

# NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE-MAKING

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S. §§6172, 6192, 6193 & 6194  
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## BASIS STATEMENT

The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources amends the emergency DMR Chapter 95.04(AA), Area No. 49-B, Skillings River (Lamoine-Hancock), amended on June 22, 2010. This amendment reclassifies the area of the Skillings River north of Seal Point from "Approved" to "Restricted" to now include Weir, Martin and Kilkenny Coves due to water quality not meeting approved criteria. All existing pollution and red tide/psp closures remain in effect. As authorized by 12 M.R.S. §§6172, 6192, 6193 & 6194 the Commissioner of Marine Resources adopts emergency amendments to Chapter 95.04(AA).

**RULE TITLE AND SUBJECT:** DMR Chapter 95.04(AA), Area No. 49-B, Skillings River (Lamoine-Hancock), amended on June 22, 2010, is amended as follows:

**TITLE & TEXT OF RULE:** EMERGENCY Rule: DMR Chapter 95.04(AA), Area No. 49-B, Skillings River (Lamoine-Hancock)

Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters, mussels and other marine mollusks from all shores, flats and waters of the following areas:

1. Carrying Place (Hancock): north of the US Route 1 Bridge to a line that begins on the most northern tip of Cedar Point and extends northwest to the northern tip of Havey Point. This area is classified restricted and harvesting requires a special MDMR permit.
2. Upper Skillings River (Lamoine-Hancock): north of a line starting at a red-painted post (Lat 44.512614; Long -68.305668) on the northeast tip of Partridge Point; then extending southeast to the northern tip of Seal Point (Lamoine); and then extending northeast to a red-painted post (Lat 44.51504; Long -68.293824) on the northwest tip of an un-named point forming the southern mouth of Mill Creek (Hancock). This area is classified restricted and harvesting requires a special MDMR permit.
- ~~3~~ 4. Mud Creek, Lamoine, westerly and inside of a line starting at a red-painted post (Lat 44.506365; Long -68.320301) on the western side of the mouth of Urann Cove (1400 feet from the Mud Creek Road culvert) and extending south across Mud Creek to a red-painted post (Lat 44.504842; Long -68.320301) on the southerly shore. This area is classified restricted and harvesting requires a special MDMR permit.
- ~~2. Kilkenny Cove, Hancock, north of (upstream) of a line beginning at a red-painted post (Lat 44.533575; Long -68.319191) on the northeast tip of an un-named point on the western shore of Kilkenny Cove. The post is 2,000 feet southeast of where US Route 1 crosses Kilkenny Stream. From this post the line extends due east across the cove to a red-painted post (Lat 44.535495; Long -68.315495) on the eastern shore of the cove.~~
- ~~3. Eagle Point, Lamoine, inside and west of a line starting at a red-painted post (Lat 44.512614; Long -68.305668) on the northeast tip of Partridge Point; then extending north 2020 feet to a red-painted post (Lat 44.518088; Long -68.305670) on the southern tip of Eagle Point. This area is classified restricted and harvesting requires a special MDMR permit.~~

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 4, 2011

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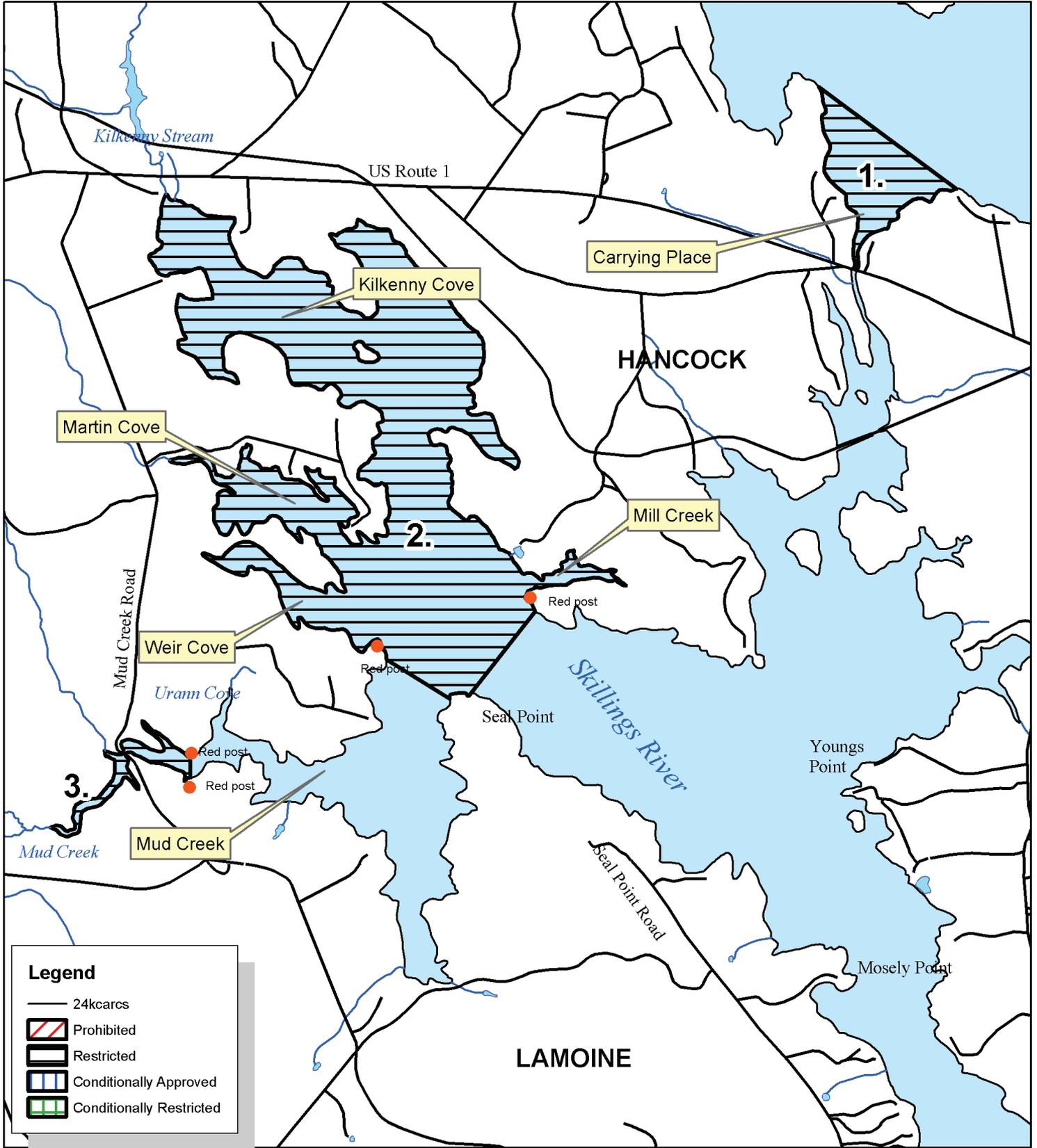
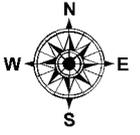
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## Pollution Area No. 49-B

Skillings River (Lamoine-Hancock) January 4, 2011



**Legend**

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- Prohibited
- Restricted
- Conditionally Approved
- Conditionally Restricted

