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Tanya Blodgett, Administrative Assistant  
P.O. Box J  
Waldoboro, ME 04572

Re: 2026 Allocation Approval- Waldoboro

Dear Ms. Blodgett:

We have reviewed the proposed shellfish license allocations for 2026, and hereby approve them as follows:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Subclass</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Cost</i>
Commercial	Resident	126	\$276.50
Commercial	Nonresident	16	\$414.75
Commercial	Junior/Student Resident	20	\$50.00
Commercial	Junior/Student Non-Resident	2	\$100.00
Recreational	Resident	No Limit Set	\$25.00
Recreational	Nonresident	10%	\$50.00

The required 10% rule for issuing non-resident licenses is a minimum requirement and the town may choose to issue more than 10% if desired. No less than 10% of the total number of resident recreational licenses sold last year must be made available to qualifying non-residents on the first day of recreational license sales.

Licenses may be issued starting on July 6, 2026, following a minimum of 10 days advertising pursuant to Title 12. §6671 3-A. C. For categories of licenses which have limited numbers for both residents and non-residents: after October 4, 2026, any unsold licenses must be made available without regard to residency (Title 12. §6671 3-A. C.) for the original allocated fee (DMR Chapter 7.40 (1)).

Sincerely,

Benjamin Wahle  
Nearshore Marine Resources Program Supervisor

Cc: Katie Miller, Marine Resource Scientist