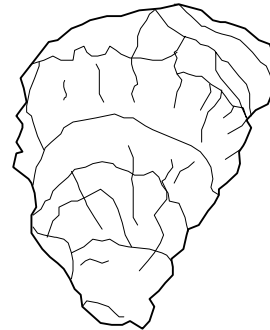
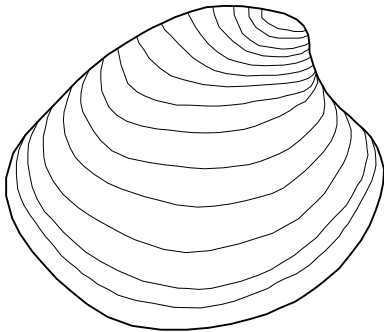


# **SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT PLANS**

**5L-1.003, F.A.C.**

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## PREFACE

This document, *SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT PLANS*, defines classification boundaries and management of shellfish harvesting areas in Florida. Each shellfish harvesting area and shellfish harvesting area map has a unique name and area number. Shellfish areas are classified by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS) to protect shellfish consumers from shellfish borne illnesses and to maximize the harvest of shellfish resources. Shellfish are defined in this context as oysters, clams and mussels. The Department is authorized by Chapter 597.020, Florida Statutes to establish regulations, specifications, and codes relating to sanitary practices for catching, cultivating, packaging, handling, processing, preserving, canning, smoking, and storing of shellfish. Criteria for classification are contained in Chapter 5L-1, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), which incorporates by reference the National Shellfish Sanitation Program (NSSP) Model Ordinance. The NSSP is a voluntary and cooperative program that is designed to prevent human illness associated with the consumption of fresh and fresh-frozen shellfish through the sanitary control over all phases of growing, harvesting, shucking, packing and transportation. Participants in the NSSP include the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, National Marine Fisheries Service, coastal producing and receiving states, and the shellfish industry. Only shellfish products harvested from areas that are classified and managed by a state in accordance with the NSSP are approved for harvest.

Classifications are based on pollution source, hydrographic, meteorologic and bacteriological surveys to identify where sanitary conditions are suitable for the harvest of wholesome shellfish. Pollution source, hydrographic, and meteorologic surveys characterize the introduction and distribution of contaminants that may be present in amounts that present a health hazard; hence, should not be open to harvest. The bacteriological survey identifies waters meeting NSSP fecal coliform standards. Fecal coliform is a group of bacteria used by FDACS as an indicator of potential bacterial pollution. Fecal coliform live in the intestinal tract of warm-blooded animals, and each person excretes approximately two billion of these bacteria per day. Few fecal coliform are pathogenic; however, the presence of fecal coliform bacteria in coastal waters indicates feces from warm-blooded animals is present and human pathogens are likely to also be present.

The NSSP has established bacteriological standards for shellfish harvesting area classification. For areas to be classified Approved or Conditionally Approved, the level of fecal coliform in surface water samples must meet the NSSP 14/31 standard. For areas to be classified Restricted or Conditionally Restricted, the level of fecal coliform in surface water samples must meet the NSSP 88/163 standard.

NSSP 14/31 standard: The fecal coliform median or geometric mean must not exceed 14 MPN/100 ml, and not more than 10 percent may exceed 31 MPN/100 ml.

NSSP 88/163 standard: The fecal coliform median or geometric mean must not exceed 88 MPN/100 ml, and not more than 10 percent may exceed 163 MPN/100 ml.

A comprehensive shellfish harvesting area survey is written for each shellfish harvesting area to document the methods and findings of these surveys, as well as proposed changes in classification and management. NSSP guidelines require that these reports, at a minimum, be maintained annually, reevaluated every three years and resurveyed every 12 years. Areas that do not comply with sanitary requirements are immediately reclassified or closed.

Shellfish harvesting areas are classified as Approved, Conditionally Approved, Restricted, Conditionally Restricted, Prohibited and Unclassified (= Unapproved). These classifications are defined in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C. The following provides generalized descriptions for these classifications:

**Approved Harvest Area** Normally open to shellfish harvesting; may be temporarily closed under extraordinary circumstances such as red tides, hurricanes and sewage spills. The 14/31 standard must be met for all combinations of defined adverse pollution conditions (tide, rainfall, river, tide/rainfall, tide/river and tide/rainfall/river).

**Conditionally Approved Harvest Area** Periodically closed to shellfish harvesting based on pollution events, such as rainfall or increased river flow. The 14/31 standard must be met when rainfall, river stage, and/or river discharge is less than the management plan level for temporary closure and during all other adverse pollution conditions.

**Restricted Harvest Area** Normally open to relaying or controlled purification, allowed only by special permit and supervision; may be temporarily closed under extraordinary circumstances such as red tides, hurricanes and sewage spills. The 88/163 standard must be met for all combinations of defined adverse pollution conditions (tide, rainfall, river, tide/rainfall, tide/river and tide/rainfall/river).

**Conditionally Restricted Harvest Area** Periodically, relay and controlled purification activity is temporarily suspended based on pollution events, such as rainfall or increased river flow. The 88/163 standard must be met when rainfall, river stage, and/or river discharge is less than the management plan level for temporary closure and during all other adverse pollution conditions.

**Prohibited Harvest Area** Shellfish harvesting is not permitted due to actual or potential pollution. This classification is least desirable, and is used only when standards are exceeded for Approved, Conditionally Approved, Restricted and Conditionally Restricted classification management schemes.

**Unclassified Area** Shellfish harvesting is not permitted pending bacteriological and sanitary surveys.

The verbal descriptions of shellfish harvesting areas are presented in this document from the northwesternmost shellfish harvesting area located in Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties counterclockwise along the coastline of Florida to the northeasternmost shellfish harvesting area located in Duval County.

**Surface waters that lack a verbal description in this document for shellfish harvesting area boundaries are Unclassified.** Harvest of shellfish from these Unclassified waters is not lawful (Rule 5L-1.003(7) F.A.C.), because the current sanitary conditions of the area have not been characterized for the protection of the health of shellfish consumers. Counties where all coastal waters are classified as Unclassified are: Jefferson, Taylor, Hernando, Pasco, Monroe, Dade, Broward, Palm Beach, Martin, Flagler, and Nassau.

Shellfish harvesting areas may be in the open or closed status. Harvesting of shellfish from an area in the closed status is not permitted [Rule 5L-1.003(2)(b), .003(3), .003(4), and .003(5), F.A.C.]. Closed areas include prohibited and unclassified areas as well as temporarily closed approved, conditionally approved, restricted, and conditionally restricted areas. The open/closed status of shellfish harvesting areas is available from the Division of Aquaculture's field and headquarter offices.

Shellfish Harvesting Area Maps are available from the Department that illustrate classification boundaries. The locations and phone numbers of offices are:

**Headquarters** 600 S Calhoun Street, Suite 217, Tallahassee 32399  
850/617-7600, FAX 850/617-7601

**Western Gulf Coast** 4408 Delwood Lane, Panama City Beach, FL 32408  
850/236-2200, FAX 850/236-2202

**North Central Gulf Coast** 260 7th Street, Apalachicola, FL 32320  
850/653-8317/9440

**Big Bend Gulf Coast** Cedar Key Field Station, 11350 SW 153rd Court, Cedar Key, FL 32625  
352/543-5181, FAX 352/543-6958

**Southern Gulf Coast** 2550 Harborview Road, Suites B, C, D and Cube#1 Port Charlotte, Florida, FL,  
33980, 941-613-0954, FAX 941-613-0955

**Atlantic Coast** 1220 East Prospect Avenue, Suite 216, Melbourne, FL, 32901  
321/984-4890, FAX 321/984-4892

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| Shellfish Harvesting Area                              |             |               |                              |
|--|-------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| Name   | Area Number | Map Number(s) | Effective Date               |
| <a href="#"><u>Pensacola Bay System</u></a>            | 2           | 2             | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Choctawhatchee Bay</u></a>              | 6           | 6             | March 23, 2017               |
| <a href="#"><u>West Bay</u></a>                        | 8           | 8             | August 19, 2012              |
| <a href="#"><u>North Bay</u></a>                       | 10          | 10            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>East Bay</u></a>                        | 12          | 12            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>St. Joseph Bay</u></a>                  | 14          | 14            | November 1, 1986             |
| <a href="#"><u>Indian Lagoon</u></a>                   | 15          | 15A, 15B      | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Apalachicola Bay System</u></a>         | 16          | 16A, 16B      | February 9, 2011             |
| <a href="#"><u>Alligator Harbor</u></a>                | 18          | 18            | August 19, 2012              |
| <a href="#"><u>Ochlockonee Bay</u></a>                 | 20          | 20            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Wakulla County</u></a>                  | 22          | 22            | March 23, 2017               |
| <a href="#"><u>Horseshoe Beach</u></a>                 | 25          | 25            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Suwannee Sound</u></a>                  | 28          | 28 A, 28 B    | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Cedar Key</u></a>                       | 30          | 30            | March 23, 2017               |
| <a href="#"><u>Waccasassa Bay</u></a>                  | 32          | 32            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Withlacoochee Bay</u></a>               | 34          | 34            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Citrus County</u></a>                   | 37          | 37A, 37B      | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Boca Ciega Bay</u></a>                  | 42          | 42            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Lower Tampa Bay</u></a>                 | 48          | 48            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Sarasota Bay</u></a>                    | 54          | 54            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Lemon Bay</u></a>                       | 56          | 56            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Gasparilla Sound</u></a>                | 58          | 58            | June 28, 2018                |
| <a href="#"><u>Myakka River</u></a>                    | 60          | 60            | August 19, 2012              |
| <a href="#"><u>Pine Island Sound</u></a>               | 62          | 62            | March 23, 2017               |
| <a href="#"><u>Ten Thousand Islands</u></a>            | 66          | 66            | <del>June 28, 2018</del>     |
| <a href="#"><u>Indian River/St. Lucie Counties</u></a> | 70          | 70            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>North Indian River</u></a>              | 72          | 72            | <del>May 5, 2009</del>       |
| <a href="#"><u>Body F</u></a>                          | 74          | 74            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Body E</u></a>                          | 75          | 75            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Body D</u></a>                          | 76          | 76            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Body C</u></a>                          | 77          | 77A, 77B      | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>Body B</u></a>                          | 78          | 78            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>South Banana River</u></a>              | 79          | 79            | December 28, 2009            |
| <a href="#"><u>Body A</u></a>                          | 80          | 80            | May 5, 2009                  |
| <a href="#"><u>South Volusia</u></a>                   | 82          | 82A, 82B      | August 19, 2012              |
| <a href="#"><u>South St. Johns</u></a>                 | 88          | 88            | <del>December 28, 2009</del> |
| <a href="#"><u>North St. Johns</u></a>                 | 92          | 92            | <del>May 5, 2009</del>       |
| <a href="#"><u>Duval County</u></a>                    | 96          | 96            | May 5, 2009                  |

**02 PENSACOLA BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)               |
|--|--------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| 0222 Pensacola Bay conditionally approved Escambia Bay 0232<br>Pensacola Bay conditionally approved East Bay<br>----- Pensacola Bay prohibited | 02           | June 28, 2018  | Escambia,<br>Santa Rosa |

**0222 Pensacola Bay conditionally approved Escambia Bay**

Classification Boundaries: Beginning at Live Oak Point at 30.530211°, -87.128850°, then southward to Escambia Bay channel marker 4, then northwestward to the chimney at the historic site of the Hyer-Knowles Planing Mill located on the western shoreline of Escambia Bay at 30.480508°, -87.161944°, then southward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the Magnolia Bluff shoreline and a line drawn from Butcherpen point northwestward to the 10 story high-rise at 1700 US 90 on Magnolia Bluff at 30.433785°, -87.173187°, then southeastward across Escambia Bay to Butcherpen Point at 30.378833°, -87.135944°, then eastward along the southern shoreline of Escambia Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the intersection of the southern shoreline of Escambia Bay and the western side of the State Road 281 Bridge (Garcon Point Bridge) at 30.399308°, -87.077083°, then northward following the western side of the Garcon Point Bridge to the intersection of the western side of the Garcon Point Bridge and the Garcon Peninsula shoreline at 30.444044°, -87.100608°, then northward along the western shoreline of the Garcon Peninsula, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a northern point across Trout Bayou at 30.507717°, -87.095269°, then continuing northward along the western shoreline of the Garcon Peninsula, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals across Indian Bayou originating at 30.520920°, -87.102456° and ending at 30.522775°, -87.105803°, then continuing northward to the point of origin at Live Oak Point at 30.530211°, -87.128850°.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Escambia River discharge measured at Century, Florida exceeds 12784 cubic feet per second; 2) Cumulative rainfall for any seven-day period measured by NOAA exceeds 3.55 inches; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002 F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **0232 Pensacola Bay conditionally approved East Bay**

Classification Boundaries: Beginning at Escribano Point at 30.505440°, -87.020885°, then due west to the eastern shoreline of the Garcon Peninsula at 30.506500°, -87.047444°, then southwestward along the eastern shoreline of the Garcon Peninsula across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the southern shoreline of the Garcon Peninsula and the western side of the State Road 281 Bridge (Garcon Point Bridge) at 30.444044°, -87.100608°, then southeastward following the western side of the Garcon Point Bridge to the intersection of the western side of the Garcon Point Bridge and the southern shoreline of East Bay at 30.399308°, -87.077083°, then eastward along the southern shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due south of the Plant Site pole (located at 30.457778°, -86.951111°) west of East Bay River at 30.442825°, -86.951922°, then due north through the Plant Site pole to the northern shoreline of East Bay at 30.465458°, -86.950397°, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at Escribano Point at 30.505440°, -87.020885°.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Yellow River stage measured at Milton, Florida exceeds 40.02 feet; 2) Cumulative rainfall for any seven-day period measured by NOAA exceeds 3.40 inches; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002 F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **Pensacola Bay prohibited Escambia Bay**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Live Oak Point at 30.530211°, -87.128850°, then southward to Escambia Bay channel marker 4, then northwestward to the chimney at the historic site of the Hyer-Knowles Planing Mill located on the western shoreline of Escambia Bay at 30.480508°, -87.161944°, then northward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a West/East line that crosses the Escambia River at channel marker 38, then southward along the shoreline to point of origin at Live Oak Point.

Polygon 2: Beginning at Butcherpen Point at 30.378833°, -87.135944°, then westward along the shoreline of the Gulf Breeze Peninsula to Fair Point at 30.360872°, -87.204508°, then southeastward along the shoreline to Deer Point at 30.343272°, -87.183628°, then eastward to the County Road 399 Toll bridge at 30.353750°, -87.156669°, then southeastward across Santa Rosa Sound to Sharp Point on the northern shoreline of Santa Rosa Island at 30.341658°, -87.117181°, then westward along the shoreline to the intersection of a line drawn from Pensacola Bay channel marker 22 southeastward through ICWW channel marker 145 to the northern shoreline of Santa Rosa Island, then northwestward through ICWW channel marker 145 to Pensacola Bay channel marker 22, then northwestward to Magazine Point at 30.373400°, -87.265006°, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to the intersection of the Magnolia Bluff shoreline and the 10 story high-rise at 1700 US 90 on Magnolia Bluff at 30.433785°, -87.173187°, then southeastward to the point of origin at Butcherpen Point at 30.378833°, -87.135944°.

The area also includes all waters of Indian Bayou, Trout Bayou, Bayou Grande, Bayou Chico, Mulatto Bayou, and Bayou Texar, all creeks, man-made canals and ditches, and marinas.

## **Pensacola Bay prohibited East Bay**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Escribano Point, counterclockwise along the shoreline of Blackwater Bay and the southern side of the Interstate 10 bridge to a point due west of Escribano Point, then due east to the point of origin at Escribano Point.

Polygon 2: Beginning at a point at the northernmost point of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Tom King Bayou at 30.449014°, -86.941836°, then eastward along the southern shoreline of East Bay to the intersection of the power lines and the southern shoreline of East Bay at 30.454022°, -86.934256°, then clockwise along the shoreline of the East Bay River and the County Road 87 bridge to the intersection of the power lines and the northern shoreline of East Bay at 30.458789°, -86.932561°, then westward to a point due

north of the Plant Site pole (located at 30.457778°, -86.951111°) west of East Bay River at 30.465458°, -86.950397°, then due south through the Plant Site pole to the southern shoreline of East Bay at 30.442825°, -86.951922°, then eastward to the northernmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Tom King Bayou at 30.448750°, -86.942022°, then across the mouth of Tom King Bayou to the to the point of origin at the northernmost point of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Tom King Bayou at 30.449014°, -86.941836°.

The area also includes all waters of Tom King Bayou, East Bay River, Yellow River, Catfish Basin, all creeks, all man made canals and ditches, and marinas.

**06 CHOCTAWHATCHEE BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION  
BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                                   | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| 0622 Choctawhatchee Bay conditionally approved Central Section | 06           | March 23, 2017 | Walton &  |
| 0632 Choctawhatchee Bay conditionally approved Eastern Section |              |                | Okaloosa  |
| ---- Choctawhatchee Bay Prohibited                             |              |                |           |

**0622 Choctawhatchee Bay conditionally approved Central Section**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at White Point, then eastward along the northern shoreline and crossing the mouths of all creeks to the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Basin Bayou, then southward across Choctawhatchee Bay to the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Live Oak Point Creek, then clockwise along the southern shoreline of Choctawhatchee Bay and Hogtown Bayou to a point due north of the southwestern most point of land in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.402615, -86.240508 ), then southward across the mouth of Mill Bayou to the southwestern most point of land in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.396565, -86.240508), then southwest to the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Mussett Bayou (30.393028, -86.256933), then westward along the shoreline and crossing the mouths of Hewett, Mack, and Buck Bayous to Fourmile Point, then southwestward to Legion Park, then westward along the shoreline to a one story white house with rip rap on the shoreline (30.402667, -86.41511), then northwestward to the 20<sup>th</sup> support from the southern end of the Choctawhatchee Mid Bay Bridge (SR 293) (30.41, -86.42325), , then southwestward to a large cream colored house with a red roof (30.405772, -86.43375), then clockwise around the shoreline to a point on the east end of the mouth of Jones Bayou, then northwestward to Cobbs Point then northward to Channel Marker 59, then northeastern to the point of origin at White Point.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Choctawhatchee River stage measured at Caryville, Florida 15502 cubic feet per second; 2) Cumulative rainfall measured at Point Washington Forestry Tower exceeds 4.61 inches during any seven-day period; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002(15), F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.



## **0632 Choctawhatchee Bay conditionally approved Eastern Section**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Basin Bayou, then southward across Choctawhatchee Bay to the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Live Oak Point Creek, then southeastward along the shoreline of Choctawhatchee Bay to the marsh with a 2 story white house to the west (30.393167, -86.189528), then northeastward to the center span of the northern segment of the U.S. Highway 331 bridge (30.424815, -86.157057), then northwestward to Motes Point, then northwestward along the shoreline to Piney Point (30.476503, -86.204833), then due west across the mouth of Alaqua Bayou to the mainland shoreline (30.476503, -86.219453), then westward along the shoreline, across the mouth of Basin Bayou, to the point of origin at the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Basin Bayou.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Choctawhatchee River discharge measured at Caryville, Florida exceeds 9871 cubic feet per second; 2) Cumulative rainfall measured at Point Washington Forestry Tower exceeds 2.31 inches during any three-day period; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002(15), F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Choctawhatchee Bay prohibited area**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: The area includes all water within a polygon beginning at Channel Marker 59, then southward to Cobbs Point, then clockwise around main shoreline, including Destin Harbor to easternmost side of East Pass, then across East Pass to western side of East Pass, then northward to northwestern side of Destin US Highway 98, then west along northern shoreline of Okaloosa Island to a point due south of ICWW Channel Marker 24, then due north through ICWW Channel Marker 24 to the mainland shoreline, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to Black Point, then southward to ICWW Channel Marker 1, then northeast thru Channel Marker 61 to point of origin Channel Marker 59.

Polygon 2: Beginning at Black Point, then northeastward to Buccaroo Point, then southwestward along the mainland shoreline to the point of origin at Black Point.

Polygon 3: Beginning at Boggy Point, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to Shirk Point, then westward across the mouth of Boggy Bayou to the point of origin at Boggy Point.

Polygon 4: Beginning at the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of John Bayou, then southeastward to Channel Marker 1, then due east across the mouth of Rocky Bayou to the mainland shoreline, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline to the point of origin at the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of John Bayou.

Polygon 5: Beginning at Piney Point (30.476503, -86.204833) then due west across the mouth of Alaqua Bayou to the mainland shoreline (30.476503, -86.219453), then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to the point of origin at Piney Point.

Polygon 6: Beginning at Motes Point, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to the western side of the U.S. Highway 331 northern causeway, then southwestward along the western side of the causeway and bridge to the center span (30.4204815, -86.157057) of the northern segment of the U.S. Highway 331 bridge, then northwestward to the point of origin at Motes Point.

Polygon 7: Beginning at the intersection of the western side of the U.S. Highway 331 causeway and the northern shoreline of Choctawhatchee Bay, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to a point due north of the confluence of the Choctawhatchee River with the Sister River, then southward across the mouth of the Choctawhatchee River to the closest point of land on the opposite shoreline, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to the power line over the Intracoastal Waterway east of the confluence of the Intracoastal Waterway with Peach Creek, then southward along the powerline to the opposite shoreline, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to the western side of the U.S. Highway 331 causeway, then northeastward along the western side of the causeway and bridge to the point of origin at the intersection of the western side of the U.S. Highway 331 causeway and the northern shoreline of Choctawhatchee Bay.

Polygon 8: Beginning at the marsh with a 2 story house to the west (30.393167, -86.189528), then eastward along the southern shoreline of Choctawhatchee Bay to the west side of US 331 highway bridge

then northeastward along the western side of the US 331 bridge to the center span of the northern segment of the US Highway 331 bridge (30.424815, -86.157057), then southwestward thru Channel marker 28 to the point of origin of the marsh with 2 story house to the west (30.393167, -86.189528).

Polygon 9: Beginning at the southwesternmost point of land in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.396565, -86.240508), then due north across the mouth of Mill Bayou to a point on the mainland shoreline (30.402615, -86.240508), then clockwise along the mainland shoreline to the point of origin at the southwesternmost point of land in the mouth of Mill Bayou.

Polygon 10: Beginning at the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Mussett Bayou (30.393028, -86.256933), then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline to the southwesternmost point of land in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.396565, -86.240508), then southwestward to the point of origin at the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Mussett Bayou.

Polygon 11: Beginning at Fourmile Point, then southwestward to Legion Park, then counterclockwise along the shoreline to the point of origin at Fourmile Point.

Polygon 12: Beginning at a one story white house with rip rap on the shoreline (30.402667, -86.41511), then northwestward to the 20<sup>th</sup> support from the southern end of the Choctawhatchee Mid Bay Bridge (SR 293) (30.41, -86.42325), then southwestward to a large cream colored house with a red roof (30.405772, -86.43375), then returning to the point of origin at a one story white house with rip rap on the shoreline (30.402667, -86.41511).

Polygon 13: Beginning at the point on the east end of the mouth of Jones Bayou, then northwestward to Cobbs Point, then southeastward then northeastward along the southern shoreline to the point of origin at the point on the east end of the mouth of Jones Bayou.

