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## NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION NUMBER 054-215, HARRIS RIVER, LONG AND GRUNLAND CREEKS

## **EFFECTIVE 15 NOVEMBER 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 054-215, Harris River, Long and Grunland Creeks" effective 15 November 2022, is cancelled effective 15 November 2023.
- 2. Condemned Shellfish Area Number 054-215, shown as Sections A through D is hereby established effective 15 November 2023. As to Sections A, B and C, 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 Section D, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from this area for any purpose. The boundaries of these areas are shown on the map titled "Harris River, Long and Grunland Creeks, Condemned Shellfish Area Number 054-215, 15 November 2023" which is part of this notice.
- 3. Seasonally Condemned Shellfish Area Number 054-215, shown as Section M1, is hereby established effective 15 November 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in force annually thereafter for the period beginning the first day of April through the last day of October until rescinded.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 these areas 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 these areas are shown on the map titled "Harris River, Long and Grunland Creeks, Condemned Shellfish Area Number 054-215, 15 November 2023" which is part of this notice.
- 5. 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 054-215**

A. The condemned area shall include that portion of Harris River and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°05'19.9",-76°18'28.2") and map coordinate (37°05'19.2",-76°18'15.7").



- B. The condemned area shall include that portion of Back River inland of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°05'37.4",-76°18'23.9"), map coordinate (37°05'56.6",-76°17'41.4") and map coordinate (37°05'56.4",-76°17'32.1"); but excludes the areas defined as Section D.
- C. The condemned area shall include all of Grunland and Long Creeks upstream and inland of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°05'49.7",-76°17'06.6") and map coordinate (37°05'54.1",-76°17'03.6") as well as upstream and inland of a second line drawn between map coordinate (37°03'50.7",-76°17'07.2") and map coordinate (37°03'51.2",-76°17'06.9").
- D. The condemned area shall include that portion of Wallace Creek upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°05'37.6",-76°17'26.5") and map coordinate (37°05'38.4",-76°17'23.0").
- M1. The seasonally condemned area shall include that portion of Harris River inland of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°05'41.7",-76°18'46.9"), map coordinate (37°05'39.6",-76°18'35.5"), and map coordinate (37°05'24.9",-76°18'37.0").

Recommended by:

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Director, Division of Shellfish Safety

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Ordered by:

11/8/2023 | 10:28:32 AM EST

Director, Office of Environmental Health Services

Date

