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July 14, 2025

Town of Hull Select Board
Town Hall
Hull, MA 02045

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 130, Section 74A of the Massachusetts General Laws, the Division of Marine Fisheries has determined that the below-defined shellfish classification area Eaton's "A" Flat (GBH7.2) in the Town of Hull, shall be closed to the harvest of shellfish in response to a sanitary sewer overflow event in the Town of Hull ending on July 11, 2025. As a result, the status of GBH7.2 has been changed to "Closed to Shellfishing" effective as of 12:30 p.m. Monday, July 14, 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

GBH7.2
Eaton's "A" Flat

"The intertidal waters and flats to extreme low water of the Weir River in the town of Hull from the public landing by #97 Hampton Circle on the northwest side of Hampton Hill to the west end of the Nantasket Steamboat Wharf."

The preceding shellfish growing area shall remain in the "Closed to Shellfishing" status until Saturday, August 2, 2025, at sunrise, at a minimum, and the status will not automatically revert to "Open to Shellfishing" until examined by the Division and notification is made that the area has been placed in the open status.

Sincerely,



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