The area also includes Lake Lorraine, Pippin Lake, Indian Bayou, Jones Bayou, Buck Bayou, Mack Bayou, Hewett Bayou, Basin Bayou, Live Oak Point Creek, McQuage Bayou, Littles Bayou, Bowman Bayou, Tucker Bayou, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**08 WEST BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME         | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE  | COUNTY(S) |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 0822 West Bay conditionally approved | 08           | August 19, 2012 | Bay       |

**0822 West Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at West Bay Point, then northward along the eastern shoreline of West Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, man-made canals, ditches, and Johnson Bayou, to the southern shoreline of Cedar Hammock, then northward along the western shoreline of Cedar Hammock to the point on the southern shoreline of Warren Bayou nearest the remains of the mariculture lift station (30°16'32.9"N, 85°44'14.5"W), then northwestward across the mouth of Warren Bayou, to a point on the northern shoreline of Warren Bayou nearest the remains of the mariculture lift station (30°16'49.6"N, 85°44'26.9"W), then westward and northward along the western shoreline of the mariculture dike and across the mouth of the mariculture dike to Cedar Point, then northwestward to Graze Point, then southwestward along the northern shoreline of West Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to Walsonham Point, then westward across the mouth of Doyle Bayou to Doyle Point, then westward to Crooked Creek Point, then southwestward to Intracoastal Waterway marker 26, then southwestward to Goose Point, then southward along the western shoreline of West Bay to the eastern end of the bayou at the east end of the houses on Moonlight Bay drive (30°13'34.5"N, 85°50'02.0"W) then northeastward to the northern shoreline of the mouth of Bothereation Bayou then northeastward to Breakfast Point, then southeastward along the southern shoreline of West Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and Basin Bayou, to Long Point, then southeastward to Shell Point, then southeastward to the northernmost point of the western shoreline at the mouth of Posten Bayou (30°11'34.9"N, 85°43'03.8"W), then eastward to the westernmost point of the eastern shoreline at the mouth of Posten Bayou, then northeastward along the southern shoreline of West Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals to the westernmost point on the southern shoreline at the mouth of Pretty Bayou, then northward across the mouth of Pretty Bayou to the westernmost point of the northern shoreline at the mouth of Pretty Bayou, then northward across the mouth of Robinson Bayou (30°12'38.7"N, 85°42'00.2"W) to the northernmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Robinson Bayou, then northwestward to the point of origin at West Bay Point.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1.) cumulative seven-day rainfall, measured at the Pt Washington Forestry Tower, exceeds 3.34 inches. 2.) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened to shellfish harvesting when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**West Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon one: Beginning at a point on the shoreline nearest the remains of the mariculture lift station located on the southern shoreline at the mouth of Warren Bayou (30°16'32.9"N, 85°44'14.5"W), then northwestward across the mouth of Warren Bayou, to a point on the northern shoreline of Warren Bayou nearest the remains of the mariculture lift station (30°16'49.6"N, 85°44'26.9"W), then clockwise along the shoreline of Warren Bayou to the point of origin at a point on the shoreline nearest the remains of the mariculture lift station located on the southern shoreline at the mouth of Warren Bayou (30°16'32.9"N, 85°44'14.5"W).

Polygon two: Beginning at Cedar Point, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Burnt Mill Creek to Graze Point, then southeastward to the point of origin at Cedar Point.

Polygon three: Beginning at Walsonham Point, then counterclockwise along the northern shoreline of Doyle Bayou to Doyle Point, then eastward to the point of origin at Walsonham Point.

Polygon four: Beginning at Doyle Point, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Crooked Creek to Crooked Creek Point, then eastward to the point of origin at Doyle Point.

Polygon five: Beginning at Crooked Creek Point, then westward along the northern shoreline of West Bay and West Bay Creek to intersection with the State Road 79 bridge, then southwestward along the eastern edge of the State Road 79 bridge to the southern shoreline of West Bay Creek, then southeastward along the shoreline of West Bay Creek to Goose Point, then, northeastward to Intracoastal Marker 26, then northeastward to the point of origin at Crooked Creek Point.

Polygon six: Beginning at the eastern end of the bayou at the east end of the houses on Moonlight Bay drive ( $30^{\circ}13'34.5''\text{N}$ ,  $85^{\circ}50'02.0''\text{W}$ ) then northeastward to the northern shoreline of the mouth of Bothereation Bayou then clockwise to the point of origin at the eastern end of the bayou at the east end of the houses on Moonlight Bay drive ( $30^{\circ}13'34.5''\text{N}$ ,  $85^{\circ}50'02.0''\text{W}$ ).

Polygon seven: Beginning at Long Point, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Harrison Bayou to Shell Point, then northwestward to the point of origin at Long Point.

Polygon eight: Beginning at Shell Point, then southward along the western shoreline of West Bay to the State Road 98 Hathaway Bridge, then eastward along the northern edge of the Hathaway Bridge to Sulphur Point, then northeastward along the shoreline to the northernmost point of the western shoreline at the mouth of Posten Bayou, then northwestward to the point of origin at Shell Point.

Polygon nine: Beginning at the northernmost point of the western shoreline at the mouth of Posten Bayou ( $30^{\circ}11'34.9''\text{N}$ ,  $85^{\circ}43'03.8''\text{W}$ ), then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Posten Bayou to the westernmost point of the eastern shoreline at the mouth of Posten Bayou, then westward to the point of origin at the northernmost point of the western shoreline at the mouth of Posten Bayou ( $30^{\circ}11'34.9''\text{N}$ ,  $85^{\circ}43'03.8''\text{W}$ ).

Polygon ten: Beginning at the northernmost point of the western shoreline at the mouth of Pretty Bayou, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Pretty Bayou to the westernmost point of the northern shoreline at the mouth of Pretty Bayou, then southward to the point of origin at the northernmost point of the western shoreline at the mouth of Pretty Bayou.

The area also includes Johnson Bayou, Doyle Bayou, Basin Bayou, and all other unnamed bayous, tidal creeks, ditches, and man-made canals.

**10 NORTH BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                          | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 1012 North Bay conditionally approved Western Section | 10        | June 28, 2018  | Bay       |
| 1022 North Bay conditionally approved Eastern Section |           |                |           |
| ---- North Bay prohibited                             |           |                |           |

**1012 North Bay conditionally approved Western Section**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the southern shoreline of North Bay (30.254475°, -85.647397°), then westward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals to a point on the western shoreline of the mouth of Maxwell Bayou (30.255948°, -85.655361°) then northwestward to Haven Point (30.257017°, -85.658141°), then southwestward to Little Oyster Bar Point (30.248952°, -85.680038°), then southwestward along the southern shoreline of North Bay to a point on the northern shoreline of Upper Goose Bayou (30.240850°, -85.678609°), then westward to a point on the southern shoreline of the mouth of Upper Goose Bayou (30.237500°, -85.685517°), then southward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals to the westernmost point on the northern shoreline of the mouth of Goose Bayou (30.224431°, -85.687089°), then southwestward to the westernmost point on the southern shoreline of Goose Bayou (30.219115°, -85.693519°), then southwestward to a point on the northern shoreline of the mouth of Robinson Bayou (30.211366°, -85.698892°), then southwestward to the northernmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Robinson Bayou (30.210798°, -85.699983°), then northwestward across North Bay to West Bay Point (30.234100°, -85.720133°), then northeastward along the northern shoreline of North Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals to a point on the northern shoreline of the mouth of Mud Bayou (30.240387°, -85.708348°), then northeastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals to the southernmost point on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Alligator Bayou (30.258621°, -85.697469°), then eastward along the northern shoreline of North Bay to the easternmost point on the western shoreline in the mouth of Newman Bayou (30.267170°, -85.673038°), then northeastward to a point on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Newman Bayou (30.268260°, -85.670883°), then eastward to a point on the western shoreline of Sheephead Bayou due west of Fanning Bayou channel marker 2 (30.269070°, -85.660241°), then southeastward to the intersection of the northern shoreline of North Bay with the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) (30.262824°, -85.646627°), then southward along the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) to the point of origin at the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the southern shoreline of North Bay (30.254475°, -85.647397°).

Management: The conditionally approved area west of the Bailey Bridge will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any five-day period measured by NOAA exceeds 1.73 inches; 2) Econfina Creek stage measured at Bennett, Florida exceeds 7.12 feet; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**1022 North Bay conditionally approved Eastern Section**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the southern shoreline of North Bay (30.254475°, -85.647397°), then eastward along the shoreline to a point on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of the City of Lynn Haven boat basin canal (Leslie Porter Park) (30.254425°, -85.645015°) then eastward to the easternmost point of land on the western shoreline of the mouth of Anderson Bayou (30.252892°, -85.637518°), then across the mouth of Anderson Bayou to the westernmost point of land on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Anderson Bayou (30.252864°, -85.636580°), then eastward along the shoreline to the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.254762°, -85.621026°), then northeastward

to the northernmost tip of land on the southern shoreline in the mouth of Williams Bayou (30.260207°, -85.605876°), then northward to a point across the mouth of Williams Bayou (30.260709°, -85.605633°), then northward along the eastern shoreline of North Bay to the Deer Point Lake Dam (30.266970°, -85.604378°), then northwestward along the western edge of the dam to the northern shoreline of North Bay (30.269656°, -85.607710°), then westward along the northern shoreline of North Bay, to the westernmost point on the southeastern shoreline of the mouth of Hodges Bayou (30.271287°, -85.618695°), then northwestward to a point on the western shoreline of the mouth of Hodges Bayou (30.272625°, -85.620116°), then to a point east of Gainer Bayou (30.273763°, -85.623953°), then due west across the mouth of Gainer Bayou to a point west of Gainer Bayou (30.273841°, -85.625451°), then westward to a point on the western shoreline of the mouth of Daffin Lake (30.269308°, -85.630880°) to the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the northern shoreline of North Bay (30.262824°, -85.646627°), then southward following the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) to the point of origin at the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the southern shoreline of North Bay (30.254475°, -85.647397°)

Management: The conditionally approved area east of the Bailey Bridge will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any five-day period measured by NOAA exceeds 1.50 inches; 2) Econfina Creek stage measured at Bennett, Florida exceeds 6.84 feet; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **North Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the westernmost point of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Anderson Bayou (30.252864°, -85.636580°), then due west to the western shoreline in the mouth of Anderson Bayou (30.252892°, -85.637518°), then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Anderson Bayou to the point of origin at the westernmost point of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Anderson Bayou (30.252864°, -85.636580°).

Polygon 2: Beginning at the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.254762°, -85.621026°), then eastward across the mouth of Beatty Bayou to the northernmost tip of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.255192°, -85.617305°), then clockwise along the shoreline of Beatty Bayou back to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.254762°, -85.621026°).

Polygon 3: Beginning at the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.254920°, -85.612236°), then southeastward across the mouth of Mill Bayou to the westernmost tip of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.254358°, -85.610495°), then clockwise along the shoreline of Mill Bayou back to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.254920°, -85.612236°).

Polygon 4: Beginning at the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the northern shoreline of North Bay (30.262824°, -85.646627°), then northwestward to a point on the western shoreline of Sheephead Bayou due west of Fanning Bayou channel marker 2 (30.269070°, -85.660241°), then clockwise along the shoreline of Sheephead Bayou and Fanning Bayou and the northern shoreline of North Bay to the point of origin at the intersection of the western side of the State Road 77 bridge (Bailey Bridge) and the northern shoreline of North Bay (30.262824°, -85.646627°).

Polygon 5: Beginning at Haven Point (30.257017°, -85.658141°) on the southern shoreline of North Bay, then southwestward to Little Oyster Bar Point (30.248952°, -85.680038°), then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Lynn Haven Bayou to the point of origin at Haven Point (30.257017°, -85.658141°).

Polygon 6: Beginning at the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.254762°, -85.621026°), then northeastward to the northernmost tip of land on the southern shoreline in the mouth of Williams Bayou (30.260207°, -85.605876°), then clockwise along the southern shoreline of North Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals to the westernmost tip of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.254358°, -85.610495°), then northwestward to the easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Mill Bayou (30.254920°, -85.612236°), then westward to the northernmost tip of land on the eastern shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.255192°, -85.617305°), then westward to the point of origin at easternmost tip of land on the western shoreline in the mouth of Beatty Bayou (30.254762°, -85.621026°).

The prohibited area also includes Maxwell Bayou, Upper Goose Bayou, Goose Bayou, Robinson Bayou,

Mud Bayou, Alligator Bayou, Newman Bayou, unnamed bayous, lakes, creeks, City of Lynn Haven boat basin (Leslie Porter Park), Williams Bayou, Deer Point Lake Dam, Deer Point Lake Dam pilings, Deer Point Lake Dam supports, Deer Point Lake Reservoir, Hodges Bayou, Gainer Bayou (to a point east of Gainer Bayou at 30.273763°, -85.623953° then due west across the mouth of Gainer Bayou to a point west of Gainer Bayou at 30.273841°, -85.625451°), Daffin Lake, ditches, man-made canals, creeks, and marinas.

**12 EAST BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 1212 East Bay conditionally approved Section 1<br>East Bay conditionally approved Section 2<br>---- East Bay prohibited | 12        | June 28, 2018  | Bay       |

**1212 East Bay conditionally approved Section 1**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Cedar Point (30.093834°, -85.561860°), then southeastward along the southern shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous to Goose Point (30.076420°, -85.526190°), then southwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous to a point (30.065229°, -85.529698°) on the northern shoreline of Auburn Cove due north of the end of an unnamed dirt road on the shoreline of Auburn Cove, then due south to the intersection of the southern shoreline of Auburn Cove and the end of an unnamed dirt road (30.055354°, -85.529721°), then eastward along the southern shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous to Little Oyster Bar Point (30.051094°, -85.510521°), then northeastward to the western point of Richard’s Bayou (30.062513°, -85.493872°), then northwestward along the northern shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous and across the mouth of California Bayou, from a point on the southern shore of California Bayou (30.088648°, -85.490420°) to a point on the northern shore of California Bayou (30.090767°, -85.495137°), continuing northwestward along the northern shoreline of East Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous to the westernmost point on the eastern shoreline of Laird Bayou (30.114862°, -85.525554°), then westward to the southernmost point on the western shoreline of Laird Bayou (30.119579°, -85.530035°), then westward along the northern shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and bayous to Smith Point (30.120879°, -85.559648°), then southward to Callaway Bayou channel marker 2, then southward to the point of origin at Cedar Point (30.093834°, -85.561860°).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any seven-day period measured by NOAA exceeds 3.39 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**1222 East Bay conditionally approved Section 2**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the western shoreline point of Richard’s Bayou (30.062513°, -85.493872°), then southeastward to the eastern point of Richard’s Bayou (30.060315°, -85.490689°), then southeastward along the northern shoreline of East Bay to Davis Point (30.034018°, -85.483840°), then southeastward across the mouth of Murray Bayou to Murray Point (30.031124°, -85.479744°), then eastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous to Allanton Point (30.029285°, -85.456703°), then northeastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and bayous to a point directly west of the unnamed dirt road on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Sandy Creek (30.060482°, -85.439877°), then eastward across the mouth of Sandy Creek to the unnamed dirt road (30.059878°, -85.437387°), southeastward to a point north of Bull Point (30.05797°, -85.43587°), then southeastward to Bull Point (30.045465°, -85.425949°), then southward along the eastern shoreline of East Bay to a point on the northern shoreline of the mouth of Lathrop Bayou (30.034683°, -85.436664°) southward to a point on the southern shoreline of the mouth of Lathrop Bayou (30.033225°, -85.436538°), then southward to a point on the northern shoreline of the mouth of Bull Bayou (30.022916°, -85.439117°) across the mouth of Bull Bayou to the mouth of a unnamed tidal creek located on the southern shoreline of Bull Bayou (30.017822°, -85.445384°), then westward along the southern shoreline of East Bay to the northernmost point of the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Farmdale Bayou (30.015817°, -85.468464°) northward to the easternmost point of the western shoreline of Farmdale Bayou (30.017422°, -85.468035°), then



westward to the westernmost point of land on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Strange Bayou (30.031368°, -85.499758°) northward to the southernmost point of land of the northern shoreline of the mouth of Strange Bayou (30.032197°, -85.499597°) then westward to a point on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Blind Alligator Bayou (30.035708°, -85.501034°) then northwestward to a point on the western shoreline of the mouth of Blind Alligator Bayou (30.040583°, -85.506776°) then northwestward to Little Oyster Bar Point (30.051094°, -85.510521°), then northeastward to the point of origin on the western point of Richard's Bayou (30.062513°, -85.493872°).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any six-day period measured by NOAA exceeds 2.14 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **East Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at Bull Point (30.045465°, -85.425949°), then northwestward to point north of Bull Point (30.05797, -85.43587), then eastward along the shorelines of East Bay and Wetappo Creek to the confluence of Wetappo Creek and the Intracoastal Waterway, then southward across Wetappo Creek and the Intracoastal Waterway to the southern shoreline of the Intracoastal Waterway, then westward along the southern shoreline of the Intracoastal Waterway and East Bay to the point of origin at Bull Point (30.045465°, -85.425949°).

Polygon 2: Beginning at the intersection of the southern shoreline of Auburn Cove and the end of an unnamed dirt road (30.055354°, -85.529721°), then clockwise along the shoreline of Auburn Cove to a point on the northern shoreline of Auburn Cove due north of the unnamed dirt road (30.065229°, -85.529698°), then due south to the point of origin at the intersection of the southern shoreline of Auburn Cove and the end of an unnamed dirt road (30.055354°, -85.529721°).

Polygon 3: Beginning at Smith Point (30.120879°, -85.559648°), then southward to Callaway Bayou channel marker 2, then southward to Cedar Point (30.093834°, -85.561860°), then northwestward along the southern shoreline of East Bay to the intersection of the southeastern end of US HWY 98 bridge and the southern shoreline (30.101616°, -85.610622°), then due north to the intersection of the northern shoreline of East Bay and the northeastern end of US HWY 98 bridge (30.107425°, -85.605630°) then southeastward along the northern shoreline of East Bay to the point of origin at Smith Point (30.120879°, -85.559648°).

The area also includes Laird Bayou, California Bayou, Richard's Bayou, Murray Bayou, Lathrop Bayou, Bull Bayou, Farmdale Bayou, Cedar Bayou, Sandy Creek, creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**14 ST. JOSEPH BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                                   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 1401 St. Joseph Bay approved<br>---- St. Joseph Bay prohibited | 14        | November 1986  | Gulf      |

**1401 St. Joseph Bay approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at St. Joseph Point then due east across the mouth of St. Joseph Bay to the mainland, then following the shoreline south to latitude 29 51' 55" N and longitude 85 20' 39" W, then the line follows the perimeter of a 2.9-mile radius from the center of the mouth of the Gulf County Canal to latitude 29 47' 28" N and longitude 85 18' 7" W on the shoreline, then clockwise along the shoreline of St. Joseph Bay to the point of origin at St. Joseph Point.

Management: The area will be closed to harvesting when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**East Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the mouth of the Gulf County Canal, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of St. Joseph Bay to a point (latitude 29 47' 28" N and longitude 85 18' 7") 2.9 statute miles south of the mouth of the Gulf County Canal, then clockwise in an arc with a radius of 2.9 statute miles from the center of the mouth of the Gulf County Canal to a point (latitude 29 51' 55" N; longitude 85 20' 39" W) on the eastern shoreline 2.9 miles north of the mouth of the Gulf County Canal, then southeastward along the shoreline to the point of origin at the mouth of the Gulf County Canal.

The area also includes the Gulf County Canal, ditches, man-made canals, unnamed bayous, creeks, and marinas.

**15 INDIAN LAGOON SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 1542 Indian Lagoon conditionally approved Zone A Winter Nov - Feb<br>1552 Indian Lagoon conditionally approved Zone B Winter Nov - Feb<br>1506 Indian Lagoon conditionally restricted Winter Nov - Feb<br>----- Indian Lagoon prohibited Winter Nov - Feb | 15A       | May 5, 2009    | Gulf      |
| 1512 Indian Lagoon conditionally approved Spring/Fall Mar – June, Oct   | 15B       | May 5, 2009    | Gulf      |
| 1572 Indian Lagoon conditionally approved Summer Jul – Sep<br>----- Indian Lagoon prohibited Summer Jul - Sep   | 15C       | May 5, 2009    | Gulf      |

**INDIAN LAGOON WINTER (MONTHS OF NOVEMBER – FEBRUARY)**

**1542 Indian Lagoon System conditionally approved Zone A Winter (Months of November – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon described by a line beginning at the easternmost tip of land on the Indian Peninsula, then due north across the mouth of Indian Lagoon to the mainland shoreline, then southwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to an unnamed point of land due north of Seminole Street, then due south to the intersection of Seminole street and the southern shoreline, then eastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals along the southern shoreline to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of land on the Indian Peninsula .

Management: The area will be temporarily closed when: 1) two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 1.65 inches, 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**1552 Indian Lagoon System conditionally approved Zone B Winter (Months of November – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon described by a line beginning at an unnamed point due north of Seminole street, then southwestward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a marked pole on the northern shoreline, then due south to a marked pole on the southern shoreline, then eastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals along the southern shoreline to the intersection of Seminole street and the southern shoreline, then due north to the point of origin at an unnamed point due north of Seminole street on the northern shoreline.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed when: 1) two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 0.38 inches, 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1506 Indian Lagoon System conditionally restricted Winter (Months of November – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon described by a line beginning at a marked pole (N 29.68298, W 85.24409) on the northern shoreline, then southwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then across the mouth of the creek to the southernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then eastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals along the southern shoreline to a marked pole (N 29.68577, W 85.24445) on the southern shoreline, then due north to the point (N 29.68298, W 85.24409) of origin at a marked pole on the northern shoreline.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed when: 1) two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 2.33 inches, 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Indian Lagoon System prohibited Winter (Months of November – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters west of a line beginning at the northernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then across the mouth of the creek to the southernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou. All creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals along the entire shoreline of the Indian Lagoon system are prohibited

### **INDIAN LAGOON SPRING/FALL (MONTHS OF MARCH – JUNE, AND OCTOBER)**

#### **1512 Indian Lagoon System conditionally approved Spring / Fall (Months of March - June, October)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon described by a line beginning at the easternmost tip of land on the Indian Peninsula, then due north across the mouth of Indian Lagoon to the mainland shoreline, then southwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then across the mouth of the creek, then eastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals along the southern shoreline to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of land on the Indian Peninsula .

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 3.09 inches; 2) Apalachicola River same day discharge measured at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 59,497 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Indian Lagoon System prohibited Spring / Fall (Months of March - June, and October)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters east of a line beginning at the northernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then across the mouth of the creek to the southernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou. All creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals along the entire shoreline of the Indian Lagoon system are prohibited.

## **INDIAN LAGOON SUMMER (MONTHS OF JULY – SEPTEMBER)**

### **1572 Indian Lagoon System conditionally approved Summer (Months of July – September)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon described by a line beginning at the easternmost tip of land on the Indian Peninsula, then due north across the mouth of Indian Lagoon to the mainland shoreline, then southwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then across the mouth of the creek to the southernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then eastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals along the southern shoreline to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of land on the Indian Peninsula .

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) seven-day cumulative rainfall measured at the Odena Forestry Tower near Port St. Joe, Florida exceeds 7.79 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Indian Lagoon System prohibited Summer (Months of July – September)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters east of a line beginning at the northernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou, then across the mouth of the creek to the southernmost point of land at the mouth of the creek to Money Bayou. All creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals along the entire shoreline of the Indian Lagoon system are prohibited.

