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# SHELLFISH GROWING AREA CLASSIFICATIONS FOR MADISON, CONNECTICUT

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# **PROHIBITED**

East River, Madison: All waters and tributaries of the East River north of the Route 1 bridge.

Neck River/Bailey Creek, Madison: All waters and tributaries of the Neck River east of Boulder Lane.

Fence Creek, Madison: All waters and tributaries of Fence Creek, north of the Route 1 bridge.

Tom's Creek, Madison: All waters and tributaries of Tom's Creek.

Hammonasset River, Clinton: That area of the Hammonasset River and its tributaries north of the Route 1 bridge.

### RESTRICTED

AREA D Restricted: That area bounded on the west by a line commencing from the southern extremity of the point of land located 1,200 feet west of Hogshead Point at the Guilford-Madison town boundary line extending south to navigational bell buoy R "4", thence west to the Guilford-Madison town boundary line and then south to the CT/NY Mid-Long Island Sound Boundary Line and bounded on the east at the southern extremity of land at Chipman Point at the end of Twin Coves Road.

<u>East River-Neck River, Madison</u>: All waters and tributaries of the East and Neck Rivers east of the Guilford-Madison Town boundary line, extending north to the Route 1 bridge in the East River and in the Neck River north to its intersection at Boulder Lane.

<u>Hammonasset River/Clinton Harbor, Madison/Clinton:</u> That area of Clinton Harbor, including portions of the Hammonasset River extending from a line drawn beginning at the shore and extending along the westernmost breakwater at Cedar Island Marina to the midline of Clinton Harbor, thence easterly along the midline of Clinton Harbor to the entrance to Clinton Harbor, thence westerly to the easternmost point of land on Cedar Island, thence along the northern shore of Cedar Island, continuing northerly along the western shore of the Hammonasset River to the Route 1 bridge,

thence easterly to the Clinton shore, thence southerly along the eastern shore of the Hammonasset River, thence along the northern shore of Clinton Harbor, thence easterly to the westernmost breakwater at Cedar Island Marina, exclusive of Prohibited areas.

<u>Fence Creek/East Wharf:</u> All tidal waters and tributaries of Fence Creek north of a line commencing from the eastern extremity of the pier at East Wharf, south-southeast to the shellfish demarcation buoy at the clump of rocks located 1,000 feet south of the mouth of Fence Creek, thence north-northeast to the shellfish demarcation sign on Seaview Beach at the intersection of Seaview Avenue and Grove Avenue, exclusive of Prohibited areas.

<u>Madison Restricted East:</u> All waters and coastal areas of Madison enclosed by a line commencing at the shellfish demarcation sign located at the end of Neptune Avenue, south to the New York-Connecticut Mid-Long Island Sound state boundary line, thence northeasterly along that New York -Connecticut state boundary line to the Clinton-Madison town boundary line, thence north along that Clinton-Madison town boundary line to West Rock, thence continuing northwest along the Clinton-Madison town boundary line to the point of land east of Hammonasset Point.

# CONDITIONALLY APPROVED SEASONAL

<u>Area C/ West Wharf Anchorage Area:</u> All tidal waters in Madison enclosed by a line commencing from the southeastern extremity of the stone pier at West Wharf off West Wharf Road east exclusive of the Restricted Relay and Prohibited Areas to the southern extremity of the stone pier at the Madison Beach Club at the intersection of Island Avenue and Middle Beach Road, thence easterly along the shoreline to the intersection of Middle Beach Road and Park Avenue, thence south to the eastern extremity of Gull Rock, thence southwesterly to the eastern extremity of Tuxis Island, thence northwesterly along the northern shore of Tuxis Island to its western extremity, thence northwesterly to its point of origin. This Conditionally Approved area shall be closed seasonally between June 1-September 30.

<u>Outer Clinton Harbor Clinton/Madison</u>: That portion of Outer Clinton Harbor under Madison jurisdiction beginning at the demarcation sign located at the southern end of the Clinton Town Beach and extending southerly along the shore to Hammock Point, thence southeasterly to Kelsey Point, thence westerly to Hammonasset Point, thence northerly along Hammonasset marsh, thence easterly along the south shore of Cedar Island to the easternmost point of land on Cedar Island, thence easterly to the demarcation sign located at the southern end of the Clinton Town Beach, exclusive of Prohibited and Restricted areas.

## **APPROVED**

<u>Madison Approved Area:</u> That area bounded on the east by a line commencing at the southern extremity of land at the flagpole at the end of Neptune Avenue, Madison extending south to the New York-Connecticut Mid-Long Island Sound boundary line, thence along that boundary to the Guilford-Madison jurisdiction line, thence northerly to shore at the southern extremity of land at Chipman Point at the end of Twin Coves Road, exclusive of Area C Conditionally Approved Seasonal and the Fence Creek Restricted area