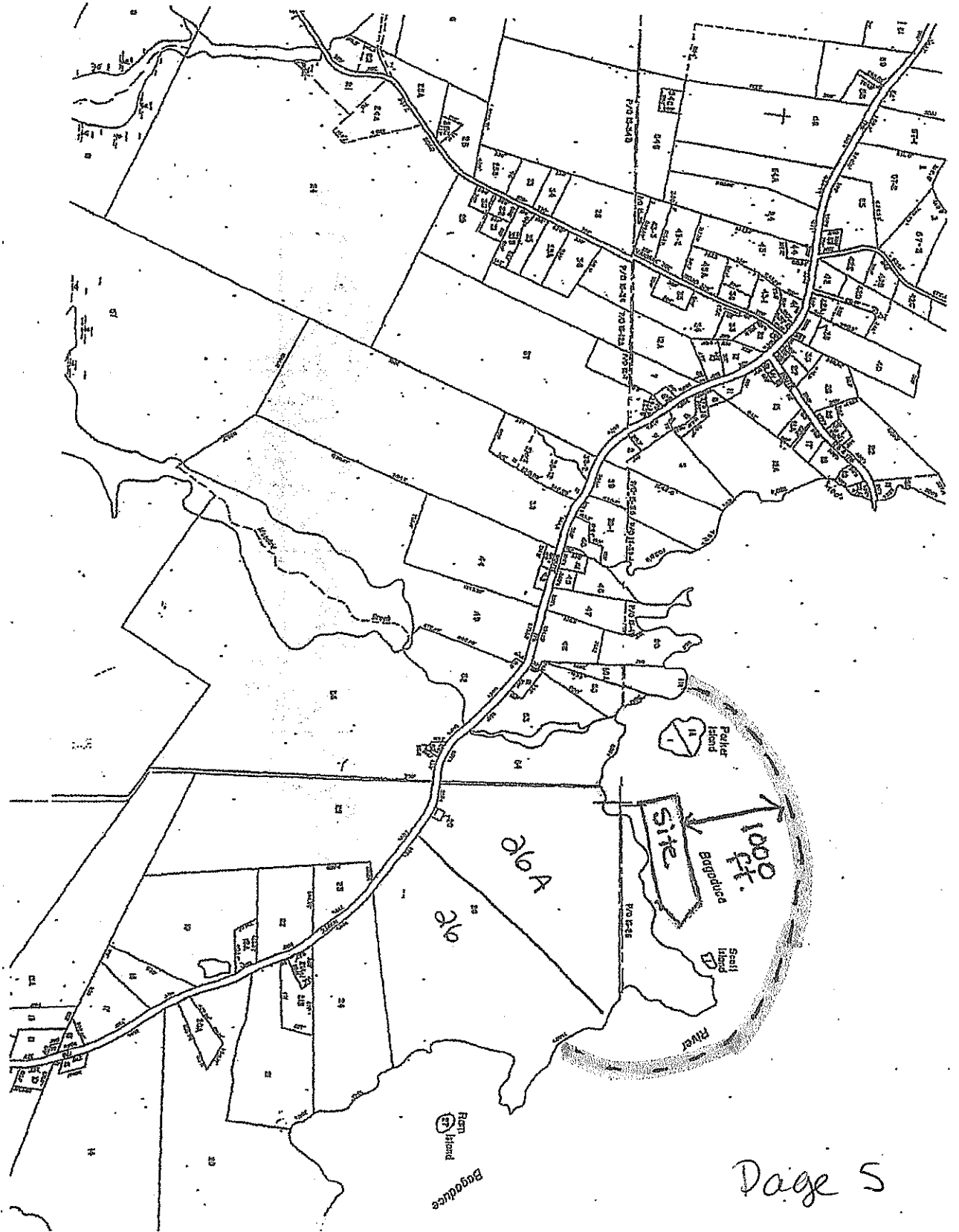
| Lease Acronym | Expiration Date | Town | Water Body | Acreage | Authorized Species |
|---------------|-----------------|------|------------|---------|--------------------|
| NONE          |                 |      |            |         |                    |
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|               |                 |      |            |         |                    |
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## 6. RIPARIAN LANDOWNERS AND SITE ACCESS

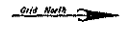
A. If the lease is within 1,000 ft of shorefront land (**which extends to mean low water or 1,650 ft from shore, whichever is less, according to NOAA charts**), the following supporting documents are required:

1. A labeled copy of a tax map(s) including the following elements:
  - Label the map “Tax Map: Town of (name of town).”
  - Legible scale
  - Tax lot numbers clearly displayed
  - The boundaries of the lease
2. Please use the Riparian Landowner List (included on the next page) to list the name and address of every shorefront landowner within 1,000 ft of the lease. Have the tax collector or clerk of the municipality certify the list. Refer to the Riparian Determination guidance document to ensure all riparian landowners are included:  
<https://www.maine.gov/dmr/aquaculture/forms/documents/RiparianDetermination.pdf>