**16 APALACHICOLA BAY SYSTEM SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION  
BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE   | COUNTY   |
|---|-----------|------------------|----------|
| 1601 Apalachicola Bay System approved Jan - May, Sept - Dec   | 16A       | February 9, 2011 | Franklin |
| 1611 Apalachicola Bay System approved Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| 1612 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| 1622 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| 1632 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| 1642 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| 1605 Apalachicola Bay System restricted Zone A Jan - May, Sept - Dec  | 1605      |                  |          |
| Apalachicola Bay System restricted Zone B Jan - May, Sept - Dec   | 1605      |                  |          |
| Apalachicola Bay System restricted Zone C Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| ---- Apalachicola Bay System prohibited Jan - May, Sept - Dec   |           |                  |          |
| 1621 Apalachicola Bay system approved June - Aug  | 16B       | February 9, 2011 | Franklin |
| 1671 Apalachicola Bay System approved June - Aug  |           |                  |          |
| 1652 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved June - Aug  | 1662      |                  |          |
| Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved June - Aug   | 1605      |                  |          |
| Apalachicola Bay System restricted June - Aug   |           |                  |          |
| ---- Apalachicola Bay System prohibited June - Aug  |           |                  |          |
| ---- Shellfish lease numbers 525, 551, 551B, 580, 582, 609, 672, and 981 which are located west of a line drawn from Green Point to Sikes Cut and east of the westernmost point of St. Vincent Island Summer June - Aug |           |                  |          |

**1601 Apalachicola Bay System approved (Months of January – May, September – December)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at a point on the mainland shoreline due south of the former Florida Highway Patrol one story building at 731 highway 98, Eastpoint FL (Latitude North 29.748278/Longitude West -84.853762, then southward to ICWW channel marker 36 (Latitude North 29.691234/Longitude West -84.847744), then southward to a piling (Latitude North 29.6775/Longitude West -84.843833) just north of the northern shoreline of St. George Island to a point on the northern shoreline of St. George Island (Latitude North 29.674326 / Longitude West -84.842958), then eastward along the northern shoreline of St. George Island, across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the mouth of East Slough (29.69929, -84.77067) then northward across the mouth of East Slough (29.700846, -84.77046), then eastward along the northern shoreline of St. George Island, across the mouth of all creeks and canals, to its northernmost tip (Latitude North 29.767956/Longitude West -84.696917), then northwestward across St. George Sound to the easternmost point of the seawall on the mainland shoreline west of Yents Bayou (Latitude North 29.785523/Longitude West -84.767866), then southwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at a point on the shoreline due south of the former Florida Highway Patrol one story building at 731 highway 98, Eastpoint FL (Latitude North 29.748278/Longitude West -84.853762).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 11.62 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or the area will be closed when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1611 Apalachicola Bay System approved (Months of January – May, September – December)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at the westernmost tip of St. Vincent Island (Latitude North 29.679233 /Longitude West -85.222539), then northward across Indian Pass to the easternmost tip of Indian Peninsula (Latitude North 29.68525 /Longitude West -85.22159), then due north to the mainland shoreline (Latitude North 29.693908 /Longitude West -85.221681), then eastward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southernmost point of the access road at Eight Mile (Latitude North 29.7167602619406 /Longitude West -85.1135601686355), then southeastward to the western shoreline of Red Fish Creek on St. Vincent Island (Latitude North 29.6866237636063 /Longitude West -85.1044280002558), then westward along the northern shoreline of St. Vincent Island to the westernmost tip of marsh on the eastern shoreline of Big Bayou (Latitude North 29.680317 /Longitude West -85.150401), then due west across the mouth of Big Bayou to the western shoreline of Big Bayou (Latitude North 29.678925 /Longitude West -85.154845), then westward along the northern shoreline of St. Vincent Island to the point of origin at the westernmost tip of St. Vincent Island (Latitude North 29.679233/Longitude West -85.222539).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 11.62 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or the area will be closed when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1612 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved (Months of January – May, September – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Green Point (Latitude North 29.708454/Longitude West -85.035694) on the mainland shoreline, then westward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the mainland shoreline at the southernmost point of the access road at five mile (Latitude North 29.717956139/Longitude West -85.068923118), then southwestward to the southwest corner marker of lease number 551 (Latitude North 29.71425 /Longitude West -85.07721), then southwestward to a post northeast of Cabbage Top (Latitude North 29.6924 /Longitude West 85.088166), then southeastward to the southeasternmost post of the Green Point Plant Site (Latitude North 29.68365/Longitude West -85.039833), then southeastward through a post (Latitude North 29.655592/Longitude West -84.997747) west of ICWW channel marker 77, then southeastward to the intersection of Little St. George Island and the northern entrance to Sikes Cut (Latitude North 29.616319 /Longitude West -84.961783), then northwestward across Apalachicola Bay to channel marker 1 of the Two Mile Channel (Latitude North 29.692133 /Longitude West -85.01255), then northwestward to the point of origin at Green Point (Latitude North 29.708454/Longitude West -85.035694).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) three-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 4.37 inches; 2) Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 25,132 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1622 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved (Months of January – May, September – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the western shoreline of the mouth of Red Fish Creek on St. Vincent Island (Latitude North 29.6866237636063/Longitude West -85.1044280002558), then eastward across the mouth of Red Fish Creek to the eastern shoreline of Red Fish Creek (Latitude North 29.6865443755857 /Longitude West -85.1039236530189), then southeastward along the northern shoreline of St. Vincent Island across the mouth of Sheepshead Bayou to St. Vincent Point (Latitude North 29.6727611402754 /Longitude West -85.0669956557897), then southward along the eastern shoreline of St. Vincent Island to the intersection of West Pass (Latitude North 29.633779 /Longitude West -85.096446), then southeastward across West Pass to the northernmost tip of Little St. George Island (Latitude North 29.627679 /Longitude West -85.094502), then eastward along the northern shoreline of Little St. George Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection with the northern entrance of Sikes Cut (Latitude North 29.6163194310435 /Longitude West -84.961783), then northwestward to a post (Latitude North 29.655592/Longitude West -84.997747) west of ICWW channel marker 77, then northwestward to the southeasternmost post of the Green Point Plant Site, then northwestward to a post northeast of Cabbage Top (Latitude North 29.6924 /Longitude West -85.088166), then northeast to the southwest corner marker of lease number 551 (Latitude North 29.71425 /Longitude West -85.07721), then northeast to the southernmost point of the access road at five mile (Latitude North 29.717956139 /Longitude West -85.068923118) on the mainland shoreline, then westward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to point due south of the access road at Eight Mile (Latitude North 29.71676 /Longitude West -85.11356), then southeastward to the point of origin at the western shoreline of the mouth of Red Fish Creek (Latitude North 29.6866237636063/Longitude West -85.1044280002558).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 39,706 cubic feet per second; 2) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1632 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved West (Months of Jan – May, Sept – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the westernmost tip of marsh on the eastern shoreline of Big Bayou on St. Vincent Island (Latitude North 29.680317/Longitude West -85.150401), then due west across the mouth of Big Bayou to the western shoreline of Big Bayou (Latitude North 29.678925/Longitude West -85.154845), then southeastward along the western shoreline of Big Bayou to a point due south of the northeast marker of lease number 525 (Latitude North 29.670365/Longitude West -85.131977), then due north to the northeast marker of lease number 525 (Latitude North 29.674013/Longitude West -85.132023) on the eastern shoreline of Big Bayou (Latitude North 29.674071/Longitude West -85.132025), then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Big Bayou to the point of origin at the westernmost tip of marsh on the eastern shoreline of Big Bayou on St. Vincent Island (Latitude North 29.680317/Longitude West -85.150401).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) three-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 1.49 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002 F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003 F.A.C and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.



#### **1642 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved (Months of January – May, Sept – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at a point on the mainland shoreline due south of the former Florida Highway Patrol one story building at 731 highway 98, Eastpoint FL (Latitude North 29.748278/Longitude West -84.853762), then southwestward through Channel Marker 2 of the Eastpoint Channel (Latitude North 29.73547 Longitude West -84.871134) to the intersection of the mainland shoreline and the eastern edge of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.722766121/Longitude West -84.8877570), then westward along the mainland shoreline to the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.72268213/Longitude West -84.88812710), then southward along the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge to the northern shoreline of St. George Island, then eastward along the northern shoreline of St. George Island (Latitude North 29.6729767/Longitude West -84.869047630318) across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the northern shoreline of St. George Island (Latitude North 29.674326/Longitude West - 84.842958), then northward to a piling (Latitude North 29.6775/Longitude West -84.843833) just north of the northern shoreline of St. George Island, then northward to ICWW channel marker 34-36 (Latitude North 29.69124/Longitude West -84.847744), then northwestward to the point of origin at the point on the mainland shoreline due south of the former Florida Highway Patrol one story building at 731 highway 98, Eastpoint FL (Latitude North 29.748278/Longitude West -84.853762).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) three-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 5.23 inches; 2) Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 51,210 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

#### **1605 Apalachicola Bay System restricted Zone A (Months of January - May, Sept – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the southeasternmost point of Tank Island in East Bay (Latitude North 29.784735 /Longitude West - 84.885047), then southwestward to the marked bridge piling on the northern side of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.729283 /Longitude West -84.94646), then southward to the marked bridge piling on the southern side of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.72923/Longitude West -84.94646), then southwestward to ICWW channel marker 9 (Latitude North 29.69513/Longitude West -84.974978), then southward along the eastern edge of the ICWW channel to ICWW channel marker number 76 (Latitude North 29.666204 /Longitude West -84.965926), then southward across the ICWW channel to ICWW channel marker 77 (Latitude North 29.664941 /Longitude West - 84.966146), then southward to the easternmost tip of Little St. George Island (Latitude North 29.616319/Longitude West -84.961783), then northwestward across Apalachicola Bay to Two Mile channel marker 1 (Latitude North 29.692133 /Longitude West -85.01255), then northwestward to Green Point (Latitude North 29.708454 /Longitude West -85.035694), then eastward along the mainland shoreline to a point due north of the westernmost tip of the West Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.712361 /Longitude West -85.022526), then due south to the westernmost tip of the West Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.710873 /Longitude West -85.022552), then eastward along the southern shoreline of the West Two Mile Breakwater to its southernmost point (Latitude North 29.708809 /Longitude West - 85.013823), then eastward across the Two Mile Channel to the southernmost point of the East Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.708945 /Longitude West -85.011434), then eastward along the southern shoreline of the East Two Mile Breakwater to its southeasternmost point (Latitude North 29.7114093641367 /Longitude West -85.0060044540612), then eastward to the southernmost tip of Towhead Island (Latitude North 29.71238 /Longitude West -84.974232), then northward along the eastern shoreline of Towhead Island to its easternmost tip (Latitude North 29.7140677627209 /Longitude West - 84.97360231496), then northeastward to the intersection of the southern edge of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge and the easternmost tip of the western causeway (Latitude North 29.727734/Longitude West -84.955587), then northward to the northern edge of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.728405/Longitude West -84.955449), then northeastward to Long Point (Latitude North 29.7445681/Longitude West - 84.9463845), then northeastward along the western shoreline of East Bay

across the mouths of all creeks, ditches rivers, man-made canals and coves to Blounts Bay (Latitude North 29.792009/Longitude West - 84.9370812), then clockwise along the shoreline of Blounts Bay and the northern shoreline of East Bay to the point of origin at the southeasternmost tip of Tank Island (Latitude North 29.784735/Longitude West - 84.885047).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 14.0 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

#### **1605 Apalachicola Bay System restricted Zone B (Months of January – May, Sept – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the intersection of the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge and the mainland shoreline (Latitude North 29.722682 /Longitude West -84.888127), then eastward to the eastern edge of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.722766\_/Longitude West -84.887757), then northeastward to channel marker 2 of the Eastpoint Channel (Latitude North 29.73547 /Longitude West -84.871134), then northeastward to a point on the shoreline due south of the former Florida Highway Patrol one story building at 731 highway 98, Eastpoint FL (Latitude North 29.748278-/Longitude West -84.853762), then southwestward along the mainland shoreline to a point due north of the easternmost tip of the East Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.7428368 /Longitude West -84.8674560), then due south to the easternmost tip of the East Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.7416725/Longitude West -84.866357), then southwestward along the southern shoreline of the East Eastpoint Breakwater to its westernmost point (Latitude North 29.7373/Longitude West -84.872216), then southwestward across the Eastpoint Channel to the easternmost tip of the West Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.7367778 /Longitude West -84.8730836), then southwestward along the southern shoreline of the West Eastpoint Breakwater to its westernmost tip (Latitude North 29.7331766 Longitude West -84.8803773), then due north to the mainland shoreline (Latitude North 29.7342160 /Longitude West -84.8815846), then southwestward along the mainland shoreline to the point of origin at the intersection with the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.722682 /Longitude West -84.888127).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 14.0 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

#### **1605 Apalachicola Bay System restricted Zone C (Months of January – May, Sept – Dec)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the most southern point of Gap Point (29.700846, -84.77046) then southward across the mouth of East slough to a point on the shoreline due south (29.69929, -84.77067) then eastward across the mouths of all creeks and canals to the point of origin at the southernmost point on Gap Point.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 14.0 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available

at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

#### **Apalachicola Bay System prohibited (Months of January – May, September – December)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at Campbell Point (Latitude North 29.789927/Longitude West -84.872164), then southwestward to the southeasternmost tip of Tank Island (Latitude North 29.784735 /Longitude West -84.885047), then northwestward along the western shoreline of West Bayou to the intersection with the southern edge of the State Road 65 bridge (Latitude North 29.8233639 /Longitude West -84.9038945), then eastward along the southern edge of the State Road 65 bridge to the eastern shoreline of West Bayou (Latitude North 29.8235478968539 /Longitude West -84.9035283211631), then eastward along the eastern shoreline of West Bayou to the western shoreline of East Bayou (Latitude North 29.829489 /Longitude West -84.886961), then northeastward along the western shoreline of East Bayou to the southern edge of the State Road 65 bridge (Latitude North 29.829481 /Longitude West -84.886711), then southeastward along the southern edge of the State Road 65 bridge to the eastern shoreline of East Bayou (Latitude North 29.819185 /Longitude West -84.849698), then southwestward along the eastern shoreline of East Bayou to the point of origin at Campbell Point (Latitude North 29.789927/Longitude West -84.872164).

Polygon 2: Beginning at the easternmost tip of the East Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.741673/Longitude West -84.866358), then southwestward along the southern shoreline of the East Eastpoint Breakwater to its westernmost point (Latitude North 29.7373/Longitude West -84.872216), then southwestward across the Eastpoint Channel to the easternmost point of the West Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.736778/Longitude West -84.873084), then southwestward along the southern shoreline of the West Eastpoint Breakwater to its westernmost point (Latitude North 29.733177/Longitude West -84.880377), then due north to the mainland shoreline (Latitude North 29.734216/Longitude West -84.881585), then northeastward along the mainland shoreline to a point due north of the easternmost tip of the East Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.742837/Longitude West -84.867456), then due south to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of the East Eastpoint Breakwater (Latitude North 29.741673/Longitude West -84.866358).

Polygon 3: Beginning at the third power pole in East Bay west of Eastpoint (Latitude North 29.735558/Longitude West -84.909788), then northeastward to the northernmost point of the rip-rap revetment on the eastern shoreline of East Bay (Latitude North 29.744175 /Longitude West -84.896346), then southwestward along the eastern shoreline of East Bay to the intersection with the east causeway of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.7356805 /Longitude West -84.902356), then westward along the northern edge of the causeway to a point due south of the third power pole in East Bay west of Eastpoint (Latitude North 29.734748 /Longitude West -84.909762), then due north to the point of origin at the third power pole in East Bay west of Eastpoint (Latitude North 29.735558/Longitude West -84.909788).

Polygon 4: Beginning at the intersection of the northern shoreline of St. George Island and the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.672794 /Longitude West -84.869301), then southwestward to the western shoreline of the mouth of the first unnamed canal west of the Ferry Pass Yacht Basin (Latitude North 29.663682 /Longitude West -84.876105), then northeastward to the western edge of the southern causeway of the St. George Island bridge, then southeastward along the western edge of the St. George Island bridge causeway to the point of origin at the intersection of the northern shoreline of St. George Island and the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.672794/Longitude West -84.869301).

Polygon 5: Beginning at the westernmost tip of the West Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.710873/Longitude West -85.022552), then eastward along the southern shoreline of the West Two Mile Breakwater to its southernmost point (Latitude North 29.708809/Longitude West -85.013823), then eastward across the Two Mile Channel to the southernmost point of the East Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.708945/Longitude West -85.011434), then eastward along the southern shoreline of the East Two Mile Breakwater its southeasternmost point (Latitude North 29.711409/Longitude West -85.006004), then eastward to the southernmost tip of Towhead Island (Latitude North 29.71238/Longitude West -84.974232), then northward along the eastern shoreline of Towhead Island to its easternmost tip (Latitude North 29.7140677/Longitude West -84.973602), then northeastward to the intersection of the southern edge of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge and the easternmost tip of the western causeway

(Latitude North 29.727734 /Longitude West -84.955587), then northeastward to Long Point (Latitude North 29.744568/Longitude West -84.946385), then northeastward along the western shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, rivers, and coves to the southern shoreline of the mouth of Blounts Bay (Latitude North 29.792009/Longitude West -84.937081), then southward along the shoreline following the perimeter of all creeks and coves, and following the perimeters of all rivers to the southern edge of the Apalachicola Northern Railroad Bridge to a point on the mainland shoreline due north of the westernmost tip of the West Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.712361/Longitude West -85.022526), then due south to the point of origin at the westernmost tip of the West Two Mile Breakwater (Latitude North 29.710873/Longitude West -85.022552).

Polygon 6: Beginning at the northeast marker of lease number 525 in Big Bayou (Latitude North 29.674013/ Longitude West -85.132023), then due north to the eastern shoreline of Big Bayou (Latitude North 29.674013/Longitude West -85.132023), then clockwise following the perimeter of Big Bayou to a point due south of the northeast marker of lease number 525 (Latitude North 29.670365/Longitude West -85.131977), then due north to the point of origin at the northeast marker of lease number 525 (Latitude North 29.674013/Longitude West -85.132023).

Polygon 7: Beginning at the southern shoreline of the mouth of Sheepshead Bayou (Latitude North 29.674955/Longitude West -85.081147), then clockwise following the perimeter of Sheepshead Bayou to the northern shoreline of Sheepshead Bayou (Latitude North 29.675369/Longitude West -85.081137), then southward across the mouth of Sheepshead Bayou to the point of origin at the southern shoreline of Sheepshead Bayou (Latitude North 29.674955/Longitude West -85.081147).

Polygon 8: Beginning at the northernmost point of St. George Island (Latitude North 29.767956/Longitude West -84.696917) then northwestward across St. George Sound to the easternmost point of the seawall on the mainland shoreline west of Yent Bayou (Latitude North 29.785523/Longitude West -84.767866), then northeastward along the mainland shoreline, including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the mainland shoreline due south of the Crooked River Light (Latitude North 29.825048/Longitude West -84.699885), then southward to the easternmost point of St. George Island, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of St. George Island to the point of origin at the northernmost point of St. George Island (Latitude North 29.767956/Longitude West -84.696917).

The Prohibited Area includes all marinas.

## **APALACHICOLA BAY SYSTEM SUMMER (MONTHS OF JUNE – AUGUST)**

### **1621 Apalachicola Bay System approved (Months of June – August)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon.

Beginning at ICWW channel marker 77 (Latitude North 29.664941 /Longitude West -84.966146), then northward across the ICWW channel to ICWW marker 76 (Latitude North 29.666204 /Longitude West -84.965926), then northeastward to a point on the St. George Island Bridge (Piling #107W – Latitude North 29.703 /Longitude West -84.890667), then southward along the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge to the northern tip of the southern causeway of the St. George Island Bridge (Latitude North 29.672977/Longitude West -84.869048) then southwestward to the western shoreline at the mouth of the second unnamed canal west of the Ferry Pass Yacht Basin on St. George Island (Latitude North 29.663682/Longitude West -84.876105), then southwestward along the northern shoreline of St. George Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of St. George Island and the northern entrance of Sikes Cut (Latitude North 29.6169291/Longitude West -84.9597029), then due west across the northern entrance of Sikes Cut to the intersection of the northern entrance of Sikes Cut and Little St. George Island (Latitude North 29.6163194/Longitude West -84.9617833), then northward across the ICWW channel to the point of origin, ICWW channel marker 77(Latitude North 29.664941 /Longitude West -84.966146).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 7.46 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1671 Apalachicola Bay System approved (Months of June – August)**

Classification Boundaries: Beginning at the intersection of the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge with the northern edge of the ICWW channel (Latitude North 29.6841270/Longitude West -84.8806578), then southward along the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge to the intersection of the northern shoreline of St. George Island (Latitude North 29.672977/Longitude West -84.869048), then northeastward along the northern shoreline of St. George Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the western shoreline of Sams Bayou (Latitude North 29.676015 /Longitude West -84.834835), then eastward across the mouth of Sams Bayou to the eastern shoreline of Sams Bayou (Latitude North 29.67651 /Longitude West -84.832579), then northward to ICWW channel marker 34 (Latitude North 29.69356/Longitude West -84.83653), then southwestward along the northern edge of the ICWW channel to the point of origin at intersection of the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge with the northern edge of the ICWW channel (Latitude North 29.6841270/Longitude West -84.8806578).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 7.46 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured the same day at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1652 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved (Months of June – August)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Campbell Point in East Bay (Latitude North 29.789927/Longitude West -84.872164), then southward along the eastern shoreline of East Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northernmost point of the rip rap revetment on the eastern shoreline of East Bay (Latitude North 29.744175/Longitude West -84.896346), then southwestward to the third power pole west of Eastpoint (Latitude North 29.735558 /Longitude West -84.909788), then due south to the northern shoreline of the eastern causeway of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.734748 /Longitude West - 84.909762), then westward along the northern shoreline of the eastern causeway of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge to the intersection with the northern edge of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.733462/Longitude West -84.915826), then westward along the northern edge of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge to the marked bridge piling (Latitude North 29.729283 /Longitude West -84.94645), then northeastward to the southeasternmost tip of Tank Island (Latitude North 29.784735 /Longitude West - 84.885047), then northeastward to the point of origin at Campbell Point (Latitude North 29.789927/Longitude West - 84.872164).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) five-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 2.69 inches; 2) Apalachicola River same day discharge measured at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 29,838 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **1662 Apalachicola Bay System conditionally approved (Months of June – August)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at ICWW channel marker 76 (Latitude North 29.666187/Longitude West -84.965912), then northwestward along the eastern edge of the ICWW channel to ICWW channel marker 9 (Latitude North 29.69513/Longitude West -84.974978), then northeastward to the marked bridge piling on the southern side of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.72923/Longitude West -84.94646), then northward to the marked bridge piling on the northern side of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.729283/Longitude West -84.94645), then eastward along the northern edge of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge to the intersection with the eastern causeway of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge (Latitude North 29.733462/Longitude West -84.915826), then eastward along the southern shoreline of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge Causeway to the mainland shoreline (Latitude North 29.7349558/Longitude West - 84.9030874), then southeastward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection with the western edge of the St. George Bridge (Latitude North 29.722682 /Longitude West -84.888127), then southward along the western edge of the St. George Island Bridge to a point on the St. George Island Bridge (Piling #107W – Latitude North 29.703 /Longitude West -84.890667), then southwestward to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 76 (Latitude North 29.666187/Longitude West -84.965912).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) five-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 4.99 inches; 2) Apalachicola River same day discharge measured at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 29,838 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Shellfish lease numbers 525, 551, 551B, 580, 582, 609, 672, and 981 which are located west of a line drawn from Green Point to Sikes Cut and east of the westernmost point of St. Vincent Island Summer (Months of June – August)**

Management: The waters of these leases shall be managed in accordance with the criteria for the 1611 Apalachicola Bay System approved area during winter months of January through May and September through December.

