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PATRICK C. KELIHER
COMMISSIONER

April 22, 2024

Suzette Francis, Town Clerk 40 School St Lubec, ME 04652

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

Dear Ms. Francis:

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

Effective	End Date	Shellfish Area	Status
5/1/2024	Indefinite	<u>Pirates Creek:</u> From the abandoned car on an unnamed point of Sewards Neck (northeast of Pirates Creek) south to Hannah Miller Point to the adjacent subtidal.	Closed
10/1/2023	6/21/2024	Mowry Beach: Starting at a red post at the base of the staircase at the shoreline adjacent to Easy Street, running south to a red post 300 meters north of Woodward Point, east through the Spark Plug to the Canadian border, north to meet the Narrows State Pollution Closure (ET, P2).	Closed
11/1/2023	4/1/2024	South Bay: All of South Bay south of a line from Denbow Point to Gove Point EXCEPT for the following: Huckins/Percy – west of a line from the northern point of Huckins Beach to Edgecomb Point Federal Harbor – west of a line running from Black Head to an unknown point on the north side of the Federal Harbor opening.	Closed
6/29/2022	Indefinite	Minzey Place – South and west of a line beginning at a red painted post on the southeast tip of West Quoddy Bar, running southeast to the shore approximately 600 yards east of the intersection of the West Quoddy Head Road and Carryingplace Road. (covers State Pollution Closure ES, R1)	Closed
6/29/2022	Indefinite	Johnson Bay and Lubec Narrows – South and east of a line beginning at the northern tip of Diamond Point, then running northeast to the northern tip of Popes Folly; AND south of a line beginning at the northern tip of	Closed

Popes Folly then running east to the US/Canadian	
Border; AND west of a line following the US/Canadian	
Border south to a point east of Mowery Point; AND	
north of a line beginning at a point on the US/Canadian	
border east of Mowery Point then running west to the	
eastern tip of Mowery Point. (covers State Pollution	
Closure ET, P2)	

This office approves of the Town of Lubec 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,

Meredith White

Nearshore Marine Resources Program Supervisor

cc: Lt. Troy Dow, Marine Patrol Division II – Lamoine

Heidi Leighton