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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
DIVISION OF SHELLFISH SAFETY**

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**NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION  
NUMBER 013-220, LOWER GREAT WICOMICO RIVER**

**EFFECTIVE 15 MAY 2022**

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 013-220, Lower Great Wicomico River," effective 15 April 2021, is cancelled effective 15 May 2022.
2. Condemned Shellfish Area Number 013-220, shown as Sections A through F, is hereby established effective 15 May 2022. 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. The boundaries of these areas are shown on the map titled "Lower Great Wicomico River, Condemned Shellfish Number 013-220, 15 May 2022" which is part of this notice.
3. 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 013-220**

- A. The condemned area shall include that portion of Warehouse Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°50'53.1", -76°19'03.0") and map coordinate (37°50'52.2", -76°19'03.0").
- B. The condemned area shall include that portion of Whays Creek upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°50'34.9", -76°18'35.7") and map coordinate (37°50'34.3", -76°18'32.6").
- C. The condemned area shall include that portion of Reason Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°50'06.5", -76°17'35.9") and map coordinate (37°50'05.9", -76°17'33.7").
- D. The condemned area shall include that portion of the Great Wicomico River inland of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°49'14.1", -76°18'24.6"), map coordinate (37°49'13.4", -76°18'22.9"), map coordinate (37°49'08.6", -76°18'26.2") and map coordinate (37°49'09.6", -76°18'28.2").

- E. The condemned area shall include all of Penny Creek upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°50'21.8", -76°19'45.9") and map coordinate (37°50'20.7", -76°19'45.6").
- F. The condemned area shall include that portion of Bailey Prong of Cranes Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°48'51.8", -76°19'38.0") and map coordinate (37°48'48.8", -76°19'34.3").

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Director, Office of Environmental Health Services

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Date

**Virginia Department of Health  
Lower Great Wicomico River  
Condemned Shellfish Area Number 013-220  
15 May 2022**

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Feet



**Section A**

Warehouse Cr  
02-08-00

(37°50'53.1", -76°19'03.0")  
(37°50'52.2", -76°19'03.0")

**Section B**

Whays Cr  
02-06-00

(37°50'34.9", -76°18'35.7") (37°50'34.3", -76°18'32.6")

**Northumberland County**

Reason Cr  
02-04-00

**Section E**

Penny Cr  
02-07-00

(37°50'21.8", -76°19'45.9")  
(37°50'20.7", -76°19'45.6")

**Sect. C**

(37°50'06.5", -76°17'35.9")  
(37°50'05.9", -76°17'33.7")

**Great Wicomico River  
02-00-00**

**Northumberland County**

**Section D**

(37°49'14.1", -76°18'24.6")  
(37°49'13.4", -76°18'22.9")  
(37°49'08.6", -76°18'26.2")  
(37°49'09.6", -76°18'28.2")

Cranes Cr  
02-01-00

**Section F**

Bailey Prong

(37°48'51.8", -76°19'38.0")  
(37°48'48.8", -76°19'34.3")



**Condemned Shellfish Areas  
(Sections A - F)**

Geographic coordinates in NAD83 datum;  
shown in degrees, minutes & seconds.