Brooksville Tax Maps 15, 16, 18+19



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 PARCEL NUMBERS ..... 2  
 ARCHIVE LINE ..... 2

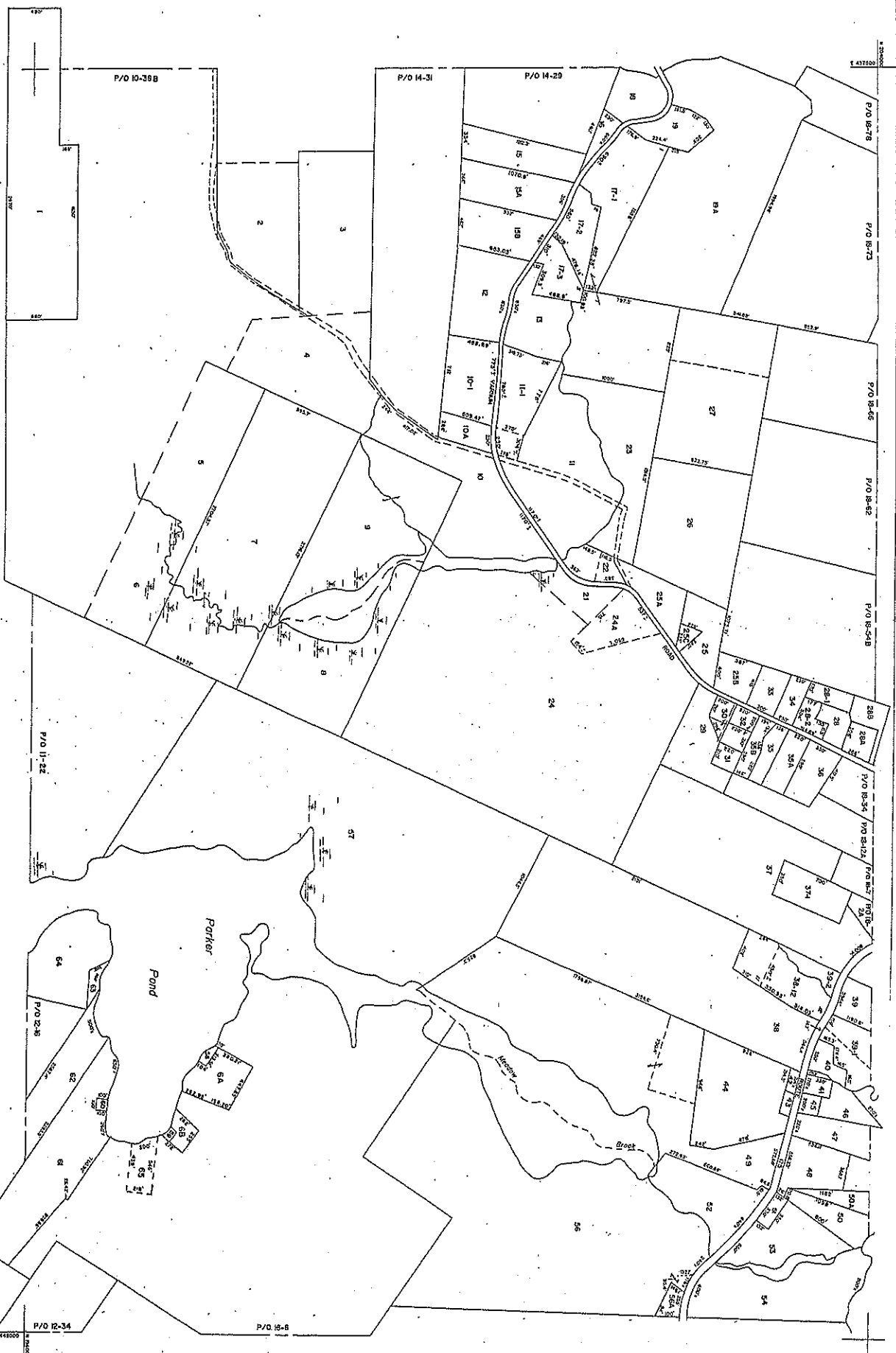


CITE OF ABSENT PROPERTY HOLDERS  
 DATE OF COMPLETION  
 DATE OF REVISIONS  
 LIST

For Statutory Purposes  
 Not to be used, w/o Consensus

TAX MAP  
 TOWN OF BROOKSVILLE  
 HANCOCK COUNTY, MAINE  
 PREPARED BY  
 JAMES W. SEWELL COMPANY, OLD TOWN, MAINE  
 SCALE: 1 INCH = 400 FEET

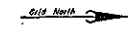
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| 11 | 15 | 16 |





