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December 16, 2025

Angie Porter, Town Clerk
217 Main Street
Stockton Springs, ME 04981

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

Dear Ms. Porter:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the following request(s). New requests in **BOLD**. The following area includes softshell clam.

Shellfish Area	Effective	End Date	Status
Mill Cove/Mill Pond – South and east of a line beginning at the north end of the Cape Jellison Road bridge; running southwest to a (Department of Marine Resources) red painted post located on a prominent unnamed point of land southwest of the Cape Jellison Road bridge. This closure includes the Mill Pond.	1/1/2026	4/1/2027	Closed

This office approves of the Town of Stockton Springs'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,

Ben Wahle,
Nearshore Marine Resources Program Supervisor

cc: Lt. Troy Dow, Marine Patrol Division II - Lamoine
Hannah Annis, Marine Scientist