

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES MARINE RESOURCES LABORATORY P.O. BOX 8, 194 MCKOWN POINT RD W. BOOTHBAY HARBOR, MAINE 04575-0008

> PATRICK C. KELIHER COMMISSIONER

March 22, 2024

Corinne Michaud, CCM/Registrar Town of Warren 167 Western Road Warren, ME 04864

Re: Transplant Permit

Dear Ms. Michaud:

This letter is in response to the request to transplant seed clams as follows:

Start	Stop	Source	Destination	Supervisor	Approved
4/3/2024	4/8/2024	Downeast Institute	Potato Patch, South	David Taylor	
09:00 AM	05:00 PM	(DEI), Beals Island	Thomaston		

Note: Areas seeded with shellfish taken from Restricted (Closed) areas must be closed for a period of at least 60 days. Areas seeded with shellfish taken from Prohibited (Closed) areas must be closed for a period of at least 6 months. This applies to any transplant listed above where 'Approved' is NOT checked.

This letter will serve as permission for the above activity provided that the listed Supervisor contacts, 24 hours before the start of the activity, the Municipal Shellfish Warden, the Marine Patrol Officer responsible for this area and the Marine Patrol Division I Office at 633-9595. You may call the Division I Office in advance to determine who will be the local officer on duty and obtain direct contact information.

If DMR can be of further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact me or your marine scientist, Hannah Annis at (207) 949-4498.

Sincerely,

Meredith White, Nearshore Marine Resources Program Supervisor

cc: Hannah Annis, Marine Scientist Lt. Daniel White, Marine Patrol Division I