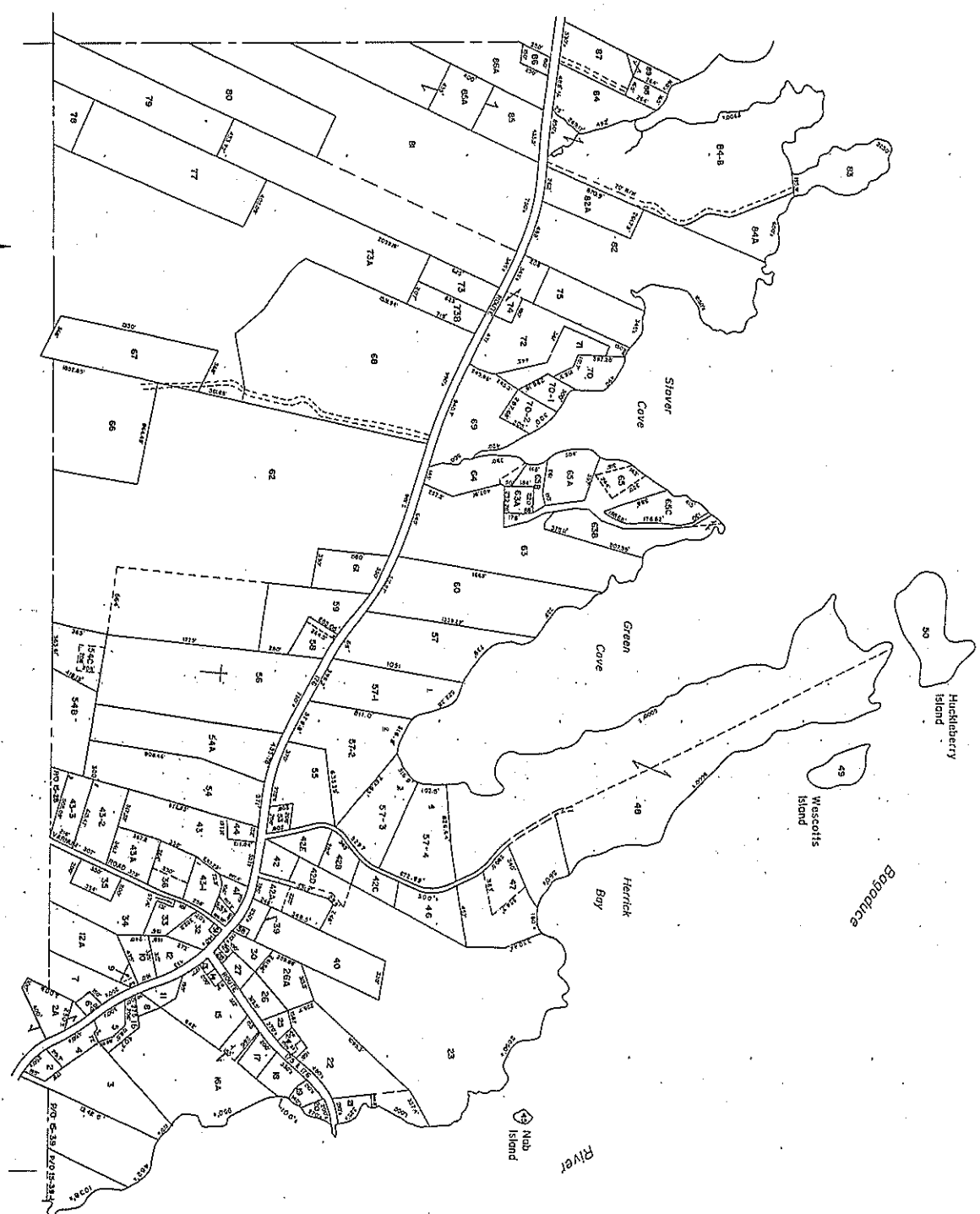


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 PARCEL NUMBERS.....  
 MATCH LINE.....2



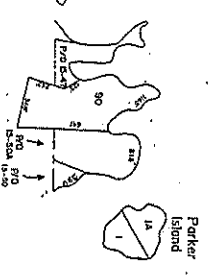
DATE OF APPLIC. APPROVAL: 4-24-88  
 DATE OF COMPLETION: 4-27-88  
 DATE OF REVISIONS: .....

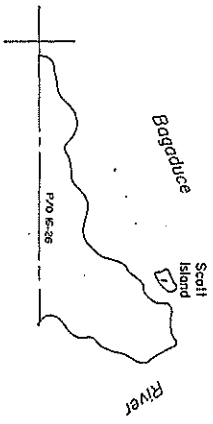
For Assessment Purposes  
 Not to be used for Conveyance



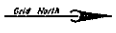
TAX MAP  
 TOWN OF BROOKSVILLE  
 PREPARED BY  
 JAMES W. SEWALL COMPANY, OLD TOWN, MAINE  
 SCALE: 1 INCH = 400 FEET

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| 15 | 18 | 19 |





LEGEND  
 PAGES, NUMBERS..... 2  
 MATCH LINE.....



