

MUNICIPALITY: _____ DATE: _____

ANNUAL SHELLFISH MANAGEMENT REVIEW
For the period
January 1, ____ - December 31, ____

The Shellfish Conservation Committee needs to submit the following information in partial fulfillment of the town's responsibilities as outlined in chapter 7 of the DMR Regulations and the Town's shellfish ordinance.

Statement of Management Goals and Implementation Actions

The goals of shellfish management for this municipality have been: (Please check one box in each pair)

1	Provide a harvesting opportunity for the maximum number of participants Maximize individual harvest by minimizing the number of participants
2	Increase the clam resources through various enhancement activities Maintain a sustainable yield through the vigorous use of production controls
3	Provide for recreational harvesting in preference to commercial harvesting Provide for commercial harvesting in preference to recreational harvesting
4	Maximize the economic value of the resource by adjusting production Maintain a constant production to provide a steady but variable income

The following management controls were utilized: (check all that apply)

Limit the number of commercial harvesters
Limit the number of recreational harvesters
Restrict the times of harvest
Restrict the areas of harvest
Limit the amount of commercial harvest
Limit the amount of recreational harvest
Other _____

The following management activities were undertaken: (check all that apply)

Predator protection through fencing, netting, trapping and etc.
Reseeding from high density areas or seeding with hatchery stock
Flat surveys to determine size distribution and density
Harvester surveys to obtain catch and effort data
Enhance natural seeding through brushing, roughing and etc.
Establishing conservation areas for flat rotation
Other _____

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Shellfish Conservation Budget

License Receipts	Allocation	Sold	Received
Commercial			\$
Resident			\$
Nonresident			\$
Senior Resident			\$
Senior Nonresident			\$
Junior/Student Resident			\$
Junior/Student Nonresident			\$
Other			\$
Recreational			
Resident			\$
Nonresident			\$
Daily/Weekly/Monthly Resident			\$
Daily/Weekly/Monthly Nonresident			\$
Senior Resident			\$
Senior Nonresident			\$
Junior/Student Resident			\$
Junior/Student Nonresident			\$
Other			\$
SUBTOTAL (1)			\$
Receipts Independent of License fees			
Shellfish Conservation Account Carried forward			\$
Funds Raised for Warden			\$
Funds Raised for Management Activities			\$
Fines			\$
Other			\$
SUBTOTAL (2)			\$
TOTAL RECEIPTS (1+2)			\$
Disbursements			
Warden salary			\$
Mileage			\$
Clothing			\$
Equipment			\$
Training			\$
SUBTOTAL (3)			\$
Advertising			\$
Supplies			\$
Surveys			\$
Seeding			\$
Miscellaneous			\$
SUBTOTAL (4)			\$
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS (3+4)			\$

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Summary of Transplant Activities

No seeding/reseeding activities were conducted

The following seeding/reseeding activities were conducted during the Review year

	Event 1	Event 2	Event 3	Event 4
Date (m/d)				
Supervisor				
Crew #				
Amount				
Mean size (in.)				
Size range (in.)				
Source Hatchery				
Source Flat				
Receiving Flat				
Flat Prep (y/n)				
Netted? (y/n)				
Closed until?				

	Event 5	Event 6	Event 7	Event 8
Date (m/d)				
Supervisor				
Crew #				
Amount				
Mean size (in.)				
Size range (in.)				
Source Hatchery				
Source Flat				
Receiving Flat				
Flat Prep (y/n)				
Netted? (y/n)				
Closed until?				

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Additional Activities

This page offers an opportunity for the Town to identify activities that are undertaken to enhance the clam resource

Spatfall Enhancement

Please list activities undertaken to promote clam settlement such as brushing, flat roughing, tenting or netting. No such activities were conducted

Location	Date	Description of activity

Predator Protection

Please list activities undertaken to protect clams form predators such as trapping, netting and hand collecting. No such activities were conducted.

Location	Date	Description of activity

Other Activities

Please list other activities that benefit, directly or indirectly, the management program such as educational projects, participation in regional councils and shoreline cleanup.

No such activities were conducted.

Location	Date	Description of activity

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Proposed Management Controls

The following management controls will be utilized for the coming year (please check all that apply)

- We will limit the number of commercial harvesters
- We will limit the number of recreational harvesters
- We will restrict times of harvest
- We will restrict the areas of harvest
- We will limit the amount of commercial harvest
- We will limit the amount of recreational harvest
- Other controls will include _____

Proposed Shellfish Licenses

<u>License category</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Cost per License</u>
Commercial		\$
Resident		\$
Nonresident		\$
Senior Resident		\$
Senior Nonresident		\$
Junior/Student Resident		\$
Junior/Student Nonresident		\$
Other		\$
Recreational		
Resident		\$
Nonresident		\$
Daily/Weekly/Monthly Resident		\$
Daily/Weekly/Monthly Nonresident		\$
Senior Resident		\$
Senior Nonresident		\$
Junior/Student Resident		\$
Junior/Student Nonresident		\$
Other		\$

License number determination is based upon:

- Calculation using survey data
- Using survey data as a guide
- Harvester input
- Need/demand

The numbers above are:

Tentative, the actual numbers to be determined later
Firm, have been or will be submitted to the DMR

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- Establishing conservation areas for flat rotation
- Other _____

In order to implement these management activities, the committee will utilize: (Check all that apply)

- Harvesters vested with conservation credit
- Harvester volunteers
- Paid harvesters
- Municipal employees
- Paid consultants
- Other _____

In order to provide a forum for harvester input in management planning, the shellfish committee plans to meet:

- Annually
- Biannually
- Quarterly
- Bimonthly
- Monthly

Meeting notification for other than regularly scheduled meetings is by:

- Mailing
- Phone Call
- Posting
- Newspaper
- Word of mouth

In order to keep the DMR informed and to solicit advice on management activities, the shellfish committee will:

- Request the area biologist to participate in all meetings
- Request the area biologist to participate in only specific meetings
- Invite the area biologist to attend in all meetings
- Invite the area biologist to attend in only specific meetings