CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE



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CLASSIFICATION OF SHELLFISH GROWING WATERS MILFORD, CONNECTICUT

Effective 12/30/19

PROHIBITED:

<u>Milford Harbor</u>: All waters of Milford Harbor, Wepawaug River, Gulf Pond, and Indian River north of a line extending from the southwestern part of Burns Point (end of breakwater) easterly to lighted beacon "10" at the entrance of Milford Harbor, exclusive of the Gulf Pond South.

<u>Calf Pen Creek</u>: The tidal waters and flats of Calf Pen Creek, Milford to its mouth, thence 528 feet westerly along Bayview Beach, thence 1406 feet southeasterly, thence 1523 feet northeasterly to the shore, thence westerly 940 feet to the mouth of Calf Pen Creek.

<u>Housatonic River</u>: That area north of a line from the lighthouse at Stratford Point, Stratford, extending northeast to lighted beacon "2A" on the outer breakwater, thence northwesterly to the southwestern most part of Milford Point, Milford.

Oyster River: All waters north of the bridge crossing the Oyster River on New Haven Avenue.

<u>Dumping Ground</u>: The dumping ground and that area 1,000 feet around the dumping ground that is located approximately four (4) miles southeast of the Housatonic River breakwater.

RESTRICTED:

<u>Gulf Pond South</u>: All waters south and west of the Buckingham Avenue Bridge extending southwestern to the Gulf Street Bridge.

<u>Milford Restricted West</u>: All waters west of a line extending from the demarcation sign located at Cedar Beach (intersection of Milford Point Road and Seaview Avenue) extending to the southwestern corner of L-313, thence easterly along the southern boundary of L-313, thence northeasterly along the western boundary of L-393 to the northeast corner of L-313, thence southeasterly to the northwest corner of L-376W, thence south along the eastern border of L-690 and L-691 to the southeast corner of L-691, thence southeasterly to the southwest corner of L-507, thence south thence on a southeasterly bearing to the Milford-West Haven jurisdiction line to 41 06.610N 72 59.190W, thence southerly to the intersection of the Milford-West Haven jurisdiction line and the Connecticut-New York State boundary line, thence westerly along this boundary line to the intersection of the Milford-Stratford town line to the intersection of the shellfish classification line at the Stratford Point Light which extends to lighted beacon "2A", exclusive of Prohibited areas.

<u>Milford Gulf</u>: The tidal waters and flats of the Gulf, north of and enclosed by a line extending along the Charles Island Bar from the mainland to the southern extremity of Charles Island, thence in a northeasterly direction to the southern extremity of Welches Point, Milford.

<u>Merwin Beach-Oyster River</u>: All waters north of a line extending from the point of land at Morningside along the Town jurisdiction line to the western border of shellfish lot 601W, thence southeasterly to the southwest corner of lot 601W, thence northeasterly to the West Haven Town line, exclusive of the "Prohibited" area of the Oyster River.

CONDITIONALLY APPROVED:

South West Milford: The South West Milford Conditionally Approved area includes commercial lot L-507 in its entirety.

<u>Milford West Shore</u>: All waters extending from the Cedar Beach Demarcation Sign (41 10.740N 73 05.770W) south to the southwest corner of L-313, easterly along the southern border of L-313, thence northerly to the northeast corner of L-313 continuing along the northern border of L-393 to the northeast corner of L-376W, thence southerly to the southwest corner of L-498, extending easterly along the southern border of L-498, thence northerly to the northeast corner of L-349 E, thence continuing northeast along the state-town jurisdiction line to the southernmost point of land on Charles Island, thence north to the demarcation sign at Silver Sands Beach, thence southeasterly along the western shore of Milford to the demarcation sign at Cedar Beach.

APPROVED AREAS:

Those waters within the Milford town boundary lines, exclusive of those areas classified as Prohibited, Restricted, Conditionally Restricted or Conditionally Approved.