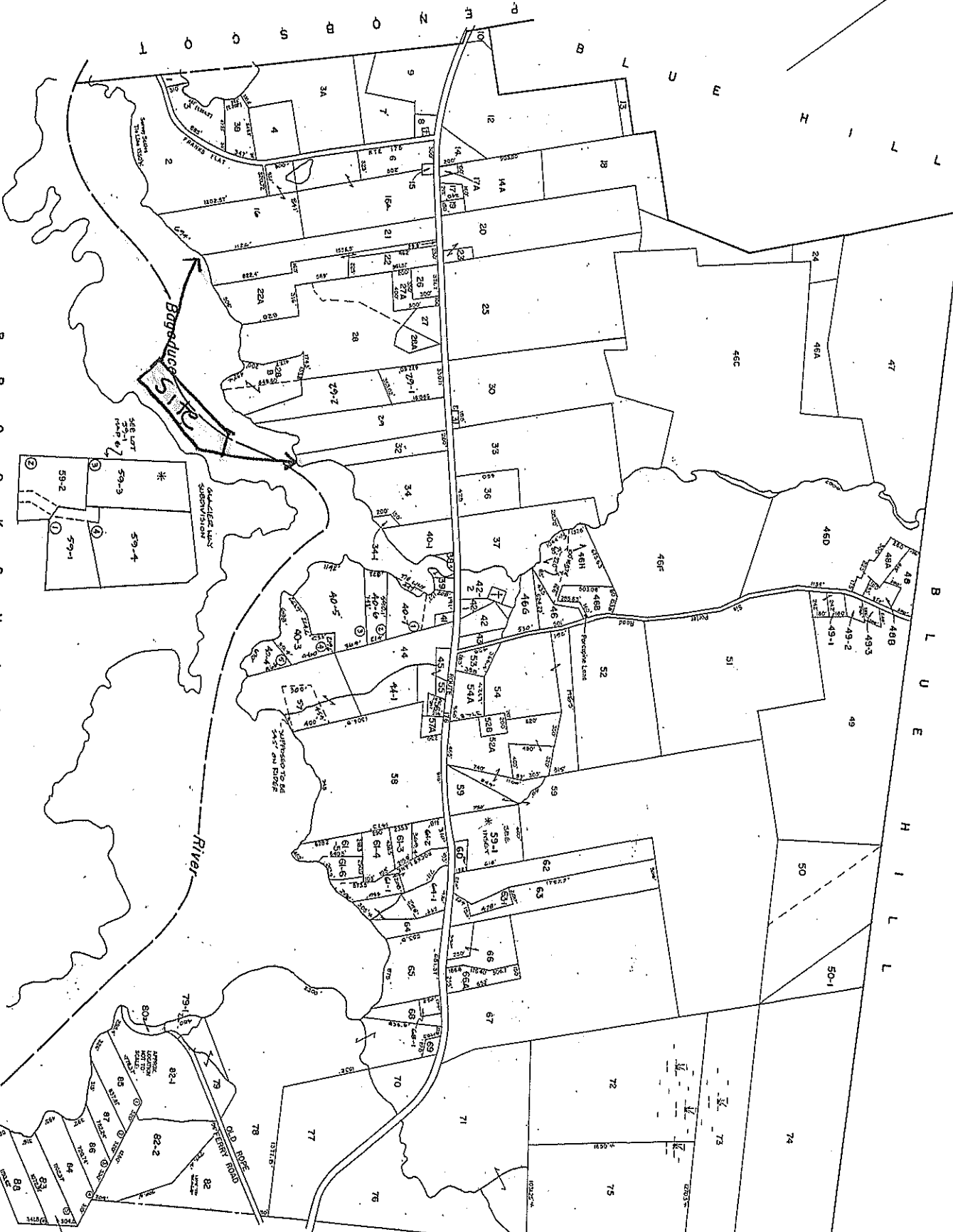
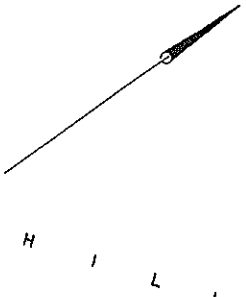
| DATE OF ADJUSTMENT | DATE OF COMPLETION | DATE OF REVISION |
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For Adjustment Purposes  
 Not to be used for Conveyance

TOWN OF BROOKSVILLE  
 JAMES W. SEWALL COMPANY, OLD TOWN, MAINE  
 SCALE: 1 INCH = 400 FEET

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LEGEND  
1 PARCEL NUMBERS  
2 ADJACENT MAPS  
MATCH LINES

For Assessment Purposes  
Not to be used for Conveyances

PROPERTY LINES  
SEDGWICK  
HANCOCK COUNTY, MAINE  
PREPARED BY  
JAMES W. SEWALL COMPANY  
OLD TOWN, MAINE  
SCALE 1 INCH = 500 ± FEET

**RIPARIAN LANDOWNER LIST**

*THIS LIST MUST BE **CERTIFIED** BY THE TOWN CLERK*

On this list, please include the map number, lot number, and the current owners' names and mailing addresses for all shorefront parcels within 1,000 feet of the lease site. It is the applicant's responsibility to assemble the information for the Town Clerk to certify. The Town Clerk *only* certifies that the information is correct according to the Town's records. Once you have completed the form, ask the Town Clerk to complete the certification section below. If riparian parcels are located within more than one municipality, provide a separate tax map and certified riparian list for each municipality.

