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Date: September 19, 2023

To: Town of Chebeague Island, Municipal Officials, and Genaro Balzano, Harbormaster
Lease applicant
ME IF&W, and DACF
GovDelivery Aquaculture List

From: Department of Marine Resources (DMR) Aquaculture Division

Re: Notice of Completed Aquaculture Applications and Comment Periods

The DMR has received two completed lease applications from the following applicants listed below:

Name of Applicant: John Jordan

Lease Type: Experimental
Culture Type: Suspended
Species: Marine algae
Size and Term: 3.98 acres, 3 Years
Location: Casco Bay, Chebeague Island

Name of Applicant: John Jordan, Junior

Lease Type: Experimental
Culture Type: Suspended
Species: Marine algae
Size and Term: 4 acres, 3 Years
Location: Casco Bay, Chebeague Island

Comment Period: DMR announces a **30-day public comment period** during which interested persons may submit written comments or request a public hearing on the applications. A hearing is optional unless DMR receives five or more written requests from interested persons during the comment period. For reference, the applications are available on DMR's website. Please specify which application the comment(s) or request(s) apply to (i.e. John Jordan or John Jordan, Jr.). Written comments or hearing requests need to be submitted by mail or email to the address provided below **no later than 4:00 p.m. on October 21, 2023.**

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View the Applications: Please visit DMR's Aquaculture webpage. Applications are available under 'Maine Aquaculture Leases and LPAs.'

CONTACT THE APPLICANTS: Please contact the applicants with any questions regarding their proposals. Contact information for the applicants can be found in their applications.

Relevant Authority: 12 MRSA 6072-A (5) and DMR Rules Chapter 2.64.