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Heidi-Noel Grindle, Town Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Ellsworth, ME 04605

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

Dear Ms. Grindle:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the following request(s). New requests in **BOLD**.

The following areas are closed to the harvest of all species.

Effective	End Date	Shellfish Area	Status
4/1/2017	Indefinite	<u>Trenton Seaplane Ramp</u> : Area within the following Bounds: Beginning at the high-water mark on the south side of the Trenton Seaplane Ramp and running along its southerly edge to the extreme low water mark, thence in a straight line to Trap Rock (so called), thence in a straight line to the south edge of the north abutment of the Trenton Bridge where water flows beneath the bridge, and then following along the high water mark of the bridge fill and shoreline to the point of beginning.	Closed
10/1/2019 10/1/2020	7/31/2020 7/31/2021	<u>The Gonk(Bass Cv), Sullivan</u>: Northwest of a line beginning at an orange-painted rock at the end of Edgewood Lane (approximate position N44.49619 / W68.16134) and extending northeast to another orange painted rock at the end of the Sullivan Town Landing Road. (approximate position N44.499403 / W68.153065)	Closed
2/1/2020	6/30/2020	<u>Raccoon Cove- Area B, Lamoine</u>- Westerly of the following boundary line: beginning at a painted post at the high-watermark on the south side of Marlboro Beach, so called; thence in a straight line to a painted post at the northern tip of Timber Point so called.	Closed
2/1/2020	6/30/2020	<u>Jordan River- Area A, Trenton</u>- Northerly and westerly of the following bounds: beginning at the high-water mark on the north side of the Trenton Seaplane Ramp and running along its northerly edge to extreme low water mark; thence in a straight line toward a painted post at high water mark on the tip of Old Point; in the town of Lamoine, to the middle of the channel of Jordan River; thence running northerly by middle of said Jordan River channel to extreme low water mark at said channel, thence following the main brook channel northerly across the mud flats to where Long Creek (so called) enters said main brook channel; thence following the channel of Long Creek to high water mark.	Closed
4/1/2020	11/30/2020	<u>Falls Point, Sullivan</u>: inside of a line beginning at an orange-painted post located at the end of Benvenuto Ave; then extending	Closed

		west to the east tip of Falls Point.	
4/1/2020	11/30/2020	<u>El's Cove Lamoine</u> ; inside an orange -painted post located on the northeast tip of Mosely Point, then extending northeast to an orange-painted post located on the south tip of Young's Point (Garbo Lobster Pound), then extending southwest to an orange painted post on the north shore of, Thad's Cove, so called	Closed
4/1/2020	11/30/2020	<u>Taunton River, Hancock</u> - Inside of a line beginning at an orange-painted post located at the end of Cemetery Road, then extending southeast to the south side of the Hancock-Sullivan bridge.	Closed
5/1/2020	11/30/2020	<u>Carrying Place</u> - (Hancock) North of the US Route 1 bridge; and southwest of line beginning on the shore at the northern tip of Havey Point Running southeast to the northern tip of Cedar Point.	Closed
5/31/2019	5/31/2021	<u>Moon Ledge</u> - West of a line beginning at the most south easterly point of McNeil Point Hancock, then easterly to a spire/radar reflector, then northerly to the green can east of Moon Ledge itself, then ending at the most south easterly point of Ferry Point.	Closed
5/31/2019	11/30/2021	<u>Ingall's Island Winter</u> - The area east of Ingall's Island contained between a north boundary line drawn between a red post on the northerly end of Ingall's Island to a red post on an un-named point on the mainland just north of the Ingall's Island bar. A southern boundary line drawn between a red post on the southern end of Ingall's Island and the south end of a long pier situated on the mainland a short distance south of Ingall's Island bar following the south side of the pier.	Closed
5/31/2019	10/1/2020	<u>Long Cove</u> - The area east of a line drawn from the east most corner of the Sullivan town landing ramp to an orange painted post on the westerly most point of Waukeag Neck, Sorrento.	Closed
12/1/2020	Indefinite		Closed
7/1/2020	11/30/2020	<u>Raccoon Cove- Area A, Lamoine</u> -The area between an inner boundary line beginning at a painted post at the high-water mark on the south side of Marlboro Beach, so called; thence in a straight line to a painted post at the northern tip of Timber Point so called; and an outer boundary line beginning at a painted post at the high-water mark at the southern tip of Old Point, so called; thence in a straight line to a painted post at the high water mark on the northern tip of Meadow Point, so called.	Closed
5/1/2020	11/30/2020	<u>Berry Cove, Lamoine</u> : north of a line beginning at an orange painted post located at the tip of Old Point, then extending east to an orange painted post located at the end of Gilpatrick Lane.	Closed
4/1/2020	9/30/2020	<u>Jordan River-Area B, Lamoine</u> - Northerly and easterly of the following bounds: Beginning at a painted post at the high water mark on the tip of Old Point in the town of Lamoine; thence in a straight line toward the north edge of the Trenton Seaplane Ramp at extreme low water to the middle of Jordan River channel; thence running northerly by middle of said Jordan River channel to extreme low watermark at said channel; thence following the main brook channel northerly across the mud flats to where Long Creek (so called) enters said main brook channel; thence following the channel of Long Creek to high water mark.	Closed
8/1/2019	5/31/2021	<u>Ingall's Island Summer</u> All the flats north, west and south of Ingall's Island inside a line beginning at a red post on the southern end of Ingall's Island, then running east to the southwestern end of a long pier on the mainland of Sorrento. Then running southwest to the south side of a rocky bar, continuing southwest to another rocky bar. Then north to the extreme western end of a long bar connected to the west side of Ingall's Island. Then running north to a red navigational beacon, then east to a red post on a small point on the Sorrento mainland just north of the Ingall's Island bar. Then west to a red post on the north end of Ingall's Island.	Closed

8/1/2019	7/1/2020	West Brook - North of a line beginning at a red painted post on the southernmost tip of the un-named point on the eastern shore of the cove into which West Brook enters Taunton Bay, running west to a red painted post on the western shore of the cove.	Closed
8/1/2020	3/31/2021		
8/1/2019	6/30/2021	Young's Bay -The Entire area of Young's Bay north of the line beginning at the southeastern point of Hyde Point, Hancock to the southern point of Young's Point (Garbo Lobster) Hancock	Closed
8/1/2019	7/1/2020	Dwelley Point - North of a line beginning at the southernmost tip of Dwelley Point, running west to the southernmost tip of Julius Darling Point.	Closed
8/1/2020	3/31/2021		

This office approves of the Frenchman Bay Regional Shellfish Programs 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,



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Shellfish Program Supervisor

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