**1605 Apalachicola Bay System restricted (Months of June – August)**

Classification Boundaries: The boundaries for the Apalachicola Bay System restricted area during summer months of June through August are the same as described for the Apalachicola Bay System restricted area during winter months of January through May and September through December.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) five-day cumulative rainfall measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 4.16 inches; 2) Same-day Apalachicola River discharge measured two at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 29,838 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) The emergency condition for cumulative rainfall for any three-day period measured at the airport in Apalachicola, Florida exceeds 14.0 inches; 2) The emergency condition for Apalachicola River discharge measured two days prior at Blountstown, Florida exceeds 153,000 cubic feet per second; 3) Environmental data is not available at the alternate rain gauge measured at the East Bay Forestry Tower or the alternate river gauge located at Blountstown, Florida; or when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**1603 Apalachicola Bay System prohibited (Months of June – August)**

Classification Boundaries: The boundaries for the Apalachicola Bay System prohibited area during summer months of June through August are the same as described for the Apalachicola Bay System prohibited area during winter months of January through May and September through December.

**18 ALLIGATOR HARBOR SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE  | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| 1801 Alligator Harbor Approved<br>----- Alligator Harbor prohibited | 18        | August 19, 2012 | Franklin  |

**1801 Alligator Harbor Approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the northernmost point of the Alligator Harbor Peninsula, then due north across the mouth of Alligator Harbor to the mainland shoreline, then east along the northern shoreline of Alligator Harbor, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due north of a post (29°54.37/84°21.74) located in an unnamed offshoot in the northeast portion of Alligator Harbor, then due south through the post to the southern shoreline of the unnamed offshoot, then counterclockwise along the eastern shoreline of Alligator Harbor to the mouth of the unnamed offshoot in the southeasternmost portion of Alligator Harbor, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed offshoot to a point due north of a post (29°53.988/84°22.177), then due south through the post across the unnamed offshoot to its southern shoreline, then west to the northernmost tip of an unnamed island (29°54.005/84°22.332), then west to the northernmost point of land north of the trifurcating canal (29°54.096/84°23.213), then west-northwest to Channel Marker 39 (29°54.463/84°25.021), then northwest through Channel Marker 31 (29°54.463/84°25.021) to the northern shoreline of the Alligator Harbor Peninsula, then northwest along the northern shoreline of the Alligator Harbor Peninsula to the point of origin at northernmost point of the Alligator Harbor Peninsula.

Management: The area will be closed to harvesting when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Alligator Harbor prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at the northern shoreline of the mouth of the unnamed offshoot in the southeasternmost portion of Alligator Harbor, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed offshoot to a point due north of a post (29°53.988/84°22.177), then due south through the post across the unnamed offshoot to its southern shoreline, then west to the northernmost tip of an unnamed island (29°54.005/84°22.332), then west to the northernmost point of land north of the trifurcating canal (29°54.096/84°23.213), then west-northwest to Channel Marker 39 (29°54.463/84°25.021), then northwest through Channel Marker 31 (29°54.463/84°25.021) to the northern shoreline of the Alligator Harbor Peninsula, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the Alligator Harbor Peninsula to the southern shoreline of the mouth of the unnamed offshoot in the southernmost portion of Alligator Harbor, then counterclockwise to the point of origin, the northern shoreline of the mouth of the unnamed offshoot in the southernmost portion of Alligator Harbor.

Polygon 2: Beginning at a point on the mainland shoreline due north of a post (29°54.37/84°21.74) located in an unnamed offshoot in the northeast portion of Alligator Harbor, then due south through the post to the southern shoreline of the unnamed offshoot, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of the offshoot to the point of origin at a point on the mainland shoreline due north of a post (29°54.37/84°21.74) located in an unnamed offshoot in the northeast portion of Alligator Harbor.

The Prohibited Area includes all ditches, man-made canals and marinas.



**20 OCHLOCKONEE BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)         |
|---|-----------|----------------|-------------------|
| 2002 Ochlockonee Bay Conditionally Approved   | 20        | May 5, 2009    | Franklin, Wakulla |
| 2006 Ochlockonee Bay Conditionally Restricted |           |                |                   |
| ----- Ochlockonee Bay prohibited              |           |                |                   |

**2002 Ochlockonee Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at channel marker 29 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel, then due south to the southern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then eastward along the southern shoreline across all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the western shoreline of the mouth of Chaires Creek, then southward along the western shoreline of Chaires Creek, across the mouths of all tributary creeks, to the easternmost point of land at the first major disjunction of Chaires Creek, within 1200 feet of its mouth, then due east across the western arm of Chaires Creek to the western shoreline of the unnamed island, then northward along the western shoreline to its northernmost point, then due west across the eastern arm of Chaires Creek to the shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline of Chaires Creek, across the mouths of all tributary creeks, to the eastern shoreline of the mouth of Chaires Creek, then eastward along the southern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Bald Point, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Ochlockonee Bay to channel marker 1 of the Ochlockonee Bay Channel, then northward to an unnamed point due south of the lighted marker at the southern terminus of the Spring Creek Channel, then due west to the northeasternmost point of land on Mashas Sand Island, east of Ulmore Cove, then southward along the eastern shoreline of Mashas Sands Island, across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Ochlockonee Point, then southwestward along the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay to the eastern shoreline of the mouth of the first unnamed canal west of Ochlockonee Point, then southwestward to channel marker 24 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel, then southwestward to channel marker 25, then westward along the southern boundary of the main channel to the point of origin, Channel Marker 29 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Ochlockonee River discharge measured same day at Bloxham, Florida exceeds 2854 cubic feet per second; 2) three-day cumulative rainfall measured at the Hosford Forestry Tower, exceeds 2.24 inches; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**2006 Ochlockonee Bay conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Ochlockonee River channel marker 62, then eastward to Ochlockonee River channel marker 52, then due north to the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then eastward along the northern shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the eastern edge of the Highway 98 Bridge and the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then southward along the eastern edge of the Highway 98 Bridge to the bridge center span, then northeastward to the southernmost tip of the second dock east of Tide Creek, then northward along the dock to the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then eastward along the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the second dock west of the first unnamed canal east of Tide Creek, then southeastward to channel marker 24 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel, then southwestward to channel marker 25, then westward along the southern boundary of the main channel to channel marker 29 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel, then due south to the southern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then westward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the

easternmost side of the access road north of Shell Hammock on the southern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then northeastward to the southernmost tip of Turtle Island, then northeastward along the eastern shoreline of Turtle Island to the easternmost point of Turtle Island, then northeastward to the point of origin, Ochlockonee River channel marker 62.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Ochlockonee River discharge measured same day at Bloxham, Florida exceeds 3600 cubic feet per second; 2) three-day cumulative rainfall measured at the Hosford Forestry Tower, exceeds 3.08 inches; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Ochlockonee Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Ochlockonee River channel marker 62, then eastward to Ochlockonee River channel marker 52, then due north to the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then westward along the shoreline, including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of the easternmost point of Thoms Island, then due west to the easternmost point of Thoms Island, then southwestward along the eastern shoreline of Thoms Island to its southernmost tip, then due south to the northern shoreline of St. James Island, then eastward to the easternmost side of the access road north of Shell Hammock on the southern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then northeastward to the southernmost tip of Turtle Island, then northeastward along the eastern shoreline of Turtle Island to its easternmost point, then northeastward to the point of origin, Ochlockonee River channel marker 62.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern edge of the Highway 98 Bridge and the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then southward along the eastern edge of the Highway 98 Bridge to the bridge center span, then northeastward to the southernmost tip of the second dock east of Tide Creek, then northward along the dock to the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, then westward along the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin, the eastern edge of the Highway 98 Bridge.

Polygon 3: Beginning at channel marker 24 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel, then northeastward to the eastern shoreline of the mouth of the first unnamed canal west of Ochlockonee Point, then westward along the northern shoreline of Ochlockonee Bay, including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the second dock west of the western side of the mouth of the first unnamed canal east of Tide Creek, then southeastward to the point of origin, channel marker 24 of the Ochlockonee Bay main channel.

The Prohibited Area includes all ditches, man-made canals and marinas.

**22 WAKULLA COUNTY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                      | MAP#(S) | EFFECTIVE      | COUNTY(S) |
|---|---------|----------------|-----------|
| 2212 Wakulla County conditionally approved Zone 1 | 22      | March 23, 2017 | Wakulla   |
| 2222 Wakulla County conditionally approved Zone 2 |         |                |           |
| 2206 Wakulla County conditionally restricted      |         |                |           |
| ----- Wakulla County prohibited                   |         |                |           |

**2212 Wakulla System conditionally approved Zone 1**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon.

Beginning at the northernmost tip of Piney Island, then eastward across open water to the southwest point of the Oyster Bay Aquaculture Use Zone (OBAUZ) W-138 (N 30.053246, W 84.3402), then north to the northwest tip of the OBAUZ W-138 (N 30.054516, W 84.340204), then east to the northwest tip of the OBAUZ W-137 (N 30.054517, W 84.339678), then north to northwest tip of OBAUZ W-137 (N 30.057194, W 84.339687), then east to the northeast tip of OBAUZ W-101 point (N 30.057202, W 84.336081), then southeast to the westernmost tip of Palmetto Island, then northwestward across Oyster Bay to the westernmost tip of Boggy Island, then due west across open water to a post (N 30.069154 ,W 84.340215 ) on the mainland shoreline west of Boggy Island, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a post (N 30.065117, W 84.356183) on the eastern shoreline of Purify Creek, then southwestward across the mouth of Purify Creek to a point (N 30.061615, W 84.359899) on the western shoreline of Purify Creek, then southward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the south tip of the mouth of Skipper Creek, then slightly northeast to the western shoreline of Piney Island (N 30.048204, W 84.350185), then counter clockwise along the western shoreline of Piney Island, to the point of origin, the northernmost tip of Piney Island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall recorded at the Ochlockonee River State Park exceeds 1.08 inches during any seven-day period; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**2222 Wakulla System conditionally approved Zone 2**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the northernmost tip of Piney Island, then eastward across open water to the west tip of the Oyster Bay Aquaculture Use Zone (OBAUZ) (N 30.053246, W 84.3402), then north to the northwest tip of the OBAUZ (N 30.057194, W 84.339687), then east to the northeast tip of the OBAUZ (N 30.057202, W 84.336081), then southeast to the westernmost tip of Palmetto Island, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Palmetto Island to its easternmost tip, then northeastward across Oyster Bay to Channel Marker 26, then northeast to private Channel Marker 4, then southward across open water to the westernmost tip of Shell Point, then southwestward to Spring Creek Channel Marker 9, then southeastward to the lighted channel marker, then due south to an unnamed point due east of the northernmost tip of Ochlockonee Point, then due west from the unnamed point to the northernmost tip of Ochlockonee Point, then due west across the mouth of Ulmore Cove to the eastern shoreline of Mashas Sand Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Mashas Sand Island to a point southwest of Channel Marker 18, then northeast through Channel Marker 18 to the southeasternmost tip of Porters Island (Fiddlers Point), then northward along the eastern shoreline of Porters Island to its northernmost tip, then north across open water to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the south tip of the mouth of Skipper Creek, then slightly northeast to the western shoreline of Piney Island (N 30.048204, W 84.350185), then clockwise across the mouths all creeks, ditches and man-made canals along the western shoreline of Piney Island to its southernmost tip, then counter-clockwise along the eastern shoreline of Piney Island to the Point of origin, the northernmost tip

of Piney Island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall recorded at the Ochlockonee River State Park exceeds 3.58 inches in any seven-day period; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **2206 Wakulla System conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at Spring Creek Channel Marker 26, then southwestward to the northeasternmost tip of Palmetto Island, then counter-clockwise along the northern shoreline of Palmetto Island to its westernmost tip, then north-northwestward across Oyster Bay to the southwesternmost tip of Boggy Island, then eastward along the southern shoreline of boggy Island to its northeasternmost tip, then eastward across Spring Creek to the westernmost tip of Cutoff Island, then east along the northern shoreline of Cutoff Island to its easternmost tip, then northward to the closest point of land on the mainland shoreline, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southwesternmost tip of Shell Point, then northwestward across open water to private Channel Marker 4, then southwestward to the point of origin at Spring Creek Channel Marker 26.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the southeasternmost tip of Porters Island, then south-southeast across open water, through Panacea Channel Marker 18 to the northern shoreline of Mashles Island, then northwesterly along the northern shoreline of Mashles Sand Island to a point due south of Panacea Channel Marker 21, then due north across open water, through Panacea Channel Marker 21, to a point on the southern shoreline of Porter Island, then easterly along the southern shoreline of Porter Island, to the point of origin, the southeasternmost tip of Porters Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the northwesternmost tip of Mashles Sand Island, then southwestward across Levy Bay to the ramp at the southern terminus of County Road 372B, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline to the western shoreline of the mouth of Evans Creek, then due east across Levy Bay to the western shoreline of Mashles Island, then counter-clockwise along the mainland shoreline of Mashles Sand Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the point of origin, the northwesternmost tip of Mashles Sand Island.

Polygon 4: Beginning at a point (N 30.069154, W 84.340215) on the mainland shoreline west of Boggy Island, then northward along the mainland shoreline to the mouth of Old Creek, then northeastward across the mouth of Old Creek to the mainland shoreline, then eastward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the mouth of Cutoff creek, then southward across the mouth of Cutoff creek to the western shoreline of Boggy Island, then southwesterly along the western shoreline of Boggy Island to the southwesternmost tip of Boggy Island, then due west across open water to the point of origin, a post on the mainland shoreline west of Boggy Island.

Polygon 5: Beginning at the northwesternmost tip of Mashles Sand Island, north of Ulmore Cove, then due west across Ulmore Cove, to the eastern shoreline of Mashles Sand Island, then counter clockwise along the shoreline of Ulmore Cove, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the point of origin, the northwesternmost tip of Mashles Sand Island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) rainfall recorded at the Ochlockonee River State Park and then converted to RNALL exceeds 4.02 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **Wakulla County prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at Shell Point Channel Marker 9, then northeastward to the southwesternmost tip of Shell Point, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline of Shell Point, to the intersection of the mouths of Redfish and Walker creeks, then across the intersections of the mouths of Redfish and Walker Creeks to the western shoreline of Live Oak Island, then clockwise along the western shoreline of Live Oak Island to its southernmost tip, then southwestward to Shell Point Channel Marker 2, then southwestward to the lighted marker at the southern terminus of the Spring Creek Channel, then northwestward to the point of origin at Shell Point Channel Marker 9.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the easternmost tip of Boggy Island, then eastward across Spring Creek to the westernmost tip of Cutoff Island, then eastward along the northern shoreline of Cutoff Island to its easternmost tip, then northward to the closest point of land on the mainland shoreline, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of Boggy Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the easternmost tip of Stokley Landing, then easterly across open water to the western shoreline of Purify Creek, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline to the eastern side of the mouth of Purify Creek, then west across the mouth of Purify Creek to its western shoreline, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin, the easternmost tip of Stokley Landing.

Polygon 4: Beginning at Panacea Channel Marker 21, then due south to the northern shoreline of Mashers Sand Island, then counterclockwise along the western shoreline of Mashers Island to the northeasternmost tip of Mashers Sand Island, then south-southwest to the boat ramp at the end of state road 372B, then clockwise along the shoreline of Dickerson Bay to the southernmost tip of Hopkins Island, then due south across Dickerson Bay, to the northern shoreline of Porters Island, then clockwise along the shoreline of Porters Island to a point on the shoreline of Porters Island due north of Panacea Channel Marker 18, then due south to the point of origin, Panacea Channel Marker 18.

Polygon 5: Beginning at a point on the western shoreline of the mouth of Evans Creek, then due east across Levy Bay to the western shoreline of Mashers Sand Island, then clockwise along the shoreline of Mashers Island, to the point of origin, a point on the western shoreline of the mouth of Evans Creek.

The Prohibited area also includes all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals of Apalachee Bay, north of Ochlockonee Point and west of Live Oak Island. The Prohibited area includes marinas.

**25 HORSESHOE BEACH SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 2502 Horseshoe Beach conditionally approved Winter Oct-Mar<br>----- Horseshoe Beach prohibited | 25        | June 28, 2018  | Dixie     |

**2502 Horseshoe Beach Conditionally Approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon described by a line beginning at the southernmost tip of Big Grassy Key at 29.4956°, 83.3753° then, east southeastward to the northernmost point of Little Grassy Key at 29.4952°, 83.3725° then, southeastward to Stuart Point at 29.4893°, 83.3501° then, continuing southeastward to Drum Point at 29.4755°, 83.3317° then, continuing the southeastward line to the westernmost point of land due south of the landing strip at 29.4597°, 83.3068° then, south southwestward to a pole 1 mile due west of Horseshoe Point at 29.4423°, 83.3112° then, southward to channel marker #9 at 29.4100°, 83.3073° then, northeastward to a pole approximately 1/4 mile south of Butler Island at 29.4292°, 83.2663° then, continuing northeastward to a pole on the southernmost tip of land east of Lolly Creek at 29.4319°, 83.2569°, then north and eastward along the mainland shoreline to a point on the north bank of un-named creek #1 at 29.4342°, 83.2550°, then northeastward across the mouth of un-named creek #1 to the southern bank at 29.4350°, 83.2536°. Then, east southeastward along the mainland shoreline to the north bank at the mouth of the un-named creek #2 at 29.4338°, 83.2491°. Then, east southeastward across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to the southernmost tip of the un-named marsh island #1 in the mouth of un-named creek #2 at 29.4335°, 83.2480°. Then, continuing east southeastward across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to a point at 29.4333°, 83.2471° on the southern shore of the un-named marsh island #2 in the mouth of un-named creek #2. Then, eastward continuing across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to the southern shore of the un-named marsh island #3 in the mouth of un-named creek #2 at 29.4334°, 83.2463°. Continuing eastward across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to the southern bank at 29.4336°, 83.2455°. Then continuing eastward along the mainland shoreline to the western shoreline at the mouth of Butler Creek at 29.4324°, 83.2386°. Continuing north and northwesterly along the western shoreline of Butler Creek to a pole approximately 1/4 mile from the mouth of Butler Creek at 29.4344°, 83.2417°. Then northeastward to the opposite shoreline on the east side of Butler Creek at 29.4348°, 83.2404°. Then eastward and southward along the Butler Creek eastern shoreline to a point of land at 29.4323°, 83.2350° which is the east bank of the mouth of Butler Creek and/or the west bank at the mouth of Jim Lee Creek. Next, southeastward across Jim Lee Creek to a point at 29.4312°, 83.2335° on the eastern shoreline. Then, southward to the south and east bank at the mouth of Jim Lee Creek at 29.4302°, 83.2333°. Then eastward and southward along the mainland shoreline to the mouth of Amason Creek on the west bank at 29.4228°, 83.2270°. Then along the west bank shoreline to a pole approximately 1/3 mile upstream in Amason Creek at 29.4264°, 83.2252°. Then due east across Amason Creek to the eastern shoreline at 29.4264°, 83.2241°. Then, south and eastward along the east shoreline of Amason Creek to a pole at the mouth of the north tributary on the east shore of Amason Creek at 29.4258°, 83.2233°, then southeastward across the mouth of the north tributary in Amason Creek to the opposite shoreline of the north tributary on the northwestern tip of an un-named marsh island at 29.4253°, 83.2229°, then southward and eastward along the eastern shoreline of the un-named marsh island to the southeastern tip at a pole at 29.4224°, 83.2210° which marks the north shore of the southern tributary on the east shoreline of Amason Creek. Then, southeastward across the mouth of the southern tributary to the eastern shoreline of Amason Creek at 29.4221°, 83.2206°. Then, westward, eastward, and southward along the mainland shoreline to the southernmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of Fishbone Creek at a pole at the mouth of Fishbone Creek at 29.4166°, 83.2168°. Then, southward to a pole on the outside bar at the mouth of an un-named creek at 29.4099°, 83.2167°. Then, continuing south southeastward to the northernmost point of the un-named marsh island at the mouth of Shired Creek at 29.4015°, 83.2122°. Continuing southward along the western shoreline of the un-named marsh island at the mouth of Shired Creek to the southernmost tip of the un-named marsh island at 29.3986°, 83.2118°. Then, eastward to the east shoreline of the mouth of Shired Creek at 29.3980°, 83.2102°. Then southeast and southward along the mainland shoreline of Shired Island to the mouth of Johnson Creek at 29.3849°, 83.2031°. Then east, and northeastward along the northern shoreline of Johnson Creek to the west bank of the mouth of tributary #1 at 29.3849°, 83.2022°. Then across the mouth of tributary #1 in Johnson Creek to the East bank at 29.3850°, 83.2015°. Then continuing northeastward along the northern shoreline of Johnson Creek to the west bank of the mouth of tributary #2 at 29.3846°, 83.1998°. Then across the mouth of tributary #2 in Johnson Creek to the East bank at 29.3848°,

83.1994°. Then continuing northeastward along the northern shoreline of Johnson Creek to the west bank of the mouth of tributary #3 at 29.3854°, 83.1977°. Then across the mouth of tributary #3 in Johnson Creek to the East bank at 29.3860°, 83.1965°. Then continuing northeastward along the northern shoreline of Johnson Creek to a boundary pole on the north shore approximately 1/2 mile upstream from the mouth of Johnson Creek at 29.3862°, 83.1962°. Then, southeast across Johnson Creek to the opposite shoreline at 29.3857°, 83.1955°. Then, southwestward along the southern shoreline of Johnson Creek to a point at 29.3839°, 83.1970° which is the north bank of the mouth of a tributary on the south shoreline in Johnson Creek. Then southwestward across the mouth of the tributary to the south bank at 29.3830°, 83.1979°. Then continuing westerly along the south shoreline of Johnson Creek to the mouth of Johnson Creek. Then southerly along the shoreline of Big Pine Island to the southernmost point of land on Big Pine Island at the mouth of Sander's Creek at 29.3740°, 83.2005°. Then northeastward along the north shoreline of Sander's Creek to a pole at 29.3771°, 83.1972° marking the mouth of a tributary on the north shoreline of Sander's Creek. Then northeastward across the tributary to the westernmost point of land on an un-named marsh island at 29.3780°, 83.1955°. Then southeastward along the shoreline of the un-named marsh island to the southernmost point at a boundary pole in Sander's Creek at 29.3771°, 83.1938°. Then southeastward to a pole on the southernmost point of an un-named marsh island of the north shore of the main flow of Sander's Creek at 29.3763°, 83.1920°. Then southward across Sander's Creek to a pole on the shoreline of an un-named marsh island at 29.3748°, 83.1919°. Then southwestward and southeastward along the shoreline of the un-named marsh island to the southernmost point at 29.3727°, 83.1912° which marks the north bank of the mouth of the southern tributary on the east shore of Sander's Creek. Then due south across the mouth of the southern tributary to the south bank at 29.3713°, 83.1913°. Then south, west, and southeastward along the shoreline to the southernmost point at 29.3693°, 83.1916° which marks the north shore of an un-named tributary south of Sander's Cut. Then southeastward across the mouth of the un-named tributary to the south shore at 29.3680°, 83.1895°. Then south and westward along the mainland shoreline to the Horseshoe Beach / Suwannee Sound shellfish harvesting area boundary pole at 29.3651°, 83.1905°. Then, due west to the southernmost point of land on Coon Island at 29.3651°, 83.2021°. Then, due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary Line, then northward along the Submerged Lands Act Boundary Line to a point due west of the southernmost tip of Big Grassy Key, then due east to the point of origin at the southernmost tip of Big Grassy Island at 29.4956°, 83.3753°.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) cumulative rainfall for any one-day period measured at Manatee Springs State Park exceeds 3.56 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L1-1.003, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closing a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L1-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Horseshoe Beach prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes the following waters:

Polygon 1: Includes all waters, side creeks and bayous north and southeastward of a southeastward line starting at Stuart Point at 29.4893°, 83.3501°. Then, continuing the southeastward line to Drum Point at 29.4755°, 83.3317°. Then, counter-clockwise along the mainland shoreline including the perimeter of all creeks, canals, coves and embayments to the point of origin at Stuart Point at 29.4893°, 83.3501°.

