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## NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION NUMBER 002-001, MONROE BAY AND VICINITY

## **EFFECTIVE 15 JUNE 2023**

Pursuant to Title 28.2, Chapter 8, §§ 28.2-803 through 28.2-808, § 32.1-20, and § 2.2-4002, B.16 of the Code of Virginia.

- 1. The "Notice and Description of Shellfish Area Condemnation Number 002-001, Monroe Bay and Vicinity," effective 15 May 2022, is cancelled effective 15 June 2023.
- 2. Condemned Shellfish Area Number 002-001, shown as Sections A through D, is hereby established effective 15 June 2023. As to Sections A and B; it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from these areas for any purpose, except by permit granted by the Marine Resources Commission, as provided in § 28.2-810 of the Code of Virginia. As to Sections C and D; it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from these areas for any purpose. The boundaries of these areas are shown on the map titled "Monroe Bay and Vicinity, Condemned Shellfish Area Number 002-001, 15 June 2023" which is part of this notice.
- 3. Seasonally Condemned Shellfish Area Number 002-001, shown as Section M1 is hereby established effective 15 June 2023, and shall remain in force annually thereafter for the period beginning the first day of April through the last day of October until rescinded. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to take shellfish from this area during such period for any purpose, except by permit granted by the Marine Resources Commission, as provided in § 28.2-810 of the Code of Virginia. The boundaries of this area are shown on the map titled "Monroe Bay and Vicinity, Condemned Shellfish Area Number 002-001, 15 June 2023" which is part of this notice.
- 4. The Department of Health will receive, consider and respond to petitions by any interested person at any time with respect to reconsideration or revision of this order.

## **BOUNDARIES OF CONDEMNED AREA NUMBER 002-001**

A. The condemned area shall include that portion of the Potomac River and all of Monroe Bay inland and upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (38°13'35.2",-76°58'01.7"), map coordinate (38°13'41.9",-76°57'37.5"), and map coordinate (38°13'50.6",-76°57'41.0"); but excludes the areas defined as Sections C and D.



- B. The condemned area shall include that portion of Mattox Creek and its tributaries inland and upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (38°12'20.4", -76°58'11.9") and map coordinate (38°12'41.9", -76°57'48.6").
- C. The condemned area shall include that portion of Monroe Creek inland of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (38°14'30.2",-76°58'14.7"), map coordinate (38°14'27.8",-76°58'10.2").
- D. The condemned area shall include that portion of Monroe Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (38°14'54.1", -76°58'11.7") and map coordinate (38°14'53.9", -76°57'56.9").
- M1. The seasonally condemned area shall include that portion of the Potomac River and Monroe Bay inland of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (38°13'26.8",-76°57'59.3"), map coordinate (38°13'33.7",-76°57'34.2") map coordinate (38°13'41.9",-76°57'37.5") and map coordinate (38°13'35.2",-76°58'01.7").

Recommended by:

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Ordered by:

Julie Henderson

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Director, Uffice of Environmental Health Services

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