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Date: November 29, 2022

To: Town of South Bristol Municipal Officials and Cecil Burnham, Harbormaster
Lease applicant
ME IF&W, and DACF
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From: Department of Marine Resources (DMR) Aquaculture Division

Re: Notice of Completed Aquaculture Renewal and Expansion Application

The Department of Marine Resources (DMR) has received a renewal and expansion application for the lease site listed below.

Name of lease holder: Johns River Shellfish, LLC

Lease ID: JOHN NB3

Requested renewal term: 20 years

Acreage of proposed expansion: .69

Location: Johns River, South Bristol

Comment Period: DMR announces a 30-day public comment period during which interested persons may submit written comments about the renewal and expansion request. Interested persons may also request a public hearing on the renewal application. A hearing on the renewal request is optional unless DMR receives five or more written requests from interested persons during the comment period. Please submit written comments or hearing requests to DMR by mail or email to the address below **no later than 4:00 p.m. on December 31, 2022.**

View the Applications: A copy of the renewal and expansion application is available on DMR's aquaculture webpage under Maine Aquaculture Leases and LPAs, Pending Lease Applications.

Contact DMR: Questions about the lease expansion or renewal process may be sent to DMR using the contact information below.

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RELEVANT AUTHORITY: 12 MRSA §6072 12& (12-C) and DMR Rules Chapters 2.45 and 2.61.