Polygon 2: Includes all waters, side creeks and bayous north and eastward of the continuing southeastward line from Drum Point at 29.4755°, 83.3317°, to the westernmost point of land due south of the landing strip at 29.4597°, 83.3068°. Then, counter-clockwise along the mainland shoreline including the perimeter of all creeks, coves, canals and embayments to the point of origin at Drum Point at 29.4755°, 83.3317°.

Polygon 3: All waters, side creeks and bayous within a polygon #3 described by a line beginning at the westernmost point of land due south of the landing strip at 29.4597°, 83.3068°. then, south southwestward to a pole approximately 1-mile due west of Horseshoe Point at 29.4423°, 83.3112° then, southward to channel marker #9 at 29.4100°, 83.3073° then, northeastward to a pole approximately 1/4 mile south of Butler Island at 29.4292°, 83.2663° then, continuing northeastward to a pole on the southernmost tip of land east of Lolly Creek at 29.4319°, 83.2569°. then, counterclockwise following the mainland shoreline including the perimeter of all creeks, coves, canals and embayments to the point of origin at the westernmost point of land due south of the landing strip at 29.4350°, 83.2536°.

Polygon 4: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, east, and west of the conditionally approved boundary line of the un-named creek #1 at 29.4342°, 83.2550°, across the mouth of un-named creek #1 to the opposite bank at 29.4342°, 83.2550°.

Polygon 5: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, east, and west of the conditionally approved boundary line of the un-named creek #2 at 29.4338°, 83.2491°, across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to a point at 29.4333°, 83.2471° on the southern shore of the un-named marsh island in the mouth of un-named creek #2. Then, eastward continuing across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to the southern shore of the next un-named marsh island in the mouth of un-named creek #2 at 29.4334°, 83.2463°. Continuing eastward across the mouth of un-named creek #2 to the bank at 29.4336°, 83.2455°.

Polygon 6: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, west, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line of Butler Creek from the west bank at a pole approximately ¼ mile from the mouth of Butler Creek at 29.4344°, 83.2417°. Then northeastward to the opposite shoreline on the east side of Butler Creek at 29.4348°, 83.2404°.

Polygon 7: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, east, and west of the conditionally approved boundary line of Jim Lee Creek at 29.4323°, 83.2350° across the mouth of Jim Lee Creek to the opposite bank at 29.4302°, 83.2333°.

Polygon 8: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, east, and west of the conditionally approved boundary line of Amason Creek to a pole approximately 1/3 mile upstream in Amason Creek at 29.4264°, 83.2252°. Then due east across Amason Creek to the eastern shoreline at 29.4264°, 83.2241°.

Polygon 9: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, east, and west of the conditionally approved boundary line at the mouth of the north tributary on the east shore of Amason Creek at 29.4258°, 83.2233°, then southeastward across the mouth of the north tributary in Amason Creek to the opposite shoreline of the north tributary on the northwestern tip of an un-named marsh island at 29.4253°, 83.2229°.

Polygon 10: All waters, side creeks and bayous north east and west of the conditionally approved boundary line at the un-named marsh island to the southeastern tip at a pole at 29.4224°, 83.2210° which marks the north shore of the southern tributary on the east shoreline of Amason Creek. Then, southeastward across the mouth of the southern tributary to the eastern shoreline of Amason Creek at 29.4221°, 83.2206°.

Polygon 11: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, south, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line at the southernmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of Fishbone Creek at a pole at the mouth of Fishbone Creek at 29.4166°, 83.2168°. Then, southward to a pole on the outside bar at the mouth of an un-named creek at 29.4099°, 83.2167°. Then, continuing south southeastward to the northernmost point of the un-named marsh island at the mouth of Shired Creek at 29.4015°, 83.2122°. Continuing southward along the western shoreline of the un-named marsh island at the mouth of Shired Creek to the southernmost tip of the un-named marsh island at 29.3986°, 83.2118°. Then, eastward to the east shoreline of the mouth of Shired Creek at 29.3980°, 83.2102°.

Polygon 12: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, west, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line in Johnson Creek beginning at tributary #1 along the northern shoreline of Johnson Creek at 29.3849°, 83.2022°. Across the mouth of tributary #1 to the opposite bank at 29.3850°, 83.2015°.

Polygon 13: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, west, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line in Johnson Creek beginning at tributary #2 at 29.3846°, 83.1998°. Then across the mouth of tributary #2 in Johnson Creek to the opposite bank at 29.3848°, 83.1994°.

Polygon 14: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, west, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line in Johnson Creek beginning at tributary #3 at 29.3854°, 83.1977°. Then across the mouth of tributary #3 in Johnson Creek to the East bank at 29.3860°, 83.1965°.

Polygon 15: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, south, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line in Johnson Creek beginning at a boundary pole on the north shore approximately 1/2 mile upstream from the mouth of Johnson Creek at 29.3862°, 83.1962°. Then, southeast across Johnson Creek to the opposite shoreline at 29.3857°, 83.1955°.

Polygon 16: All waters, side creeks and bayous west, south, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line in Johnson Creek beginning at 29.3839°, 83.1970° which is the north bank of the mouth of a tributary on the south shoreline in Johnson Creek. Then southwestward across the mouth of the tributary to the south bank at 29.3830°, 83.1979°.

Polygon 17: All waters, side creeks and bayous north and east of the conditionally approved boundary line on the north shoreline of Sander's Creek to a pole at 29.3771°, 83.1972° marking the mouth of a tributary on the north shoreline of Sander's Creek. Then northeastward across the tributary to the westernmost point of land on an un-named marsh island at 29.3780°, 83.1955°.

Polygon 18: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, south, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line at a boundary pole in Sander's Creek at 29.3771°, 83.1938°. Then southeastward to a pole on the southernmost point of an un-named marsh island of the north shore of the main flow of Sander's Creek at 29.3763°, 83.1920°.

Polygon 19: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, south, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line at 29.3727°, 83.1912° which marks the north bank of the mouth of the southern tributary on the east



shore of Sander's Creek. Then due south across the mouth of the southern tributary to the south bank at 29.3713°, 83.1913°.

Polygon 20: All waters, side creeks and bayous north, and east of the conditionally approved boundary line at 29.3693°, 83.1916° which marks the north shore of an un-named tributary south of Sander's Cut. Then southeastward across the mouth of the un-named tributary to the south shore at 29.3680°, 83.1895°.

The Prohibited area also includes all marinas and canals.

**28 SUWANNEE SOUND SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                             | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)   |
|--|--------------|----------------|-------------|
| 2802 Suwannee Sound Spring/Summer conditionally approved | 28A          | June 28, 2018  | Dixie, Levy |
| 2812 Suwannee Sound Winter conditionally approved        |              |                |             |
| ---- Suwannee Sound Winter prohibited                    | 28B          |                |             |

**2802 Suwannee Sound Conditionally Approved Spring/Summer Area (Months of February - May, and September)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the southernmost point of land on Coon Island at 29.3651° 83.2021°, then due east to the marsh shoreline 29.3651° 83.1905°, then southeastward along the shoreline to the point at the northwest corner of the mouth of Bumblebee Creek at 29.3635° 83.1891°, then eastward following the marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all small creeks to a marsh point at 29.3632° 83.1857°, then continuing eastward to the next marsh point in Bumblebee Creek at 29.3632° 83.1829°, then northward and eastward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all small creeks to a pole on the northern shoreline of Bumblebee Creek at 29.3639° 83.1787°, then southward across the creek to the southern shoreline at 29.3623° 83.1790°, then southward and westward along the marsh shoreline that makes up the southern shoreline of Bumblebee Creek and across the mouths of all small creeks to the marsh point at the southwest corner of the creek at 29.3547° 83.1845°, then southward and eastward along the outer marsh shoreline to a point in the northwest corner of the mouth of Double Barrel Creek at 29.3474° 83.1767°, then northeastward to the next small marsh point at 29.3480° 83.1762°, then continuing northeastward to the northernmost tip of a small marsh island at 29.3485° 83.1753°, then eastward to the next small marsh point at 29.3483° 83.1741°, then east southeastward across the main channel of the North Branch of Double Barrel Creek to a pole at 29.3477° 83.1730°, then continuing southeastward to a small marsh island in the middle of the mouth of the South Branch of Double Barrel Creek at 29.3461° 83.1712°, then continuing southeastward across the mouth of the South Branch of Double Barrel Creek to the marsh shoreline at 29.3452° 83.1704°, then southwestward along the marsh shoreline to a marsh point at the southwest corner of the mouth of Double Barrel Creek at 29.3435° 83.1712°, then continuing southwestward to a pole in the open water 0.55 miles northwest of Cat Island at 29.3351° 83.1842°, then southward to 29.3200° 83.1842° at Boiler Gap, then due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then northward along the Boundary to a point due west of the southernmost point of land on Coon Island, then due east to the point of origin at the southernmost point of land on Coon Island at 29.3651° 83.2021°.

Polygon 2: Beginning at 29.2949° 83.1819° on the reef 1.0 mile west of the Alligator Pass entrance of the Suwannee River, then southeastward to the Suwannee River Alligator Pass daybeacon #8 at 29.2665° 83.1681°, then southeastward to 29.2448° 83.0997° just northwest of the oyster racks on Lone Cabbage Reef, then continuing eastward to a pole location at 29.2455° 83.0751° on the westernmost point of land that begins the north shore of Giger Creek, then continuing eastward approximately ¼ mile upstream along the marsh shoreline and across the mouth of all small creeks to a pole at 29.2449° 83.0689° along the north shore of Giger Creek, then southeastward to the southern shore of Giger Creek at 29.2442° 83.0680°, then southward along the southern shoreline of Giger Creek to a marsh point at 29.2388° 83.0692°, then southward to a pole at 29.2361° 83.0688° on the western tip of the small marsh island just south of Clark Islands, then southwestward to a pole at 29.2298° 83.0731° on the northwestern tip of Raleigh Islands, then continuing southwestward to a pole at 29.2252° 83.0773° on the westernmost point of the Raleigh Islands, then westward across the mouth of Buck Island Pass to the northeast corner of Long Cabbage Island at 29.2254° 83.0809°, then westward along the northern shoreline of Long Cabbage Island to the northwest tip at 29.2248° 83.0854° then due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then northward along the Boundary to a point due west of the point of origin on the reef west of the Alligator Pass entrance, then due east to the point of origin at 29.2949° 83.1819° on the reef 1.0 mile west of the Alligator Pass entrance of the Suwannee River.

Management: The conditionally approved summer areas will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) Suwannee River stage recorded at Manatee Springs State Park two days previous exceeds 4.45 feet; 2) Environmental data is not available; 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet

standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Suwannee Sound Prohibited Area Spring / Summer Area (Months of February - May, and September)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes the following waters: All side creeks and bayous of Bumblebee Creek and the main creek east of the conditionally approved boundary pole on the northern shoreline of Bumblebee Creek at 29.3639° 83.1787° and all waters north and east of the conditionally approved boundary line at the mouth of North Double Barrel Creek.

All waters south and east of the following line: from the marsh point at the southwest corner of the mouth of Double Barrel Creek at 29.3435° 83.1712°, then southwestward to a pole in the open water 0.55 miles northwest of Cat Island at 29.3351° 83.1842°, then southward to 29.3200° 83.1842° at Boiler Gap, then due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then southward along the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then due east to the conditionally approved boundary at 29.2949° 83.1819° on the reef 1.0 mile west of the Alligator Pass entrance of the Suwannee River, then southeastward to the Suwannee River Alligator Pass daybeacon #8 at 29.2665° 83.1681°, then southeastward to 29.2448° 83.0997° just northwest of the oyster racks on Lone Cabbage Reef, then continuing eastward to a pole location at 29.2455° 83.0751° on the westernmost point of land that begins the north shore of Giger Creek. This area includes the Suwannee River and the East Pass, Big Trout Creek, Little Trout Creek, Weeks Fisher Creek, Barnett Creek, Bird Island Creek, Dan May Creek, Mitchell Creek, Mocassin Creek, Hog Island Creek, Harris Creek, Salt Creek and all the creeks and canals surrounding the Town of Suwannee.

All waters of Giger and Ericson Creeks north and east of the conditionally approved boundary pole at 29.2449° 83.0689° along the north shore of Giger Creek.

All waters east and north of the conditionally approved boundary line east of Deer Island, including all of Preachers Hole, Clark Creek and the small creeks and bayous on the western side of Raleigh Islands.

The Prohibited area also includes all marinas.

### **2812 Suwannee Sound Conditionally Approved Winter Area (Months of October - January)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the southernmost point of land on Coon Island at 29.3651° 83.2021°, then due east to the marsh shoreline 29.3651°, 83.1905°, then southeastward to a point on the small marsh island at the mouth of Bumblebee Creek at 29.3611° 83.1891°, then southeastward to a point on the large marsh island at the mouth of Bumblebee Creek at 29.3607° 83.1884°, then southward along the outer marsh shoreline of the island to 29.3586° 83.1876° then continuing southeastward across the southern mouth of Bumblebee Creek to the marsh point at the southwest corner of the creek at 29.3546° 83.1845°, then southward and eastward along the outer marsh shoreline to a marsh point between Bumblebee Creek and the North Branch of Double Barrel Creek at 29.3485° 83.1817°, then continuing southwestward to a pole in the open water 0.55 miles northwest of Cat Island at 29.3351° 83.1842°, then southward to 29.3200° 83.1842° at Boiler Gap, then due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then northward along the Boundary to a point due west of the southernmost point of land on Coon Island, then due east to the point of origin at the southernmost point of land on Coon Island at 29.3651°, 83.2021°.

Polygon 2: Beginning at 29.2949° 83.1819° on the reef 1.0 mile west of the Alligator Pass entrance of the Suwannee River, then southeastward to the Suwannee River Alligator Pass daybeacon #8 at 29.2665° 83.1681°, then southeastward to 29.2448° 83.0997° just northwest of the oyster racks on Lone Cabbage Reef, then southeastward to 29.2416° 83.0787° on the northern tip of Deer Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Deer Island to a pole on the small marsh island off the southeastern corner of Deer Island at 29.2295° 83.0783°, then southward to a pole at 29.2252° 83.0773° on the westernmost point of the Raleigh Islands, then westward across the mouth of Buck Island Pass to the northeast corner of Long Cabbage Island at 29.2254° 83.0809°, then westward along the northern shoreline of Long Cabbage Island to the northwest tip at 29.2248° 83.0854° then due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then northward along the Boundary to a point due west of the point of origin on the reef west of the Alligator Pass entrance, then due east to the point of origin at 29.2949° 83.1819° on the reef 1.0 mile west of the Alligator Pass entrance of the Suwannee River.

Management: The conditionally approved winter areas will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) Cumulative one-day rainfall recorded at the Cedar Key Forestry Tower, Rosewood Florida, exceeds 0.43 inches; 2) Suwannee River stage recorded at Manatee Springs State Park one day previous exceeds 3.80 feet; 3) Environmental data is not available; 4) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, Florida Administrative Code. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003 and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to

normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Suwannee Sound Prohibited Winter Area (Months of October - January)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes the following waters:

All waters north and east of the conditionally approved boundary line across the mouth of Bumblebee Creek.

All waters within the following polygon: from a marsh point between Bumblebee Creek and the North Branch of Double Barrel Creek at 29.3485° 83.1817°, then continuing southwestward to a pole in the open water 0.55 miles northwest of Cat Island at 29.3351° 83.1842°, then southward to 29.3200° 83.1842° at Boiler Gap, then due west to the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then southward along the Submerged Lands Act Boundary, then due east to the conditionally approved boundary at 29.2949° 83.1819° on the reef 1.0 mile west of the Alligator Pass entrance of the Suwannee River, then southeastward to the Suwannee River Alligator Pass daybeacon #8 at 29.2665° 83.1681°, then southeastward to 29.2448° 83.0997° just northwest of the oyster racks on Lone Cabbage Reef, then southeastward to 29.2416° 83.0787° on the northern tip of Deer Island. This area includes the Suwannee River and the East Pass, Big Trout Creek, Little Trout Creek, Weeks Fisher Creek, Barnett Creek, Bird Island Creek, Dan May Creek, Mitchell Creek, Mocassin Creek, Hog Island Creek, Harris Creek, North and South Double Barrell Creek, Salt Creek and all the creeks and canals surrounding the Town of Suwannee.

All waters east of the conditionally approved boundary at Deer Island, including all waters of Giger and Ericson Creeks, Preachers Hole and the small creeks and bayous on the western side of Raleigh Islands.

The Prohibited area includes all marinas.

**30 CEDAR KEY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 3001 Cedar Key approved<br>3012 Cedar Key conditionally approved Zone A<br>3022 Cedar Key conditionally approved Zone B<br>---- Cedar Key prohibited | 30        | March 23, 2017 | Levy      |

**3001 Cedar Key Approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the polygon beginning at the northernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key, then southward along the western shoreline of Atsena Otie Key to the southernmost tip, then due eastward to the intersection with the western boundary line of area #32 Waccasassa Bay at °29.1182 °82.9370, then due south to the southern boundary line of area #32 Waccasassa Bay at °29.0755 °82.9370, then due west to the state Submerged Lands Act line, then northward along the Submerged Lands Act line to a point due west of the northwestern tip of Lone Cabbage Island, then due east to said point on Lone Cabbage Island at °29.2248 °83.0854, then south along the western shoreline of marsh islands to a marsh point at 29.2152 °83.0870 located west of Buck Island, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of McClamory Key at °29.1876 °83.0734, then southward to the westernmost point of Rattlesnake Key at °29.1554 °83.0677, then southward across the #4 Channel to a pole on the shell bar that makes up southern shoreline of the channel at °29.1489 °83.0654, then southward along the outside edge of shell and marsh islands to the southernmost tip of said islands at °29.1427 °83.0648, then southeastward to a pole on the marsh point west of Tyre Creek at °29.1388 °83.0583, then south southeastward to the westernmost point of the mangrove island west of the Cedar Key Airport, then southeastward to Piney Point, then eastward to the point of origin on the northernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Environmental data is not available; 2) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C., or 3) An emergency rainfall level of a cumulative three-day rainfall measured at the Cedar Key Forestry Tower exceeds 10.5 inches. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**3012 Cedar Key Conditionally Approved Zone A**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the polygon beginning at the northernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key, then northeastward to Channel Marker #8, then continuing northeastward to the southern tip of Scale Key at °29.1426 °83.0186, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Scale Key to the easternmost tip at °29.1511 °83.0164, then due north across the mouth of Scale Key Gap to a small Mangrove Island at °29.1540 °83.0164, then eastward along the outside edge of marsh Islands to a pole on the shell bar at the mouth of the gap at Cedar Pt. at °29.1548 °83.0127, then due northward across the mouth of the gap to the southern shoreline of Cedar Pt., then eastward along said shoreline to the easternmost tip of Cedar Pt., then westward along the northern shoreline of the island to a pole at °29.1578 °83.0095, then north northwestward across the gap, then northward along the eastern shoreline of the marsh island north of Cedar Pt. to the easternmost tip at °29.1643 °83.0085, then northeastward to the westernmost tip of Live Oak Key at °29.1655 °83.0047, then along the southern and eastern shoreline of Live Oak Key to a pole at °29.1675 °82.9982, then east northeastward to a pole on an unnamed mangrove island at °29.1714 °82.9799, then due east to the next marsh point on an unnamed marsh island at °29.1710 °82.9751, then continuing east along the southern shoreline of the unnamed island to 29.1722 °82.9680, then across the mouth of a creek to the southern tip of the next marsh island at °29.1731 °82.9634, then eastward across the creek mouth to the next marsh point at °29.1733 °82.9611, then continuing eastward across the creek mouth to the next marsh point at °29.1732 °82.9590, then southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1725 °82.9580, then southward along the marsh shoreline to °29.1716 °82.9582, then southward across the creek mouth to the next marsh

island at °29.1705 °82.9581, then following the shoreline of the marsh island to the southeasternmost tip at °29.1704 °82.9546, then eastward across the mouth of the next creek to a marsh point at °29.1699 °82.9528, then southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1688 82.9508, then continuing southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1681 °82.9489, then southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1674 82.9462, then east-northeastward across the mouth of the creek to °29.1683 °82.9417, then eastward and southward along the marsh shoreline to a pole at °29.1671 °82.9370, then due south in open water to °29.1820 °82.9370, then due west to the southernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key, then northward along the western shoreline of Atsena Otie Key to the point of origin at the northernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) three-day rainfall measured at the Cedar Key Forestry Tower exceeds 6.67 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **3022 Cedar Key Conditionally Approved Zone B**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the northwestern tip of Lone Cabbage Island, then eastward along the shoreline to the northeastern tip at °29.2254 °83.0809, then eastward across Buck Island Pass to the northwestern tip of Raleigh Islands at °29.2252 °83.0773, then south along the shoreline and across all creek mouths to the northwestern tip of Garden Island at °29.2170 °83.0730, then south along the western shoreline of Garden Island to the westernmost tip, then south to the northernmost tip of Hog Island at °29.2129 °83.0726, then continuing southward along the eastern shoreline of Hog Island to a pole on the shoreline at °29.2054 83.0723, then south across the water to °29.2015 83.0712, then southward and eastward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouths of Dennis and Seabreeze Creeks to a pole on the northern tip of Richard's Island at °29.1871 °83.0647, then southward along the western shoreline of the island to the southernmost tip, then across the mouth of Sand Creek and continuing south and eastward along the marsh shoreline to the mouth of Goose Creek, then continuing eastward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to the #4 Bridge at °29.1665 °83.0271, then eastward to a small marsh island at °29.1665 °83.0258, then northeastward to the small marsh island at °29.1669 °83.0237, then eastward to the next marsh island at °29.1669 °83.0229, then southeastward to a marsh point at °29.1639 83.0157, then southeastward to an unnamed marsh island at °29.1622 °83.0141, then eastward to a mangrove island at °29.1619 °83.0121, then southeastward along the marsh shoreline to °29.1593 °83.0102, then south-southeastward to the northern shoreline of Cedar Point at °29.1578 °83.0095, then eastward along the shoreline to the easternmost tip of Cedar Point at °29.1577 °83.0081, then westward along the southern shoreline of Cedar Point to °29.1557 °83.0129, then southward to a pole on a shell bar at the mouth of the gap at Cedar Point at °29.1548 °83.0127, then southward and westward along the outside marsh shoreline to a small mangrove island near the mouth of Scale Key Gap at °29.1540 °83.0164, then due south across the mouth of Scale Key Gap to the easternmost tip of Scale Key at °29.1511 °83.0164, then southward along the eastern shoreline of Scale Key to the southernmost tip, the westward across the mouth of Steamboat Gap to a pole on the unnamed marsh island at °29.1423 °83.0212, then north northwestward following the watercourse on the southeast shoreline of Scale Key to a pole at °29.1478 °83.0237, then due north to the small mangrove island east of Haven's Island at °29.1583 °83.0241, then northward to a point on the next mangrove island at °29.1624 °83.0233, then northwestward to the eastern tip of the next mangrove island at °29.1650 °83.0251, then westward along the northern shoreline of the mangrove island and across the open water north of the #4 Bridge Fishing Pier to the #4 Bridge at °29.1653 °83.0275, then southwest to the small marsh island at °29.1642 °83.0293, then south southwestward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouth of the unnamed bayou to °29.1604 °83.0308 on Hale Key, then southwestward to the unnamed marsh island at °29.1574 °83.0360, then southwestward to the next unnamed marsh island at °29.1559 °83.0405, then westward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed marsh islands to °29.1556 °83.0427, then west northwestward to Rye Key at °29.1563 °83.0449, then westward and southward along the outside marsh islands that make up the southern shoreline of the #4 Channel to a pole at °29.1529 °83.0516, then southwestward to a marsh point at °29.1489 °83.0540, then southward along the marsh shoreline to °29.1467 °83.0540, then south southwestward to a pole on the marsh point at °29.1436 °83.0552, then continuing south southwestward to a pole on the marsh point west of Tyre Creek at °29.1388 °83.0583, then northwestward to the southern tip of the shell bars south of Rattlesnake Key at °29.1427 °83.0648, then northward along the western edge of the shell bars to a pole at °29.1489 °83.0654, then northward across the #4 Channel to the westernmost tip of Rattlesnake