TOWN OF: SEE ATTACHED

| MAP # | LOT # | Landowner name(s) and address(es) |
|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|
|       |       |                                   |
|       |       |                                   |
|       |       |                                   |
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**Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach hereto.**

**CERTIFICATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Town Clerk for the Town of \_\_\_\_\_, certify that the names and addresses of the property owners listed above, as well as the map and lot numbers, are those listed in the records of this municipality and are current as of this date.

**SIGNED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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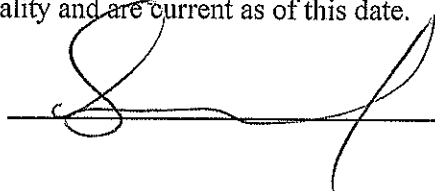
**TOWN OF: Sedgwick, Maine**

Information taken from: Sedgwick's Real Estate Tax 2021 Commitment Book Dated 07/07/21

| MAP | LOT # | LANDOWNER NAMES AND ADDRESSES   |
|-----|-------|---|
| 6   | 16    | HOOVER, ADDISON D<br>HOOVER, LAURIE H<br>76 FRANKS FLAT<br>SEDGWICK ME 04676      |
| 6   | 21    | MCGOODWIN, PAMELA J<br>101 VILLAGE GATE DRIVE<br>BRIDGEWATER MA 02324             |
| 6   | 22A   | HILYARD, EDWARD J<br>HILYARD, SUSAN A<br>462 GRAYTOWN RD<br>SEDGWICK ME 04676     |
| 6   | 28    | HEWES, WILLIAM MICHAEL<br>HEWES, ELAINE C<br>PO BOX 115<br>BLUE HILL ME 04614     |
| 6   | 28B   | MORONEY, PATRICK D<br>THORNE, ROSEMARY L<br>68 OAK HILL LANE<br>SEDGWICK ME 04676 |
| 6   | 29    | BOURNE, JONATHAN<br>BOURNE, SARAH E<br>81 GREEN ST.<br>WOBURN MA 01801            |
| 6   | 29-2  | BOURNE, LOUISE T<br>35 MATCHEBIGUATUS LANE<br>SEDGWICK ME 04676                   |
| 6   | 32    | KATH, GARY S<br>KATH, JANICE T<br>2671 SKY TOP DRIVE<br>SCOTCH PLAINS NJ 07076    |

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Cynthia Reilly, Town Clerk for the Town of Sedgwick, certify that the names and addresses of the property owners listed above, as well as the map and lot numbers, are those listed in the records of this municipality and are current as of this date.

SIGNED: 

DATE: 11/9/2022

# RIPARIAN LANDOWNER LIST

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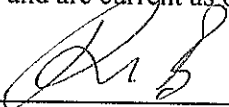
**TOWN OF: Brooksville, Maine**

Information taken from: Brooksville's Real Estate Tax 2021 Commitment Book Dated 06/23/21

| MAP       | LOT #                              | LANDOWNER NAMES AND ADDRESSES  |
|-----------|------------------------------------|--|
| 15 and 18 | Map 15 – Lot 50<br>Map 18 - Lot 1  | COCHRANE, CAMILLA MCKEE<br>P.O. BOX 266<br>BROOKSVILLE ME 04617                |
| 15 and 18 | Map 15 -Lot 50A<br>Map 18 – Lot 1A | KNIGHT, LUCIA DEL SOL<br>59 DRURY LANE<br>BROOKSVILLE ME 04617                 |
| 15        | 54                                 | STORM, PAMELA<br>625 BAGADUCE ROAD<br>BROOKSVILLE ME 04617                     |
| 16        | 26                                 | LYMBURNER, EUGENE M<br>595 BAGADUCE RD<br>BROOKSVILLE ME 04617                 |
| 16        | 26A                                | HENRY, PATRICIA L<br>P.O. BOX 36<br>PENOBSCOT ME 04476                         |
| 19        | 1                                  | PEASLEY, TONYIA ML<br>PEASLEY, FRANK S<br>167 FERRY RD<br>BROOKSVILLE ME 04617 |

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Amber Bokern, Town Clerk for the Town of Brooksville, certify that the names and addresses of the property owners listed above, as well as the map and lot numbers, are those listed in the records of this municipality and are current as of this date.

SIGNED:  DATE: Nov. 14. 2022

## 7. TECHNICAL CAPABILITY OF THE TRANSFEREE

Provide information regarding professional expertise. For each transferee, attaching a resume or documentation of practical experience necessary to undertake aquaculture activities would satisfy this requirement.

Please see attached.

