

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries

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April 7, 2025

The Honorable Mayor of Revere 281 Broadway City Hall Revere, MA 02151 Town of Saugus Selectboard 298 Central Street Town Hall Saugus, MA 01906

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 130, Section 74A, the shellfish growing area N26.4, classified as CONDITIONALLY RESTRICTED in the City of Revere and the Town of Saugus is "Closed to Shellfishing" due to excessive rain effective as of 9:00 a.m. Monday, April 7, 2025.

Under authority of Chapter 130, Sections 74A and 75, the below defined area is closed to the taking of all shellfish except scallops harvested for the adductor muscle only. All permits issued under authority of 322 CMR 7.01 and 7.02 are hereby conditioned in accordance with 322 CMR 7.01 (7) to prohibit digging, harvesting or collecting and/or attempting to dig, harvest or collect shellfish and the possession or sale of shellfish from the below defined area.

CLASSIFICATION: CONDITIONALLY RESTRICTED
Status: Closed to Shellfishing
Except for harvest of scallops for adductor muscle only

## N26.4

## **Seaplane Basin**

"The waters and flats of that section of the upper reaches of the Pines River known as 'Seaplane Basin' situated east of US Route 1 and south of Town Line Brook in the City of Revere."

On Monday, April 14, 2025, at sunrise, this area will revert to an open status unless prior notification by the Division indicates the closure must be extended. Harvest within this Conditionally Restricted shellfish growing area is subject to the limitations of its classification, Conditional Area Management Plan, and predetermined harvest schedule.

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKiernan, Director MA Division of Marine Fisheries

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