Key at °29.1554 °83.0677, then north-northwestward to the westernmost tip of McClamory Key at °29.1876 °83.0734, then north-northwestward to a marsh point west of Buck Island at °29.2172 °83.0874, then north and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline to the point of origin at the northwestern tip of Lone Cabbage Island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) two-day rainfall measured at the Cedar Key Forestry Tower exceeds 1.32 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Cedar Key prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the polygon beginning at the northernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key, then northeastward to Channel Marker #8, then continuing northeastward to the southern tip of Scale Key at °29.1426 °83.0186, the westward across the mouth of Steamboat Gap to a pole on the unnamed marsh island at °29.1423 °83.0212, then north northwestward following the watercourse on the southeast shoreline of Scale Key to a pole at °29.1478 °83.0237, then due north to the small mangrove island east of Haven's Island at °29.1583 °83.0241, then northward to a point on the next mangrove island at °29.1624 °83.0233, then northwestward to the eastern tip of the next mangrove island at °29.1650 °83.0251, then westward along the northern shoreline of the mangrove island and across the open water north of the #4 Bridge Fishing Pier to the #4 Bridge at °29.1653 °83.0275, then southwest to the small marsh island at °29.1642 °83.0293, then south southwestward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouth of the unnamed bayou to °29.1604 °83.0308 on Hale Key, then southwestward to the unnamed marsh island at °29.1574 °83.0360, then southwestward to the next unnamed marsh island at °29.1559 83.0405, then westward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed marsh islands to °29.1556 °83.0427, then west northwestward to Rye Key at °29.1563 °83.0449, then westward and southward along the outside marsh islands that make up the southern shoreline of the #4 Channel to a pole at °29.1529 °83.0516, then southwestward to a marsh point at °29.1489 °83.0540, then southward along the marsh shoreline to °29.1467 °83.0540, then south southwestward to a pole on the marsh point at °29.1436 °83.0552, then continuing south southwestward to a pole on the marsh point west of Tyre Creek at °29.1388 °83.0583, then south southeastward to the westernmost point of the mangrove island west of the Cedar Key Airport, then southeastward to Piney Point, then eastward to the point of origin on the northernmost tip of Atsena Otie Key.

All waters east and north of the following line beginning at to the northwestern tip of Raleigh Islands at °29.2252 °83.0773, then south along the shoreline and across all creek mouths to the northwestern tip of Garden Island at °29.2170 °83.0730, then south along the western shoreline of Garden Island to the westernmost tip, then south to the northernmost tip of Hog Island at °29.2129 °83.0726, then continuing southward along the eastern shoreline of Hog Island to a pole on the shoreline at °29.2054 83.0723, then south across the water to °29.2015 83.0712, then southward and eastward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouths of Dennis and Seabreeze Creeks to a pole on the northern tip of Richard's Island at °29.1871 °83.0647, then southward along the western shoreline of the island to the southernmost tip, then across the mouth of Sand Creek and continuing south and eastward along the marsh shoreline to the mouth of Goose Creek, then continuing eastward along the marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to the #4 Bridge at °29.1665 °83.0271, then eastward to a small marsh island at °29.1665 °83.0258, then northeastward to the small marsh island at °29.1669 °83.0237, then eastward to the next marsh island at °29.1669 °83.0229, then southeastward to a marsh point at °29.1639 83.0157, then southeastward to an unnamed marsh island at °29.1622 °83.0141 then eastward to a mangrove island at °29.1619 °83.0121, then southeastward along the marsh shoreline to °29.1593 °83.0102, then northward along the eastern shoreline of the marsh island north of Cedar Pt. to the easternmost tip at °29.1643 °83.0085, then northeastward to the westernmost tip of Live Oak Key at °29.1655 °83.0047, then along the southern and eastern shoreline of Live Oak Key to a pole at °29.1675 °82.9982, then east northeastward to a pole on an unnamed mangrove island at °29.1714 °82.9799, then due east to the next marsh point on an unnamed marsh island at °29.1710 °82.9751, then continuing east along the southern shoreline of the unnamed island to 29.1722 °82.9680, then across the mouth of a creek to the southern tip of the next marsh island at °29.1731 °82.9634, then eastward across the creek mouth to the next marsh point at °29.1733 °82.9611, then continuing eastward across the creek mouth to the next marsh point at °29.1732 °82.9590, then southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1725 °82.9580, then southward along the marsh shoreline to °29.1716 °82.9582, then southward across the creek mouth to the next marsh island at

°29.1705 °82.9581, then following the shoreline of the marsh island to the southeasternmost tip at °29.1704 °82.9546, then eastward across the mouth of the next creek to a marsh point at °29.1699 °82.9528, then southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1688 °82.9508, then continuing southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1681 °82.9489, then southeastward to the next marsh point at °29.1674 °82.9462, then east-northeastward across the mouth of the creek to °29.1683 °82.9417, then eastward and southward along the marsh shoreline to a pole at °29.1671 °82.9370.

The area also includes all ditches, creeks, man-made canals, and marinas located within this polygon, and all other waters not classified as approved or conditionally approved.



**32 WACCASASSA BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 3202 Waccasassa Bay conditionally approved<br>---- Waccasassa Bay prohibited | 32        | June 28, 2018  | Levy      |

**3202 Waccasassa Bay conditionally approved area**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the polygon beginning at a pole on the marsh shoreline east of Porpoise Creek at °29.1671 °82.9370, then east-northeastward across the mouth of the unnamed creek to a small unnamed marsh island at °29.1679 °82.9342, then eastward along the outside marsh shoreline of the unnamed island to °29.1680 °82.9318, then northeastward across the mouth of an unnamed creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1694 °82.9294, then eastward across the mouth of another small unnamed creek to the marsh shoreline at the mouth of Winzy Creek at °29.1694 °82.9285, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the unnamed island to its southeasternmost tip at °29.1687 °82.9266, then northeastward across the mouth of Winzy Creek to a point along the marsh shoreline at °29.1695 °82.9240, then continuing northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline to °29.1697 °82.9220, then eastward across the mouth of King Creek to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1699 °82.9192, then south and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline to °29.1688 °82.9183, then continuing eastward across the mouth of Jack’s Creek to a marsh point located at °29.1684 °82.9141, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline to °29.1696 °82.9116, then east-southeastward across the mouth of Tripod Creek to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1690 °82.9101, then southward and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to Tripod Point at °29.1644 °82.9045, then eastward and northward along the outside marsh shoreline to a small marsh island at °29.1663 °82.9021, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Griffin Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1678 °82.8974, then eastward and southward along the outside marsh shoreline to a point at the mouth of Tarpon Creek at °29.1661 °82.8953, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Tarpon Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1665 °82.8937, then southeastward to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1654 °82.8919, then continuing southeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to a point along the shoreline southwest of Kelly Creek at °29.1615 °82.8874, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks and bayous to a marsh point in the mouth of Kelly Creek at °29.1632 °82.8850, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Kelly Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1633 °82.8827, then continuing eastward and southward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all small creeks to Kelly Creek Point at °29.1596 °82.8757, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline to a point along the shoreline near the mouth of Deep Creek at °29.1617 °82.8733, then eastward across the mouth of Deep Creek to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1611 °82.8678, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all small creeks to the mouth of Mud Creek at °29.1635 °82.8606, then east-southeastward across the mouths of Mud Creek and West Pass of Rocky Run to the southwest tip of the unnamed island at the mouth of Rocky Run at °29.1624 °82.8575, then east-northeastward along the southern shoreline of the unnamed island to the southeastern tip at °29.1640 °82.8505, then northeastward across the mouth of East Pass of Rocky Run to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1646 °82.8480, then southeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to a point along the shoreline east of Salt Island Creek at °29.1597 °82.8424, then eastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouth of Salt Island Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1590 °82.8369, then southward and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline to Compass Point at °29.1551 °82.8336 then continuing southeastward in a straight line to channel marker #23 at °29.1422 °82.8272, then continuing southeastward to the unnamed mangrove shoreline at the northwest corner of Turtle Creek Bay at °29.1252 °82.8085, then southeastward along the marsh shoreline that makes up the northern shore of Turtle Creek Bay and across the mouths of the creeks to a point along the shoreline at °29.1160 °82.7989, then continuing southeastward to a small mangrove island in the middle of the bay at °29.1116 °82.7973, then southwestward to the northwestern tip of the large marsh island in the center of Turtle Creek Bay at °29.1100 °82.7988, then continuing southwestward to a point along the mangrove islands that make up the southern shoreline of Turtle Creek Bay at °29.1051 °82.8058, then westward along the northern shorelines of the chain of mangrove islands that make up the southern shore of Turtle Creek Bay and across the mouths of all creeks and bayous to a mangrove point on the southwestern tip of the bay at °29.1064 °82.8131, then southwestward to the westernmost point of the next mangrove island at °29.1021 °82.8180, then continuing

southwestward along the outside mangrove shoreline to Turtle Creek Point at °29.0988 °82.8230, then south-southeastward along the outside mangrove shoreline to the next mangrove point at °29.0945 °82.8208, then continuing south-southeastward across the mouth of Eleven Prong to South Mangrove Point at °29.0755 °82.8167, then due west to the intersection of the line with the eastern boundary line of area #30 Cedar Key at °29.0755 °82.9370, then due north along the boundary line to the point of origin at a pole along the shoreline east of Porpoise Creek at °29.1671 °82.9370.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) Waccasassa River stage measured at the US 19 bridge in Gulf Hammock exceeds 16.7 feet; 2) seven-day rainfall measured at the Cedar Key Forestry Tower exceeds 9.1 inches; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Waccasassa Bay prohibited area**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters north and east of the line beginning at a pole on the marsh shoreline east of Porpoise Creek at °29.1671 °82.9370, then east-northeastward across the mouth of the unnamed creek to a small unnamed marsh island at °29.1679 °82.9342, then eastward along the outside marsh shoreline of the unnamed island to °29.1680 °82.9318, then northeastward across the mouth of an unnamed creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1694 °82.9294, then eastward across the mouth of another small unnamed creek to the marsh shoreline at the mouth of Winzy Creek at °29.1694 °82.9285, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the unnamed island to its southeasternmost tip at °29.1687 °82.9266, then northeastward across the mouth of Winzy Creek to a point along the marsh shoreline at °29.1695 °82.9240, then continuing northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline to °29.1697 °82.9220, then eastward across the mouth of King Creek to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1699 °82.9192, then south and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline to °29.1688 °82.9183, then continuing eastward across the mouth of Jack's Creek to a marsh point located at °29.1684 °82.9141, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline to °29.1696 °82.9116, then east-southeastward across the mouth of Tripod Creek to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1690 °82.9101, then southward and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to Tripod Point at °29.1644 °82.9045, then eastward and northward along the outside marsh shoreline to a small marsh island at °29.1663 °82.9021, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Griffin Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1678 °82.8974, then eastward and southward along the outside marsh shoreline to a point at the mouth of Tarpon Creek at °29.1661 °82.8953, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Tarpon Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1665 °82.8937, then southeastward to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1654 °82.8919, then continuing southeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to a point along the shoreline southwest of Kelly Creek at °29.1615 °82.8874, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks and bayous to a marsh point in the mouth of Kelly Creek at °29.1632 °82.8850, then east-northeastward across the mouth of Kelly Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1633 °82.8827, then continuing eastward and southward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all small creeks to Kelly Creek Point at °29.1596 °82.8757, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline to a point along the shoreline near the mouth of Deep Creek at °29.1617 °82.8733, then eastward across the mouth of Deep Creek to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1611 °82.8678, then northeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all small creeks to the mouth of Mud Creek at °29.1635 °82.8606, then east-southeastward across the mouths of Mud Creek and West Pass of Rocky Run to the southwest tip of the unnamed island at the mouth of Rocky Run at °29.1624 °82.8575, then east-northeastward along the southern shoreline of the unnamed island to the southeastern tip at °29.1640 °82.8505, then northeastward across the mouth of East Pass of Rocky Run to the outside marsh shoreline at °29.1646 °82.8480, then southeastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouths of all creeks to a point along the shoreline east of Salt Island Creek at °29.1597 °82.8424, then eastward along the outside marsh shoreline and across the mouth of Salt Island Creek to the marsh shoreline at °29.1590 °82.8369, then southward and eastward along the outside marsh shoreline to Compass Point at °29.1551 °82.8336 then continuing southeastward in a straight line to channel marker #23 at °29.1422 °82.8272, then continuing southeastward to the unnamed mangrove shoreline at the northwest corner of Turtle Creek Bay at °29.1252 °82.8085, then southeastward along the marsh shoreline that makes up the northern shore of Turtle Creek Bay and across the mouths of the creeks to a point along the shoreline at °29.1160 °82.7989, then continuing southeastward to a small mangrove island in the middle of the bay at °29.1116 °82.7973, then southwestward to the northwestern tip of the large marsh island in the center of

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The area includes the Waccasassa River and its tributaries north and east of Waccasassa River channel marker 23, all ditches, creeks, marinas and man-made canals, and all waters not previously described in the conditionally approved area.

**34 WITHLACOOCHEE BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION  
BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)    |
|---|-----------|----------------|--------------|
| 3402 Withlacoochee Bay conditionally approved<br>----- Withlacoochee Bay prohibited | 34        | June 28, 2018  | Levy, Citrus |

**3402 Withlacoochee Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the westernmost tip of South Mangrove Point at 29.0754°, 82.8171°, then due eastward to a point on the marsh island at the northeastern most boundary of Lowe's bay at 29.0750°, 82.7869°, then continuing southward to the un-named island at 29.0714°, 82.7869°. Then continuing east southeastward to a point of land on the south shore of Lowe's Bay at 29.0686°, 82.7804°. Then continuing southward and southwestward along the shoreline to the point of land at 29.0635°, 82.7828°, that is the north bank of the mouth of Spring Run. Continuing southeastward across the mouth of Spring Run to the point of land at 29.0602°, 82.7743°, that is the south bank of Spring Run. Then continuing along the shoreline east and northeast to a point 29.0609°, 82.7722°, at the mouth of the west bank of Smith Creek, then southeast across the mouth of Smith Creek to a point at 29.0600°, 82.7710°, on the east bank of Smith Creek. Then continuing eastward along the shoreline to a point 29.0597°, 82.7645°, on the north bank of Thousand Mile Creek, then southeastward across the mouth of Thousand Mile Creek to a point at 29.0576°, 82.7627°, on the south bank. Then continuing along the shoreline to a point 29.0563°, 82.7603°, at the north bank of the mouth of Demory Creek, then southeastward across the mouth of Demory Creek to a point at 29.0545°, 82.7586°, on the south bank. Then continuing south along the shoreline to a point 29.0544°, 82.7586°, at the north bank of the mouth of Jones Creek, then southward across the mouth of Jones Creek to a point at 29.0524°, 82.7579°, on the south bank. Then continuing east and south along the shoreline to a point at 29.0488°, 82.7539°, on the north bank of the mouth of the un-named tidal creek (1), continuing south southeastward to a point at 29.0462°, 82.7525°, on the south bank of the mouth of the un-named tidal creek (1). Continuing southwestward across the mouth of the un-named tidal creek (2) to a point on the south shore at 29.0450°, 82.7533°. Then continuing southward along the shoreline to the southwestern most point of land at 29.0437°, 82.7534°, at the northern cut of Covas Creek, then continuing southwestward to the westernmost point on the island that makes up the north shore of the main flow of Covas Creek at 29.0422°, 82.7552°, continuing southward to the easternmost point of land on Covas Island at 29.0392°, 82.7551°, continuing southward to a pole on the small un-named marsh island on the southern shore of Covas Creek at 29.0370°, 82.7553°. Next, south southeastward across Hodges Island road to a pole at 29.0343°, 82.7554°, on the north shoreline of Vassey Creek, continuing due south across the mouth of Vassey Creek to the easternmost point of Vassey Creek island at the southern mouth of Vassey Creek at 29.0311°, 82.7539°. Then south to the northern most tip of Jubb Island at 29.0296°, 82.7539°, continuing southward along the western shoreline of Jubb Island to the southernmost tip of Jubb Island and the northern shore of the mouth of Fuller Creek at 29.0269°, 82.7539°, then south southeastward to the westernmost tip of the un-named marsh island on the south shore at the mouth of Fuller Creek at 29.0252°, 82.7533°. Then south southwestward to the northernmost tip of the un-named marsh island at the north cut of Helverson Creek at 29.0234°, 82.7539°, then westward and southward along the shoreline of the un-named island to the westernmost tip of the adjoining un-named wooded island between Helverson and Kelly creeks at 29.0205°, 82.7578°, then southeast and eastward along the western and south shoreline of the un-named wooded island to a point on the eastern shore at 29.0202°, 82.7565°, then southeastward to a point of land on an un-named marsh island of the south shore of Kelly Creek at 29.0177°, 82.7551°, continuing south southeastward along the western shoreline of the un-named marsh island to its southern tip at the northern mouth of McDonald Creek at 29.0161°, 82.7545°. Then southwestward to the northernmost tip of the island at the southern mouth of McDonald Creek at 29.0151°, 82.7555°, continuing southwestward of the western shoreline of the island at the southern mouth of McDonald Creek to the southwestern most tip of said island at the north shore of Bird Creek at 29.0127°, 82.7566°, then due west to the northeastern most tip of the island outside of the mouth of Bird Creek at 29.0127°, 82.7574°, then westward and southward along the shoreline of the island outside the mouth of Bird Creek to the western most tip at 29.0125°, 82.7591°, then southwestward to a pole on the small un-named island at 29.0084°, 82.7654°, continuing southwestward to a pole on another small un-named island at 29.0056°, 82.7671°, continuing southwestward to

another pole on another small un-named oyster bar island outside the Withlacoochee River channel near channel marker #38 at 29.0016°, 82.7701°. Then southwestward along the northern edge of the Withlacoochee River Channel to channel marker #24 at 28.9882°, 82.7853°, then southeastward to Cross Florida Barge Canal channel marker #37 at 28.9821°, 82.7767°, then southwestward to Cross Florida Barge Canal channel marker number 20, then southward to the Duke Energy Corporation channel marker 20, then southwestward along the southern edge of the Duke Energy Corporation channel to the Duke Energy Corporation channel marker number 8, then due north to a point due west of South Mangrove Point, then due east to the point of origin at the westernmost tip of South Mangrove Point at 29.0754°, 82.8171°.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) Withlacoochee River discharge measured at the main gate of the Withlacoochee River dam at Inglis, Florida exceeds 1,736 cfs; 2) Two-day cumulative rainfall recorded at Usher Forestry Tower, exceeds 2.03 inches; 3) Environmental data is not available; or 4) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1-1.003, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Withlacoochee Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters north and east of the line beginning at the westernmost tip of South Mangrove Point at 29.0754°, 82.8171°, then due eastward to a point on the marsh island at the northeastern most boundary of Lowe's bay at 29.0750°, 82.7869°, then continuing southward to the un-named island at 29.0713°, 82.7870° on the eastern portion of Lowe's Bay. Then continuing east southeastward to a point of land on the south shore of Lowe's Bay at 29.0688°, 82.7805°. Then all waters eastward of the mouth of Spring Run from the north shore of Spring Run at 29.0635°, 82.7828° across the mouth to the south shore at 29.0602°, 82.7743°. Then east and northeast along the shoreline to a point on the west shore of Smith Creek at 29.0609°, 82.7722° then all waters eastward from said waypoint on the west shore of Smith Creek across the creek to 29.0600°, 82.7710° on the south bank of Smith Creek. Then eastward to a point at 29.0597°, 82.7645° on the north bank of Thousand Mile Creek, then all waters north and eastward across the mouth of Thousand Mile Creek to a point at 29.0577°, 82.7627° on the south bank. Then continuing southeastward to a point at 29.0561°, 82.7600° at the north bank of the mouth of Demory Creek, then all waters north and eastward of Demory Creek across the mouth of Demory Creek to a point at 29.0547°, 82.7586° on the south bank. Then continuing southward to a point at 29.054303°, 82.758512° at the north bank of the mouth of Jones Creek, including all waters eastward of the line across the mouth of Jones Creek to a point at 29.0525°, 82.7579° on the south bank. Continuing along the shoreline to a point on the north shore of un-named tidal creek (1) at 29.0489°, 82.7539° including all waters eastward of the line across the mouth of un-named tidal creek (1) to a point at 29.0461°, 82.7524° on the south bank of the mouth of the un-named tidal creek (1). Then southwestward including all waters east and southeastward from the south shore at the mouth of un-named tidal creek (1) southwestward to the south shore of the mouth of un-named tidal creek (2) at 29.0450°, 82.7533°. Then southward to the south westernmost point of land at 29.0437°, 82.7534° at the northern cut of Covas Creek including all waters east and southeast of a line southwest to the westernmost point of land on an island between the northern cut of Covas Creek at 29.0422°, 82.7553° then southward to the eastern shore of the island with a modern two story metal framed house at 29.0392°, 82.7551°. Continuing southward to a pole on the small un-named marsh island on the southern shore of Covas Creek at 29.0370°, 82.7553°. Then south southeastward across Hodges Island road to a pole at 29.0345°, 82.7539° on the north shoreline of Vassey Creek including all waters east of the line continuing due south across the mouth of Vassey Creek to the easternmost point of Vassey Creek island in the southern mouth of Vassey Creek at 29.0311°, 82.7540°. Then south to the northern most tip of Jubb Island at 29.0296°, 82.7539° including all waters east of said line. Continuing from the southernmost tip of Jubb Island at the north shore of Fuller Creek and continuing south southeastward across the mouth of Fuller Creek including all waters eastward of the line at the mouth of Fuller Creek to 29.0269°, 82.7539° at the westernmost tip of the un-named marsh island. Then south southwestward to the northern most tip of the un-named marsh island at the north cut of Helverson Creek at 29.0234°, 82.7539° including all waters eastward southward and westward behind the large un-named marsh island to the eastern point of the island between Helverson and Kelly creeks at 29.0201°, 82.7566°. Then southeastward to a point of land on an un-named marsh island of the south shore of Kelly Creek at 29.0177°, 82.7551° including all waters east of said line. Then continuing from the southernmost point of the un-named marsh island on the north shore at the mouth of McDonald Creek at 29.0160°, 82.7546° then going southwesterly, including all waters easterly of said line terminating at northernmost point of the un-named island at the southern mouth of McDonald Creek at 29.0150°.