## 8. FINANCIAL CAPABILITY OF THE TRANSFEREE

A. Please provide documentation to show that each transferee has the financial resources to undertake this aquaculture activity. For example, each transferee may submit a letter from a financial institution or funding agency indicating that the transferee has an account in good standing, or their willingness to commit funds.

**Note:** Any financial information you submit with your application is part of the public record. Please exercise discretion when submitting financial information.

Please see attached.

B. Please provide cost estimates of the aquaculture activities the transferee plans to conduct on this lease.

Please see attached.

# Technical Capabilities of the Transferee

## Greer-Tapley LLC Qualifications

Completed Aquaculture in Shared Waters Course 2018-2019

Retaking Aquaculture in Shared Waters Course starting 1/3/2023

Attended Northeast Aquaculture Conference & Exposition 2019

K. Greer – BS in Business from Michigan State University, 1988

J. Tapley – BS in Communications from University of Southern Maine, 1985

## References

Frank Peasley – Owner Little Island Oyster Company

Tonyia Peasley – Owner Little Island Oyster Company

Donald Condon – Brooksville Harbor Committee Member

Dana Morse – Aquaculture in Shared Waters Instructor

Chris Davis - Aquaculture in Shared Waters Instructor

# Financial Capability of the Transferee



PO Box 940  
Damariscotta, ME 04543  
1.800.564.3195  
www.thefirst.com

To Whom it Concerns,

Joseph A Tapley and Kristen A Greer have accounts with First National Bank. This letter is to confirm that the accounts are active and in good standing with the bank.

Account Number: 55202990  
Account Type: Checking  
Account Status: Good Standing

Account Number: 27384862  
Account Type: Savings  
Account Status: Good Standing

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Brittany Carter-Burpee'.

Brittany Carter-Burpee  
Branch Supervisor  
Blue Hill Office  
1.800.564.3195 Ext: 3808

Tapley Cove Oyster Company (Greer-Tapley LLC)

Cost Estimates

|                         |           |                  |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Seeds                   | \$        | 6,500.00         |
| General Liability       | \$        | 500.00           |
| Commercial Liability    | \$        | 500.00           |
| Water Lease             | \$        | 530.00           |
| Licenses (In State)     | \$        | 150.00           |
| Work Float              | \$        | 25.00            |
| Moorings                | \$        | 50.00            |
| Outboard Fuel           | \$        | 1,500.00         |
| Farm Equipment Purchase | \$        | 3,500.00         |
| <b>Total Year 1</b>     | <b>\$</b> | <b>13,255.00</b> |

**9. FORM OF OWNERSHIP**

*State law limits the maximum aquaculture lease acreage a lessee can hold to 1,000 acres. Lease acreage held by a corporation or partnership is attributed to the stockholders or partners in the same proportion as their ownership in the corporation or partnership. For example, a 35% shareholder in a company holding a 100-acre lease is deemed to hold 35 acres (See DMR Rule 2.12(3)).*

**A. Individuals.** Answer the following questions if any transferees are assuming this lease as individuals.

|  |   |
|--|---|
| 1. Have you applied for other aquaculture leases in Maine? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
|--|---|

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|--|
| 2. If "Yes", list the transferee's name and state the outcome and current status of each lease |
| N/A  |

|  |   |
|--|---|
| 3. How many acres of aquaculture leases do you currently hold, whether as an individual, a stockholder, a partner, or other co-owner of a lease or leases? | 0 |
|--|---|

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|---|---|
| 4. Have you ever been arrested, indicted, or convicted of or adjudicated to be responsible for, any violation of any state or federal marine resources or environmental protection law? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
|---|---|

|                                      |
|--------------------------------------|
| 1. If "Yes", list all such incidents |
| N/A                                  |

**B. Corporations or Partnerships.** Complete the following steps if any transferees are organized as corporations or partnerships, including LLCs.

1. Include a copy of corporate filing information with this application
2. Complete and submit with this application the "Corporate Applicant Information Document" available at:  
<http://www.maine.gov/dmr/aquaculture/forms/standard.html>



MAINE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES

Aquaculture Division, 21 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333-0021 (207) 624-6567

CORPORATE APPLICANT FORM
For Standard and Experimental Aquaculture Lease Applications

Corporations or partnerships that apply for aquaculture leases in the State of Maine must complete this form. Corporations must submit information as requested under A. Corporate Applicant. Partnerships must submit information as requested under B. Partnership Applicant.

A. Corporate Applicant

Note: You must attach a copy of the Articles of Incorporation (Inc.) or Certificate of Formation (LLC) to your application.

1. Name of Corporation: Greer-Tapley LLC

2. Date of incorporation: 11/14/22 State of incorporation: Maine

3. List the names, addresses, and titles of all officers:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Address, Title. Rows include Kristen Greer (Co-President) and Joseph Tapley (Co-President) at 96 Ferry Rd., Brooksville, ME 04617.

Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach to the application.

