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> PATRICK C. KELIHER COMMISSIONER

February 12, 2024

Fran Smith, Town Clerk 85 Union St. Brunswick, ME 04011-1583

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

Dear Ms. Smith:

This is to acknowledge the following conservation closure/opening request(s). New requests are in **Bold.**

Effective	End Date	Shellfish Area	Status
3/1/2024	1/1/2025	Sunday closure: All intertidal areas in Brunswick shall be closed to the harvest of all shellfish on Sundays.	Closed
6/20/2022	Indefinite	Lower Harpswell Cove: Inside and easterly of a red painted post located approximately 150 yards off the end of Osprey Lane, (Tax Map 34 Lot 17E) running south easterly approximately 1900 yards to the west side of Princess Point, (Tax Map 35 Lot 12).	Closed to harvest of quahogs
12/1/2023	3/1/2024	Winter Quahog Closure: All the flats and coves in the town of Brunswick – closed to the harvesting of quahogs	Closed to harvest of quahogs

This office approves of the Town of Brunswick'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,

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Meredith White Nearshore Marine Resources Program Supervisor

cc: Daniel White, Marine Patrol Division I - Boothbay Ari Leach, Marine Resource Scientist II