82.7555°. Then from the southernmost point of the previous un-named island at the north shore of Bird Creek at 29.0127°, 82.7566° continue westerly to the northeastern most tip of the island outside of the mouth of Bird Creek at 29.0127°, 82.7574° including all waters south and east of the mouth of Bird Creek. Then from the western most tip of the island outside of the mouth of Bird Creek at 29.0125°, 82.7590° continuing southwestward to a pole on the small un-named island at 29.0084°, 82.7654° including all waters easterly and southerly of said line. Then continuing southwestward to a pole on another small un-named island at 29.0056°, 82.7671° continuing southwestward to another pole on another small un-named oyster bar island outside the Withlacoochee River channel near channel marker #38 at 29.0016°, 82.7701° including all waters south and easterly of said line. Then southwestward along the northern edge of the Withlacoochee River Channel to channel marker #24 at 28.9822°, 82.7767°, then southeastward to Cross Florida Barge Canal channel marker #37 at 28.9882°, 82.7848°, then east northeastward along the southern edge of the Cross Florida Barge Canal channel into and including all waters of the Cross Florida Barge Canal. Including all waters east of channel marker #37 of the Cross Florida Barge Canal channel and all waters of the Withlacoochee River east of channel marker #24 not previously described in the conditionally approved areas including; all creeks south of McDonald Creek and north of the Cross Florida Barge Canal; Withlacoochee River; Cross Florida Barge Canal; man-made ditches, canals and marinas.

**37 CITRUS COUNTY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S)   | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-------------|----------------|-----------|
| 3701 Citrus County Approved Spring/Fall (Months of October, March, April, May, June)                    | 37A,<br>37B | May 5, 2009    | Citrus    |
| 3702 Citrus County Conditionally Approved Winter (Months of November, December, January and February)   |             |                |           |
| 3705 Citrus County Restricted Spring/Fall (Months of October, March, April, May, June)                  |             |                |           |
| 3706 Citrus County Conditionally Restricted Winter (Months of November, December, January and February) |             |                |           |
| --- 3703 Citrus County Prohibited   |             |                |           |

**3701 Citrus County Approved Spring/Fall (Months of October, March, April, May, June)**

Classification Boundaries: Beginning at a point on the southern shoreline of the Progress Energy intake canal berm north of Negro point, due south to the westernmost tip of Negro Island, then southeastward to Black Point, then southwestward across open water to Crystal River Channel marker 10A, then southeastward across open water to the southernmost tip of an unnamed island west of Fort Island Beach, then southeastward to the southernmost tip of Fort Island, then east/southeastward to the northernmost tip of an unnamed island west of Camp Island, then southeastward along the northern shoreline to the easternmost tip, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Camp Island, then southeast/eastward along the southern shoreline of Camp Island to the southeasternmost tip, then southward to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island southeast of Camp Island, then southeastward along the southern shoreline of the series of unnamed islands south of the Salt River, across the gaps, to the southernmost tip of the southernmost unnamed marsh island on the northwest corner of Dixie Bay, then due west to the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island west of Dixie Bay and north of The Narrows, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its northernmost tip, then due north to the southern shoreline of Spice Key, then southwestward along the southern shoreline of Spice Key to its westernmost tip, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island east of Chair Island, then due west to the northernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island north of Bear Island, then southwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its westernmost tip, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of Bear Island, then due west to the southernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island whose western tip is Shark Point, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to Shark Point, then southwestward to Mangrove Point, then south southwestward to Long Point, then south southwestward to Green Point, then due south to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island south of Green Point, then south southwestward to the westernmost tip of Rock Island, then due west to the Natural Resources Boundary (NRB), then northward following the NRB to the intersection of the NRB and the Cross Florida Barge Canal Channel, then eastward to the Progress Energy Channel marker 28, then northeastward along the southern edge of the Progress Energy Channel to the point of origin on the southern shoreline of the Progress Energy intake canal berm.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) cumulative rainfall for any six-day period measured at the Crystal River Forestry Tower exceeds 14.45 inches; 2) emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **3705 Citrus County Restricted Spring/Fall (Months of October, and March - June)**

Classification Boundaries: The Restricted area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at Black point, then east/southeastward along the shoreline across all creek, ditches and man-made canal mouths to the westernmost point of the northern shoreline at the mouth of Cedar Creek, then due south to the northwest tip of the unnamed island north of Shell Island, then southward along the western edge of the unnamed island north of Shell Island to the southwesternmost tip, then southward through the Crystal River channel to the northernmost tip of Shell Island, then southwestward along the western shoreline of Shell Island to its southernmost point, then south southeastward across open water to the westernmost tip of Fort Island, then southeastward following the western shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southernmost point of Fort Island, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of an unnamed island west of Fort Island, then northwestward across open water to Crystal River Channel marker 10A, then northeastward to the point of origin on Black Point.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the southernmost tip of Fort Island, then east/southeastward to the northernmost tip of an unnamed island west of Camp Island, then southeastward along the northern shoreline to the easternmost tip, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Camp Island, then southeast/eastward along the southern shoreline of Camp Island to the southeasternmost tip, then southward to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island southeast of Camp Island, then southeastward along the southern shoreline of the series of unnamed islands south of the Salt River across the gaps to the northeasternmost tip of the southernmost unnamed marsh island on the northwest corner of Dixie Bay, then due west to the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island in the northwest corner of Dixie Bay and north of The Narrows, then southward along the western shoreline of the Salt River, continuing south along the western shoreline of the Narrows to the small unnamed island at the junction of the Salt River and the northern reach of Salt Creek, then east across the Salt River to the eastern shoreline of the Narrows, then north along the eastern shoreline of the Narrows, then continuing northward along the eastern edge of Dixie Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals to the northwesternmost tip of the mainland shoreline at the confluence of the Salt River and Coon Gap, then due north across the Salt River to the southern shoreline of Pine Island, then westward along the southern shoreline of marsh islands and Pine Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals to the point of origin at the southernmost tip of Fort Island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) cumulative rainfall for any six-day period measured at the Crystal River Forestry Tower exceeds 14.45 inches; 2) emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **3702 Citrus County Conditionally Approved Winter (Months of November - February)**

Classification Boundaries: Beginning at a point on the southern shoreline of the Progress Energy intake canal berm north of Negro point, due south to the westernmost tip of Negro Island, then southwestward across open water to Crystal River channel marker 4, then southeastward across open water to the northernmost tip of an unnamed island north of Sandy Hook, then eastward along the northern shoreline to the easternmost tip, then northeastward to the westernmost tip of the unnamed island west of Camp Island, then eastward along the northern shoreline to the easternmost tip of the unnamed island west of Camp Island, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Camp Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Camp Island to the southernmost tip, then southwestward to the northwesternmost tip of the unnamed island north of Spice Key, then southward following the western shoreline of the unnamed island north of Spice Key to the southernmost tip, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Spice Key, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island east of Chair Island, then due west to the northernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island north of Bear Island, then southwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its westernmost tip, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of Bear Island, then due west to the southernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island whose western tip is Shark Point, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to Shark Point, then southwestward to Mangrove Point, then south southwestward to Long Point, then south southwestward to Green Point, then due south to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island south of Green Point, then south southwestward to the westernmost tip of Rock Island, then due west to the Natural Resources Boundary (NRB), then northward following the NRB to the intersection of the NRB and the Cross Florida Barge Canal



Channel, then eastward to the Progress Energy Channel marker 28, then northeastward along the southern edge of the Progress Energy Channel to the point of origin on the southern shoreline of the Progress Energy intake canal berm.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) cumulative rainfall for any three day period measured at the Homosassa Springs State Park exceeds 1.43 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **3706 Citrus County Conditionally Restricted Winter (Months of November - February)**

Classification Boundaries: Beginning at the westernmost tip of Negro island, then southeastward to Black Point, then east/southeastward along the shoreline across all creek, ditch, and man-made canal mouths to the westernmost point of the northern shoreline at the mouth of Cedar Creek, then due south to the northwest tip of the unnamed island north of Shell Island, then southward along the western edge of the unnamed island north of Shell Island to the southwesternmost tip, then southward through the Crystal River channel to the northernmost tip of Shell Island, then southwestward along the western shoreline of Shell Island to its southernmost point, then south southeastward across open water to the westernmost tip of Fort Island, then southeastward following the western shoreline to the southernmost point of Fort Island, then eastward along the southern shoreline of marsh islands and Pine Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the confluence of Coon Gap and the Salt River, then southward across the Salt River to the northwesternmost point of Coon Gap, then south and eastward along the eastern shoreline of the Salt River, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the Narrows, then continuing southward along the eastern shoreline of the Narrows to the small unnamed island at the junction of the Salt River and the northern reach of Salt Creek, then westward across the Salt River to the western shoreline of the Narrows, then northward along the western shoreline of the Narrows and the Salt River to a point on the northeasternmost tip of the unnamed marsh island in the northwest corner of Dixie Bay north of the Narrows, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its northernmost tip, then due north to the southern shoreline of Spice Key, then southwestward along the southern shoreline of Spice Key to its westernmost tip, then northwestward to the westernmost tip of an unnamed island south of Camp Island, then northward along the western shoreline of the unnamed island south of Camp Island to the northwesternmost tip, then northeast to the southernmost tip of Camp Island, then northwestward along the southwestern shoreline of Camp Island to the westernmost tip, then northwestward to the easternmost tip of an unnamed island west of Camp Island, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed island to the northernmost point, then southwestward to the westernmost tip, then southwestward to the northeastern tip of the unnamed island north of Sandy Hook, then westward and northward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed island north of Sandy Hook to the northernmost tip, then northwestward across open water to Crystal River Channel marker 4, then northeastward to the point of origin on the westernmost tip of Negro Island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) cumulative rainfall for any three day period measured at the Homosassa Springs State Park exceeds 1.88 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **3703 Citrus County Prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at a point on the southern shoreline of the Progress Energy intake canal berm north of Negro point, then due south to the westernmost tip of Negro Island, then southeastward to Black Point, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline to the shoreline of the southern Progress Energy intake canal berm, then westward to the point of origin on the southern shoreline of the Progress Energy intake canal berm north of Negro point.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the western tip of Fort Island, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Shell Island, then northward and eastward along the western shoreline of Shell Island to its northernmost tip, then due north across the Crystal River Channel to the southern shoreline of the unnamed marsh island north of Shell Island, then northward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its northwesternmost tip, then due north to the mainland shoreline west of the mouth of Cedar Creek, then clockwise along the mainland shoreline, including the shoreline of the Crystal River and all creeks, canals and embayments, to the northwesternmost tip of the mainland shoreline at the confluence of the Salt River and Coon Gap, then due north across Salt River to the southern shoreline of Pine Island, then westward along the southern shoreline of the marsh islands and Pine Island, across the mouths of all creeks, to the southernmost tip of Fort Island, then northwestward to the point of origin at the westernmost tip of Fort Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at Shark Point, then southwestward to Mangrove Point, then south southwestward to Long Point, then south southwestward to Green Point, then due south to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island south of Green Point, then south southwestward to the westernmost tip of Rock Island, then due east to the northwesternmost point of an unnamed marsh island west of Fish Creek Pass, then eastward and southward along the northern and eastern shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its easternmost tip, then eastward to the northernmost point of the unnamed marsh island at the southwestern side of Fish Creek Pass, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its southeasternmost point, then due east across the St. Martins River to the northern shoreline of an unnamed marsh island, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the St. Martins River to the confluence of the St. Martins River with Greenleaf Bay, then due north across the St. Martins River to the westernmost tip of the unnamed island at the confluence of the St. Martins River and the Salt River north of Greenleaf Bay, then continuing northward along the eastern shoreline of the Salt River, including the shoreline of all creeks and bays to the small unnamed island at the junction of the Salt River and the northern reach of Salt Creek in The Narrows, then due west to the western shoreline of Salt River in the Narrows, then northward along the western shoreline of the Narrows and the Salt River to a point on the northeasternmost tip of the unnamed marsh island in the northwest corner of Dixie Bay north of the Narrows, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its northernmost tip, then due north to the southern shoreline of Spice Key, then southwestward along the southern shoreline of Spice Key to its southwesternmost tip, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island east of Chair Island, then due west to the northernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island north of Bear Island, then southwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to its westernmost tip, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of Bear Island, then due west to the southernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island whose western tip is Shark Point, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to the point of origin at Shark Point.

The Prohibited Area also includes all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and marinas.

**42 BOCA CIEGA BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)                 |
|---|-----------|----------------|---------------------------|
| 4202 Boca Ciega Bay conditionally approved<br>----- Boca Ciega Bay prohibited | 42        | May 5, 2009    | Pinellas,<br>Hillsborough |

**4202 Boca Ciega Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at ICWW marker 20 then eastward along the northern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW marker 8, then southward to channel marker 3A of Cut A, then southwestward along the northern boundary of Cut A and the Mullet Key Channel to channel marker 19, the northeastward to the southernmost point of Mullet Key, then northeastward along the southern shoreline of Mullet Key across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to its easternmost point, then westward and northward along the northern boundary of Mullet Key and the eastern shoreline of Bonne Fortune Key to the northernmost point of Bonne Fortune Key, then northward to the easternmost tip of Madelaine Key, then westward and southward along the western shoreline of all keys, across the mouths of all creeks, bayous, ditches, man-made canals, and coves to the northern shoreline of Mullet Key, then westward along the northern shoreline of Mullet Key to the northernmost point of Mullet Key on the eastern shoreline of Soldier Hole, then northward to the southernmost point of the unnamed island north of Soldier Hole, then northward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island to its northernmost point, then northward to the easternmost point on the Mullet Key shoreline on the western shoreline of Mullet Key Bayou, then westward along the northern shoreline of Mullet Key, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, and man-made canals to its northernmost tip, then northward to the westernmost tip of Summer Resort Key, the northward along the western shoreline of Summer Resort Key to its northernmost point, then northeastward to the northernmost tip of Sawyer Key, then due east to the western shoreline of Cabbage Key, then counterclockwise along the shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the easternmost point of Cabbage Key north of Mule Key and south of Jackass Key, then northeastward to the westernmost tip of Jackass Key, then northeastward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 20.

Management: The conditionally approved area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) One-day rainfall measured at the City of St. Petersburg Southwest Wastewater Treatment Plant exceeds 3.01 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Boca Ciega Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons: Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 20 then eastward along the northern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW marker 8, then due north to the southern shoreline of the Pinellas Peninsula, then westward along the southern shoreline of the Pinellas Peninsula to the Pinellas Bayway, then westward along the Pinellas Bayway and the southern shoreline of its islands to the western shoreline of Long Key, then southward along the eastern shoreline of Long Key to its southernmost point, then southward to the northernmost tip of Summer Resort Key, then northeastward to the northernmost tip of Sawyer Key, then due east to the western shoreline of Cabbage Key, then clockwise along the shoreline of Cabbage Key to the easternmost point of Cabbage Key north of Mule Key and south of Jackass Key, then northeastward to the westernmost tip of Jackass Key, then northeastward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 20.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the easternmost point of Madelaine Key, then counterclockwise along the eastern shoreline of Madelaine Key and all keys to the northernmost point of Bonne Fortune Key, then northwestward to the point of origin at the easternmost point of Madelaine Key.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the northernmost point of Mullet Key on the eastern shoreline of Soldier Hole, the northward to the southernmost point of the unnamed island north of Soldier Hole, then northward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island to its northernmost point, then northward to the easternmost point on the Mullet Key shoreline on the western shoreline of Mullet Key Bayou, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Mullet Key to the point of origin at the northernmost point of Mullet Key on the eastern shoreline of Soldier Hole.

The prohibited area also includes the unnamed bayous on the shoreline of St. Christopher Key, all creeks, man-made canals, marinas and ditches.

**48 LOWER TAMPA BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)             |
|---|-----------|----------------|-----------------------|
| 4802 Lower Tampa Bay conditionally approved<br>----- Lower Tampa Bay prohibited | 48        | June 28, 2018  | Manatee, Hillsborough |

**4802 Lower Tampa Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at ICWW marker 63 then northeastward to Mullet Key Channel marker 25, then northeastward along the northern boundary of Mullet Key Channel and Cut A to channel marker 3A, then northeastward to Port Manatee Channel marker 5, then southeastward to the northernmost tip of land on the largest unnamed spoil island west of Port Manatee, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of the island to its southernmost tip, then southeastward to the northernmost tip of land on the southern shoreline in the mouth of Little Redfish Creek, then southward, along the mainland shoreline across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southernmost tip of Harbor Key, then southwestward across the mouth of Bishop Harbor to the northernmost tip of land on Mariposa Key, then southward along the western shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Fletcher Point, then southwestward across the mouth of Miguel Bay to the northernmost tip of the unnamed island north of Rattlesnake Key, then southwestward along the western shoreline of the island to its southernmost tip, then southward to the northernmost tip of Rattlesnake Key, then southeastward along the western shoreline of Rattlesnake Key, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to its southernmost tip, then southwestward across the mouth of Terra Ceia Bay to Emerson Point on Snead Island, then southwestward across the mouth of the Manatee River to the northernmost tip of land on the mainland shoreline west of Desoto Point, then westward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Mead Point, then southwestward across the mouth of Perico Bayou to the northernmost tip of Perico Island, then northwestward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 63.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Three-day cumulative rainfall measured at the City of Palmetto Wastewater Treatment Plant exceeds 4.22 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Lower Tampa Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the southernmost tip of Harbor Key, then southwestward across the mouth of Bishop Harbor to the northernmost tip of land on Mariposa Key, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Bishop Harbor across the mouths of all creeks and canals to the point of origin at the southernmost tip of Harbor Key.

Polygon 2: Beginning at Fletcher Point, then southwestward across the mouth of Miguel Bay to the northernmost tip of the unnamed island north of Rattlesnake Key, then southward along the western shoreline of the island to its southernmost tip, then southward to the northernmost tip of Rattlesnake Key, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Miguel Bay, across the mouths of all creeks and canals to the point of origin at Fletcher Point.

Polygon 3: Beginning at Port Manatee Channel marker 5, then southeastward through channel marker 7 and 9 to the southwesternmost tip of land on the northern shoreline in the mouth of Port Manatee, then southward along the shoreline to the northernmost tip of land on the southern shoreline in the mouth of Little Redfish Creek, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of the largest unnamed spoil island west of Port Manatee, then northward along the western shoreline to its northernmost tip, then northwestward to the point of origin at Port Manatee Channel marker 5.

Polygon 4: Beginning at the southernmost tip of Rattlesnake Key, then southwestward across the mouth of Terra Ceia Bay to Emerson Point on Snead Island, then southwestward across the mouth of the Manatee River to the northernmost tip of land on the mainland shoreline west of Desoto Point, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the Manatee River to the State Road Business 41 bridge, then northward along the bridge to the mainland shoreline, then westward along the northern shoreline of the Manatee River, to the cut between the mainland and Snead Island, then northeast along the eastern shoreline of the cut to Terra Ceia Bay, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Terra Ceia Bay and its tributaries to the point of origin at the southernmost tip of Rattlesnake Key.

Polygon 5: Beginning at Mead Point, then southwestward across the mouth of Perico Bayou to the northernmost tip of Perico Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Perico Bayou to the County Road 64 bridge, then eastward along the bridge to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Perico Bayou to the point of origin at Mead Point.

The prohibited area also includes the Terra Ceia River, creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**54 SARASOTA BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)         |
|---|-----------|----------------|-------------------|
| 5402 Sarasota Bay conditionally approved<br>----- Sarasota Bay prohibited | 54        | May 5, 2009    | Sarasota, Manatee |

**5402 Sarasota Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at beginning at ICWW marker 15 in Sarasota Bay, then south to Quick Point marker 2, then northwest following the red markers of the channel to marker 18, then northwest to the privately maintained channel marker 2 at the entrance to the Bay Isles canals, then northwest to the eastern tip of Bishop's Point, then along the shoreline of Longboat Key, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the tip of the spit of land enclosing Buttonwood Harbor, then northwest to the privately maintained Buttonwood Harbor channel marker 10, thence northwesterly to the privately maintained marker 12A, then north to the eastern tip of the unnamed island southeast of White Key, then along the eastern shoreline of unnamed island to its northeasternmost tip, then northwest to the southeastern tip of White Key, then along the eastern shoreline of White Key to its northeasternmost tip, then north to ICWW marker 26, then northwest along the ICWW to marker 28, then north to the eastern tip of the Sister Keys, then northwest along the northeastern shoreline of Sister Keys to ICWW marker 39, then northwest to the southern tip of Jewfish Key, then north along the eastern shoreline of Jewfish Key to its northeasternmost tip, then southeast to Long Bar Point, then southeast to ICWW marker 17, then southeast to ICWW marker 15, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) One-day rainfall measured at the City of Sarasota Wastewater Treatment Plant exceeds 1.11 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Sarasota Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within Sarasota and Roberts Bays south of the State Road 684 Bridge and north of Phillippi Creek which are not included in the conditionally approved polygon. The prohibited area also includes Phillippi Creek, Hudson Bayou, Whitaker Bayou, Bowles Creek, ditches, man-made canals and marinas.

**56 LEMON BAY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME  | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)           |
|---|-----------|----------------|---------------------|
| 5602 Lemon Bay conditionally approved<br>----- Lemon Bay prohibited | 56        | May 5, 2009    | Sarasota, Charlotte |

**Lemon Bay conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 36, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 24, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 36, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 36.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 22, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 10, then westward to the southeasternmost point of Thornton Key, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Thornton Key which becomes Knight Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northwesternmost tip of Knight Island then northwestward to the southwesternmost point of Manasota Key, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of the "No Wake" sign at the mouth of Ski Alley and west of Peterson Island, then eastward to the "No Wake" sign, then eastward to the western shoreline of Peterson Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, then northwestward along the western shoreline of Peterson Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to its northernmost point, then northward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 22.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 4, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 30A, then southward to the northeasternmost point of the spoil island due south of Coon Key, then southeastward to ICWW channel marker 25, then southeastward to the mainland shoreline at the "Hideaway Ferry dock", then southeastward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a pole northeast of the ICWW channel marker 24, then southwestward to the ICWW channel marker 24, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to the intersection of the eastern side of the SR 771 bridge, then southwestward along the eastern edge of the SR 771 bridge and its causeway islands to the intersection of the SR 771 bridge and the northern shoreline of Cole Island, then southwestward along the eastern shoreline of Cole Island to the intersection of the 771 bridge and the southern shoreline of Cole Island, then southwestward along the eastern edge of the SR 771 bridge to the intersection with the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to its northernmost point, then northward to the southernmost point of Little Gasparilla Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Little Gasparilla Island, which becomes Don Pedro Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to a point due west of the ICWW channel marker 4, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 4.

Management: The conditionally approved area will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) Cumulative two-day rainfall measured at the Englewood Water District Water Treatment Plant exceeds 2.19 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.