4. List the names and addresses of all directors/members:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Address. Rows include Kristen Greer and Joseph Tapley at 96 Ferry Rd., Brooksville, ME 04617.

Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach to the application.

5. Has the corporation, or any stockholder, director, or officer applied for an aquaculture lease for Maine lands in the past?  Yes  No

If you selected "yes," please indicate who applied for the lease and the status of the application or lease.

6. List the names and addresses of all stockholders who own or control at least 5% of the outstanding stock and the percentage of outstanding stock currently owned or controlled by each stockholder.

| Name          | Address                            | Percentage of Owned Stock |
|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Kristen Greer | 96 Ferry RD., Brooksville ME 04617 | 50%                       |
| Joseph Tapley | 96 Ferry RD., Brooksville ME 04617 | 50%                       |
|               |                                    |                           |
|               |                                    |                           |

**Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach to the application.**

7. List the names and addresses of stockholders, directors, or officers owning an interest, either directly or beneficially, in any other Maine aquaculture leases, as well as the quantity of acreage from existing aquaculture leases attributed to each such person based on the percentage of owned stock listed in question 6. If none, write, "None."

| Name | Address | Lease Acronym | Acreage |
|------|---------|---------------|---------|
|      | none    |               |         |
|      |         |               |         |
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**Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach to the application.**

8. Has the corporation or any officer, director, member, or shareholder listed in item 5 above ever been arrested, indicted, convicted of, or adjudicated to be responsible for any violation of any marine resources or environmental protection law, whether state or federal?

Yes  No

If you selected "yes", please provide details.

**B. Partnership Applicant**

**Note:** You must attach a copy of either the Certificate of Limited Partnership or documentation of the formation of a General Partnership to your application.

1. Name of Partnership: Greer-Tapley LLC
2. Date of formation: 11/14/22 State of partnership: Maine
3. List the names, addresses, and ownership shares of all partners:

| Name          | Address                             | Ownership Shares |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Kristen Greer | 96 Ferry RD., Brooksville, ME 04617 | 50%              |
| Joseph Tapley | 96 Ferry RD., Brooksville, ME 04617 | 50%              |
|               |                                     |                  |
|               |                                     |                  |

**Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach to the application.**

4. Has the partnership, or any partner applied for an aquaculture lease for Maine lands in the past?  Yes  No

If you selected "yes," please indicate who applied for the lease and the status of the application or lease.

5. List the names and addresses of any partner owning an interest, either directly or beneficially, in any other Maine aquaculture leases, as well as the quantity of acreage from existing aquaculture leases attributed to each such person, based on their ownership shares from question 3.

| Name | Address | Lease Acronym | Acreage |
|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| N/A  |         |               |         |
|      |         |               |         |
|      |         |               |         |
|      |         |               |         |

**Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach to the application.**

6. Has the partnership or any partner been arrested, indicted or convicted of or adjudicated to be responsible for any violation or marine resources or environmental protection law, whether State or Federal?

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Yes  No

If you selected "yes", please provide details.

MAINE  
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY  
  
STATE OF MAINE  
  
CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION

File No. 20239555DC Pages 2  
Fee Paid \$ 175  
DCN 2223192220045 DLLC  
FILED  
11/14/2022

*Julie R. Flynn*  
Deputy Secretary of State

A True Copy When Attested By Signature

*Julie R. Flynn*  
Deputy Secretary of State

Pursuant to 31 MRSA §1531, the undersigned executes and delivers the following Certificate of Formation:

FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is:

Greer-Tapley LLC

(A limited liability company name must contain the words "limited liability company" or "limited company" or the abbreviation "LLC," "LLC," "L.C." or "LC" or, in the case of a low-profit limited liability company, "L3C" or "l3c"—see 31 MRSA 1508.)

SECOND: Filing Date: (select one)



Date of this filing; or



Later effective date (specified here): \_\_\_\_\_

THIRD: Designation as a low profit LLC (Check only if applicable):



This is a low-profit limited liability company pursuant to 31 MRSA §1611 meeting all qualifications set forth here:

A. The company intends to qualify as a low-profit limited liability company;

B. The company must at all times significantly further the accomplishment of one or more of the charitable or educational purposes within the meaning of Section 170(c)(2)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as it may be amended, revised or succeeded, and must list the specific charitable or educational purposes the company will further;

C. No significant purpose of the company is the production of income or the appreciation of property. The fact that a person produces significant income or capital appreciation is not, in the absence of other factors, conclusive evidence of a significant purpose involving the production of income or the appreciation of property; and

D. No purpose of the company is to accomplish one or more political or legislative purpose within the meaning of Section 170(c)(2)(D) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or its successor.

FOURTH: Designation as a professional LLC (Check only if applicable):



This is a professional limited liability company\* formed pursuant to 13 MRSA Chapter 22-A to provide the following professional services:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Type of professional services)

**FIFTH:**

The Registered Agent is a: (select either a Commercial or Noncommercial Registered Agent)

Commercial Registered Agent

CRA Public Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of commercial registered agent)

Noncommercial Registered Agent

**Kristen Greer**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of noncommercial registered agent)

**96 Ferry Road, Brooksville, Maine 04617**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(physical location, not P.O. Box -- street, city, state and zip code)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(mailing address if different from above)

**SIXTH:**


Pursuant to 5 MRSA §105.2, the registered agent listed above has consented to serve as the registered agent for this limited liability company.

**SEVENTH:**

Other matters the members determine to include are set forth in the attached Exhibit \_\_\_\_\_, and made a part hereof.


**\*\*Authorized person(s)**

Dated 11/11/2022

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of authorized person)

**Kristen Ann Greer**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Type or print name of authorized person)

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of authorized person)

**Joseph Albert Tapley**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Type or print name of authorized person)

**\*Examples of professional service limited liability companies are accountants, attorneys, chiropractors, dentists, registered nurses and veterinarians. (This is not an inclusive list -- see 13 MRSA §723.7)**

**\*\*Pursuant to 31 MRSA §1676.1.A, Certificate of Formation MUST be signed by at least one authorized person.**

The execution of this certificate constitutes an oath or affirmation under the penalties of false swearing under 17-A MRSA §453.

Please remit your payment made payable to the Maine Secretary of State.

Submit completed form to:

**Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations, UCC and Commissions  
101 State House Station  
Augusta, ME 04333-0101  
Telephone Inquiries: (207) 624-7752**

Email Inquiries: [CEC.Corporations@Maine.gov](mailto:CEC.Corporations@Maine.gov)

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

STATE OF MAINE

STATEMENT OF INTENTION TO  
TRANSACTION BUSINESS UNDER AN  
ASSUMED OR FICTITIOUS NAME  
(for Maine or Foreign LLC)

Greer-Tapley LLC

(Name of Maine or Foreign Limited Liability Company)

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Deputy Secretary of State

A True Copy When Attested By Signature

*Julie H. Flynn*  
Deputy Secretary of State

Pursuant to 31 MRSA §1510, the undersigned limited liability company executes and delivers the following Statement of Intention to Transact Business Under an Assumed or Fictitious Name:

FIRST: ("X" one box only.)  assumed name (§1510-1.A)  fictitious name (§1510-1.B)

The limited liability company intends to transact business under the assumed or fictitious name of  
Tapley Cove Oyster Company

Note: A fictitious name is a name adopted by a foreign limited liability company authorized to transact business in this State because its real name is unavailable pursuant to §1508.

Complete the following if applicable:

SECOND: If such assumed name is to be used at fewer than all of the limited liability company's places of business in this State, the location(s) where it will be used is (are):

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_


Additional locations are attached hereto as Exhibit \_\_\_\_\_, and made a part hereof.

**THIRD:** (Foreign Limited Liability Company Only)

Jurisdiction of organization \_\_\_\_\_ and the date on which  
the limited liability company was authorized to transact business in Maine \_\_\_\_\_.

**DATED** 11/11/2022 \_\_\_\_\_

\*Authorized person(s)

  
(authorized signature)

Kristen A. Greer  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Type or print name of authorized person)

\*Pursuant to 31 MRSA §1676.1B, this statement **MUST** be signed by a person authorized by the limited liability company.

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**10. TRANSFEROR'S STATEMENT** *(if multiple lessees/transferees, provide additional completed signature pages as necessary)*

By signing this application, the UNDERSIGNED LESSEE hereby states that they have read and understand the requirements of the Department's statutes and rules governing aquaculture and the transfer application instructions. The undersigned lessee certifies that the following information is true and correct:

- The lease site is in good order and is in compliance with all DMR aquaculture laws and regulations;
- There are no rent bills outstanding;
- The required bond or escrow account is in place and will remain effective until the transferee obtains new coverage; and
- All required reports have been filed.

Print name: Frank S. Peasley

Title *(if corporate applicant)*: Owner

Transferor's Signature:  Date: 3/8/23

Print name: N/A

Title *(if corporate applicant)*: \_\_\_\_\_

Transferor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**11. TRANSFEREE'S STATEMENT** (if multiple transferees, provide additional completed signature pages as necessary)

By signing this application, the UNDERSIGNED TRANSFEREE hereby states that they have read and understand the requirements of the Department's statutes and rules governing aquaculture and the transfer application instructions. The undersigned transferee hereby certifies that:

- The information in this application is true and correct;
- I understand that I am bound by the requirements of Maine law and DMR's statutes and rules governing aquaculture;
- I understand that I am assuming the existing lease, including any conditions; and
- Upon approval of the transfer by DMR I will either open an escrow account or obtain a performance bond, as required by DMR.

Print name: Kristen Greer

Title (if corporate applicant): OWNER

Transferee's Signature: Kristen Greer Date: 3/8/23

Print name: Joe Tapley

Title (if corporate applicant): OWNER

Transferee's Signature: Joseph A Tapley Date: 3/8/23