## **Lemon Bay prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the intersection of the southern edge of the SR 774 bridge and the mainland shoreline, then southward along the mainland shoreline, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to the "Hideaway Ferry dock", then northwestward to the ICWW channel marker 25, then northwestward to the northeasternmost point of the spoil island due south of Coon Key, then northward to ICWW channel marker 30A, then northward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 4, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Don Pedro Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Don Pedro Island, which becomes Knight Island, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to the southeasternmost point of Thornton Key, then eastward to ICWW channel marker 10, then northward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 22, then southward to the northernmost point of Peterson Island, then southwest along the shoreline of Peterson Island to a point due east of the "No Wake" sign at the northern entrance of Ski Alley, then due west to the "No Wake" sign, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 24, then due east to ICWW channel marker 24, then northward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 36, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Manasota Key, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to the intersection with the southern edge of the SR 774 bridge, then eastward along the southern edge of the SR 774 bridge to the point of origin at the intersection with the mainland shoreline.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the ICWW channel marker 24, then northeast to a pole on the mainland shoreline, then southeastward along the mainland shoreline to the intersection of the northeastern edge of the SR 771 bridge, then southwestward along the eastern edge of the SR 771 bridge to the intersection with the eastern boundary of the ICWW, then northwestward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to the point of origin at the ICWW channel marker 24. The prohibited area includes creeks, ditches, man-made canals and marinas.

**58 GASPARILLA SOUND SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                 | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S)      |
|--|-----------|----------------|----------------|
| 5802 Gasparilla Sound conditionally approved | 58        | June 28, 2018  | Charlotte, Lee |
| ----- Gasparilla Sound prohibited            |           |                |                |

**5802 Gasparilla Sound conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Catfish Point, then due east across the mouth of Catfish Creek to the eastern shoreline of Catfish Creek, then eastward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouth of Boggess Hole Creek, and all ditches and man-made canals, then eastward to the easternmost tip of Mound Key, then due east across the mouth of Whidden Creek to the eastern shoreline of Whidden Creek, then eastward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all ditches, man-made canals and tidal creeks to the southernmost tip of Cash Mound, then clockwise along the shoreline of Turtle Bay across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southwesternmost point of land on the Cape Haze Peninsula, then southward to Charlotte Harbor channel marker 4, then due south to the northern shoreline of Bokeelia Island, then westward along the shoreline to a point due east of channel marker 8, then due west to channel marker 8, then westward to ICWW channel marker 75, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Cayo Costa, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Cayo Costa to its northernmost tip, then northwestward across the Boca Grande Channel to the southernmost tip of Gasparilla Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 1, then due east to ICWW channel marker 1, then northward along the western boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 7, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the easternmost point of land on the northern shoreline of Peekins Ranch Cove, then northward to the northeast corner of the southernmost span of the abandoned railroad trestle, then northwestward to the intersection of the State Road 771 bridge and the northern shoreline of Cole Island, then northeastward along the eastern edge of the bridge and its causeway island to the intersection of the eastern side of the State Road 771 bridge with the southern shoreline of the Placida Peninsula, then southeastward to ICWW channel marker 20, then southeastward to the point of origin at Catfish Point.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative three-day rainfall measured at Gasparilla Island Water Treatment Plant exceeds 6.97 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Gasparilla Sound Prohibited Area**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons.

Polygon 1: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern side of the State Road 771 bridge with the southern shoreline of the Placida Peninsula, then southeastward to ICWW channel marker 20, then southeastward to Catfish Point, then counterclockwise along the shorelines of Coral Creek, East Branch, and West Branch to the point of origin at the intersection of the eastern side of the State Road 771 bridge with the shoreline of the Placida Peninsula.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern edge of the State Road 771 bridge and the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island, then northeastward along the eastern edge of the bridge to the intersection with the southern shoreline of Cole Island, then northeastward along the eastern shoreline of Cole Island to the intersection of its northern shoreline and the State Road 771 bridge, then southeastward to the northeast corner of the southernmost span of the abandoned railroad trestle, then southward to the easternmost point of land on the northern shoreline of Peekins Ranch cover, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island to the point of origin at the intersection of the eastern edge of the State Road 771 bridge and the eastern

shoreline of Gasparilla Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 7, then southward along the western boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 1, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Gasparilla Island to a point due west of ICWW marker 7, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 7.

Polygon 4: Beginning at the northernmost tip of Cayo Pelau, then eastward to the westernmost point of the first unnamed mangrove island, then southeastward along the western shoreline of this unnamed island to its southernmost tip, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of the first unnamed mangrove island to the south, then eastward along its southern shoreline to its easternmost tip, then southeastward to the northernmost tip of Bull Key, then southwestward along the northern shoreline of Bull Key to its westernmost tip, then southwestward to the easternmost tip of the unnamed mangrove island between Bull Key and Cayo Pelau, then southwestward to the eastern tip of Cayo Pelau, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Cayo Pelau to the point of origin at the northernmost tip of Cayo Pelau.

The Prohibited area also includes Catfish Creek, Boggess Hole Creek, Whidden Creek, Sister Ponds Creeks, tidal creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

## 60 MYAKKA RIVER SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE  | COUNTY(S)           |
|--|-----------|-----------------|---------------------|
| 6002 Myakka River conditionally approved<br>Myakka River conditionally restricted<br>----- Myakka River prohibited | 60        | August 19, 2012 | Charlotte, Sarasota |

### 6002 Myakka River conditionally approved

**Classification Boundaries:** The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the southernmost tip of Mangrove Point on Hog Island, then northeastward along the eastern shoreline of Hog Island to Locust Point, then northeastward across the mouth of the Myakka Cutoff to the southernmost point of the northern shoreline at the southern mouth of the Myakka Cutoff, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of the Myakka Cutoff and eastern shoreline of Myakka River, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the westernmost point of land on the southern shoreline at the mouth of Deerfly Bay (N 26.9531°, W 82.1808°), then southwestward across Myakka River through GDC Cove Channel Marker 1 (N26.9456°, W 82.1944°), then southward to the most northern point on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of GDC Cove (N 26.9433°, W 82.1953°), then southeastward along the western shoreline of Myakka River, across the mouths of all coves, ditches, man-made canals and creeks, including Trout Creek, Blind Creek, and Big Muddy Creek, to the northern shoreline at the mouth of the unnamed creek south of Big Muddy Creek, then northeastward across the mouth of the Myakka River to the point of origin at the southernmost tip of Mangrove Point on Hog Island.

**Management:** The conditionally approved area will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) riverstage measured at the Myakka River State Park exceeds 15.51 feet; 2) environmental data is not available; 3) emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### 6006 Myakka River conditionally restricted

**Classification Boundaries:** The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Myakka River channel marker 20, then due north to the eastern shoreline of the Myakka River, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the northeastern side of the State Road 776 Bridge, then eastward to Frizzel Canal channel marker 2, then due north to the eastern shoreline of the Myakka River, then eastward along the eastern shoreline of Myakka River, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Ghost Point at the mouth of Tippecanoe Bay, then northward along the western shoreline of Tippecanoe Bay, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point, (N 26.968906°, W 82.189609°) then due east across Tippecanoe Bay to a point (N 26.968811°, W 82.18359°) on the western side of the southern shore of Muddy Cove, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the Myakka River, across the mouth of Deerfly Bay, to the westernmost point of land (N 26.9531°, W 82.1808°) on the southern shoreline at the mouth of Deerfly Bay, then southwestward across the Myakka River to Channel Marker 1 (N26.9456°, W 82.1944°), then southward to the most northern point on the eastern shoreline of the mouth of GDC Cove (N 26.9433°, W 82.1953°), then northwestward across the mouth of GDC Cove, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the Myakka River, across the mouths of all coves, ditches, man-made canals and creeks to the northeasternmost point of land due east of the southeastern side of the State Road 776 Bridge, then northwestward to the northwestern corner of the southern span of the railroad trestle fishing pier, then westward to a point of land (N 26.956725°, W 82.22464°) on the western shoreline of the Myakka River at the eastern side of the mouth of the eighth canal west of the State Road 776 Bridge, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the Myakka River, across the mouths of all creeks, coves, ditches and canals, to a point due south of Myakka River channel marker 20, then due north to the point of origin at Myakka River channel marker 20.

**Management:** The conditionally restricted area will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) one day rainfall measured at the Frizzel Forestry Tower exceeds 3.17 inches; 2) environmental data is not

available; 3) emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Myakka River prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the northwestern corner of the southern span of the railroad trestle fishing pier west of the State Road 776 Bridge, then southeastward to the northeasternmost point of land due east of the southeastern side of the State Road 776 Bridge, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the Myakka River, including all canals, to the point of land (N 26.956725°, W 82.22464°), at the north side of the mouth of the eighth canal west of the State Road 776 Bridge, then southeastward to the point of origin at the northwestern corner of the southern span of the railroad trestle fishing pier west of the State Road 776 Bridge.

Polygon 2: Beginning at Myakka River channel marker 20, then due south to western shoreline of the Myakka River, then clockwise along the western shoreline of the Myakka River, the southern edge of the US 41 bridge, and the eastern shoreline of the Myakka River, including all creeks and canals, to a point due north of Myakka River channel marker 20, then due south to the point of origin at Myakka River channel marker 20.

Polygon 3: Beginning at Frizzel Canal channel marker 2, then due north to the eastern shoreline of the Myakka River, then westward along the eastern shoreline of Myakka River, including Frizzel Canal, to the northeastern side of the State Road 776 Bridge, then southeastward to the point of origin at Frizzel Canal channel marker 2.

Polygon 4: Beginning at a point of land (N 26.968906°, W 82.189609°) on the western shoreline of Tippecanoe Bay, then clockwise along the perimeter of Tippecanoe Bay, all creeks, ditches and all manmade canals, along the shoreline of Muddy Cove, to the westernmost point of the southern shoreline of Muddy Cove (N 26.968811°, W 82.18359°) then westward to the point of origin at N 26.968906°, W 82.189609°.

The area also includes Trout Creek, Blind Creek, Big Muddy Creek, Muddy Cove, Deerfly Bay, all tidal creeks, ditches, marinas and all man-made canals.

**62 PINE ISLAND SOUND SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                            | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| 6212 Pine Island Sound conditionally approved Section 1 | 62        | March 23, 2017 | Lee       |
| 6222 Pine Island Sound conditionally approved Section 2 |           |                |           |
| ----- Pine Island Sound prohibited                      |           |                |           |

**6212 Pine Island Sound conditionally approved Section 1**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at channel marker 8, north-northwest of Pine Island, then due east to Bokeelia Island, then southwestward along the northern shoreline of Bokeelia Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the westernmost point of Bokeelia Island, then southwestward to the northernmost point of the westernmost unnamed island between Bokeelia Island and Little Bokeelia Island, then southwestward along the shoreline of the unnamed island to its westernmost point, then southwestward to the northwesternmost point of Little Bokeelia Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Little Bokeelia Island to its southernmost point, then southeastward across the mouth of Little Bokeelia Bay to the westernmost point of Pine Island, then southeastward to the easternmost point of Josslyn Island, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Anhinga Island, then southwestward to the westernmost point of Panther Keys, then southeastward to the northeast marker of Lease LE 110, then southeastward to the southeast marker of Lease LE 119, then southeastward to the northernmost point of Regla Island, then southward along its western shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the southernmost point of Regla Island, then southeastward to the westernmost point of Galt Island, then southward to the northernmost point of York Island, then southwestward across Pine Island Sound to Long Point on Sanibel Island, then northwestward to northeasternmost point of the unnamed island northwest of Long Point, then northwestward to the northeasternmost point of Sanibel Island, then northwestward along the northern shoreline of Sanibel Island to its northernmost point, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, then northwestward to the easternmost point of Buck Key, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Buck Key to its northernmost point, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, then northward to channel marker 5 east of Captiva Island, then northwestward to channel marker 8A southeast of Redfish Pass, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of North Captiva Island, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of North Captiva Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to its northernmost point, then northwestward across Captiva Pass to the southernmost point of Cayo Costa Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Cayo Costa Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW marker 57, then due east to ICWW marker 57, then northeastward to the southernmost point of Useppa Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Useppa Island to its northernmost point, then northwestward to channel marker 4, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Point Blanco Island, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Point Blanco Island to its northernmost tip, then northwestward across the mouth of Pelican Bay to the easternmost tip of Cayo Costa Island, then northeastward along the eastern shoreline of Cayo Costa Island to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 75, then due east to ICWW channel marker 75, then eastward to the point of origin at channel marker 8 north-northwest of Pine Island.

Management: The conditionally approved western section will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) three-day cumulative rainfall, measured at the Burnt Store Wastewater Plants exceeds 6.42 inches; 2) environmental data is not available; 3) emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **6222 Pine Island Sound conditionally approved Section 2**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Jug Creek Point on the northern shoreline of Pine Island, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of Pine Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of Indian Key Island, then due east to the northernmost point of Indian Key Island, then southeastward to Matlacha Pass channel marker 62, then northeastward to the northernmost point of the unnamed island east of Matlacha Pass channel marker 62, then due east to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point at the intersection of a line drawn on a bearing of 65 degrees true north from Jug Creek Point on the northern shoreline of Pine Island, then across Matlacha Pass on a bearing of 245 degrees true north to the point of origin at Jug Creek Point on the northern shoreline of Pine Island.

Polygon 2: Beginning at Matlacha Pass channel marker 51, then due west to the eastern shoreline of an unnamed island east of Pine Island, then due south along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island to its southernmost tip, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Little Pine Island, then southward along the shoreline of Little Pine Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of the northernmost point of the large unnamed island west of Matlacha Pass channel marker 36, then due east to northernmost point of this unnamed island, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island to its southernmost point, then southeastward to Matlacha Pass channel marker 29, then southward along the eastern boundary of the Matlacha Pass channel to Matlacha Pass channel marker 23, then southwestward to the northernmost point of Rag Island, then southward along the eastern shorelines of all the unnamed islands which make up the eastern boundary of St. James Creek to the southeasternmost point of Pine Island, then northeastward to the westernmost point of Big Sister Key, then northeastward to the northernmost tip of Merwin Key, then northeastward to Sword Point, then northward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed islands west of Punta Blanca Bay to the northernmost point of the northernmost unnamed island, then due north to the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of Matlacha Pass channel marker 51, then due west to the point of origin at Matlacha Pass channel marker 51.

Management: The conditionally approved eastern section will be temporarily closed to shellfish harvesting when: 1) two-day cumulative rainfall, measured at the "Ding Darling" Wildlife exceeds 3.43 inches 2) environmental data is not available; 3) emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Pine Island Sound prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the westernmost point of Bokeelia Island, then southwestward to the northernmost point of the westernmost unnamed island between Bokeelia Island and Little Bokeelia Island, then southwestward along the shoreline of the unnamed island to its westernmost point, then southwestward to the northwesternmost point of Little Bokeelia Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Little Bokeelia Island to its southernmost point, then southeastward across the mouth of Little Bokeelia Bay to the westernmost point of Pine Island, then northeastward along the northern shoreline of Pine Island, including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Jug Creek Point, then westward across the eastern mouth of Jug Creek to the easternmost tip of Calusa Island, then westward along the northern shoreline of Calusa Island and Bokeelia Island to the point of origin at the westernmost point of Bokeelia Island.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the westernmost point of Pine Island, then southeastward to the easternmost point of Josslyn Island, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Anhinga Island, then southwestward to the westernmost point of Panther Keys, then southeastward to the northeast marker of Lease LE 110, then southeastward to the southeast marker of Lease LE 119, then southeastward to the northernmost point of Regla Island, then southward along its western shoreline across the mouths of all creeks and canals, to the southernmost point of Regla Island, then southeastward to the westernmost point of Galt Island, then counterclockwise along the northern shoreline of Galt Island and the eastern shoreline of the Galt Island Causeway to the western shoreline of Pine Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Pine Island, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to the point of origin at the westernmost point of

Pine Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the ICWW channel marker 57, then northeastward to the southernmost point of Useppa Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Useppa Island, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to its northernmost point, then northwestward to channel marker 4, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Point Blanco Island, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Point Blanco Island, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to its northernmost tip, then northwestward across the mouth of Pelican Bay to the easternmost tip of Cayo Costa Island, then southwestward along the eastern shoreline of Cayo Costa, including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 57, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 57.

Polygon 4: Beginning at the northernmost tip of Little Wood Key, then westward to the ICWW channel marker 52, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 50, then northeastward to the southern tip of Little Wood Key, then northward along the western shoreline of Little Wood Key to the point of origin at the northernmost tip of Little Wood Key.

Polygon 5: Beginning at the northernmost point of Sanibel Island, then northwestward to the easternmost point of Buck Key, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Buck Key to its northernmost point, then northward to channel marker 5 east of Captiva Island, then northwestward to channel marker 8A southeast of Redfish Pass, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of North Captiva Island, then southward across Redfish Pass to the northernmost tip of Captiva Island, then southward along the eastern shoreline of Captiva Island including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to the bridge between Captiva and Sanibel Islands, then southeastward along the northern side of the bridge between Captiva and Sanibel Islands to the western shoreline of Sanibel Island, then counterclockwise along the western shoreline of Sanibel Island to the point of origin at the northernmost point of Sanibel Island.

Polygon 6: Beginning at the westernmost point of Galt Island, then southward to the northernmost point of York Island, then southwestward across Pine Island Sound to Long Point on Sanibel Island, then northwestward to northeasternmost point of the unnamed island northwest of Long Point, then northwestward to the northeasternmost point of Sanibel Island, then southeastward along the northern shoreline of Sanibel Island including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to the intersection with the County Road 867 Bridge, then northeastward along the northern side of the bridge and causeway islands to the mainland shoreline, then counterclockwise along the mainland shoreline including all creeks and canals to Iona Point, then northward across the Caloosahatchee River to Piney Point, then westward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to the eastern shoreline of Punta Blanca Bay, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Punta Blanca Bay including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to a point due north of the northernmost point of the northernmost unnamed island west of Punta Blanca Bay, then due south to the northernmost point of the northernmost unnamed island west of Punta Blanca Bay, then southward along the eastern shorelines of the unnamed islands west of Punta Blanca Bay to Sword Point, then southwestward to the northernmost tip of Merwin Key, then southwestward to the westernmost point of Big Sister Key, then southwestward to the southeasternmost tip of Pine Island, then westward and northward along the shoreline of Pine Island including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to the Galt Island Causeway, then northwestward along the southern shoreline of the Galt Island Causeway to the point of origin at the westernmost point of Galt Island.

Polygon 7: Beginning at the northernmost point of Indian Key Island then southeastward to Matlacha Pass channel marker 62, then northeastward to the northernmost point of the unnamed island east of Matlacha Pass channel marker 62, then due east to the mainland shoreline, then southward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks and canals to a point due east of Matlacha Pass channel marker 51, then due west through Matlacha Pass channel marker 51 to the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island east of Little Pine Island, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island to its southernmost tip, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Little Pine Island, then southward along the eastern shoreline of Little Pine Island including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to a point due west of the northernmost point of the large unnamed island west of Matlacha Pass channel marker 36, then eastward to the northernmost point of this unnamed island, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed island to its southernmost point, then southeastward to Matlacha Pass channel marker 29, then southward along the eastern boundary of the Matlacha Pass channel to Matlacha Pass channel marker 23, then southwestward to the northernmost point of Rag Island, then southward along the eastern shorelines of the unnamed islands which make up the eastern boundary of St. James Creek to the southern shoreline of the southern entrance of St. James Creek, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Pine Island including all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals to a point due west of Indian Key Island, then due east to the point of origin at the northernmost tip of Indian Key Island.

The area also includes Pelican Bay, Murdock Bayou, Primo Bay, Chadwick Bayou, Braynerd



Bayou, Wulfert Channel, Dinken Bayou, Clam Bayou, Old Blind Pass, Halloway Bayou, Kesson Bayou, Hardworking Bayou, Sanibel Bayou, Tarpon Bay, Punta Rasa Cove, Kinzie Cove, Glover Bight, Jewfish Creek, Punta Blanca Bay, Punta Blanca Creek, Oyster Creek, Underhill Creek, Pontoon Bay, Jug Creek, Tom Bay, Little Bokeelia Bay, Back Bay, Foster Bayou, Big Jim Creek, Rocky Creek, Upper 36 Bay, Lower 36 Bay, Forty Acre Bay, St.James Creek, Manatee Bay, Pine Island Creek, Mud Hole and Rock Creek, all tidal creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals.

**66 TEN THOUSAND ISLANDS SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION  
BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                     | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE      | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|---------------------|-----------|
| 6602 Ten Thousand Islands conditionally approved | 66        | <del>June 28,</del> | Collier   |
| ----- Ten Thousand Islands prohibited            |           | 2018                |           |

**6602 Ten Thousand Islands conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Cape Romano (25.845851, -81.679237), then northeast across Gullivan Bay to channel marker 2 (25.885139, -81.643406), then northeast to the southern tip of Coon Key (25.889053, -81.636403), then northeast across open water to the southwest tip of Tripod Key (28.896416, -81.631982), then northeast following the southeastern shoreline of Tripod Key along the Southwest Gate to the point of land located at the southwest corner of Palm Bay (25.933027, -81.617598), then east to the southeast corner of Palm Bay (25.933192, -81.616813), then east along the shoreline the west side of the mouth of Blackwater River (25.931872, -81.597941), then across the mouth to the east side Blackwater River (25.930362, -81.59697), then south following the shoreline to the west side of Gill Rattle Creek (25.923864, -81.59238), then across the mouth to the east side of Gill rattle Creek (25.923673, -81.591697), then east along the shoreline to the west side of Whitney River (25.918531, -81.58062), then crossing the mouth to the east side of Whitney River (25.918477, -81.5764), then south along the shoreline turning east and then south along the eastern shoreline of Fish Hawk Creek to its mouth, then generally northeast along the shoreline to the western side of the mouth of Pumpkin River (25.919512, -81.546268), then east across the mouth of Pumpkin River (25.91953, -81.545771), then south along the eastern shoreline of Pumpkin Bay to the southernmost point of land between Pumpkin and Little Wood Rivers (25.892214, -81.540284), then south east to unnamed point (25.886863, -81.536473), the east to unnamed point in the Faka union channel marker 19 (25.884283, -81.528935), then due east across open water and numerous unnamed islands to the southwestern most tip of land in Fakahatchee Bay (25.884019, -81.504743). Then due southwest 45 degrees across open water and numerous unnamed islands to the GPS point (25.832861 -81.520191) of the National Everglades boundary, then due south along National everglade boundary line to GPS point (25.818785 -81.520976), then due southeast to the GPS point (25.783763 -81.47439) then due south west across open water to marker 1K (25.749636, -81.498414), then northwest across open water to the point of origin at Cape Romano (25.845851, -81.679237).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Two-day cumulative rainfall measured by NOAA, exceeds 3.50 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Ten Thousand Islands prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at channel marker 2 (25.885139, -81.643406) then northeast to the southern tip of Coon Key (25.889053, -81.636403), then northeast across open water to the southwest tip of Tripod Key (28.896416, -81.631982), then north to the west tip of Tripod Key (25.903046, -81.637846), then counter clockwise along the northeastern shoreline of Tripod Key, including Palm Bay and Goodland Bay, then south to the west tip of Tripod Key (25.903046, -81.637846), then southwest to channel marker 2 (25.885139, -81.643406), the point of origin.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the southernmost point of land between Pumpkin and Little Wood Rivers (25.892214, -81.540284), then south east to an unnamed point (25.886863, -81.536473), then east to an unnamed point in the Faka union channel marker 19 (25.884283, -81.528935), then due east across open water and numerous unnamed islands to the southwestern most tip of the Fakahatchee Bay (25.884019, -81.504743), then counterclockwise along the shoreline, including the Faka Union channel and Little wood river to the southernmost point of land between Pumpkin and Little Wood Rivers (25.892214, -81.540284), the point of

origin.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the westernmost tip of Fakahatchee Bay (25.884019, -81.504743), then clockwise around Fakahatchee Bay until the National Everglades Boundary line, then follows along the National Everglades Boundary line until unnamed point of the National Everglades Boundary line (25.832861, -81.520191), the north to the westernmost tip of Fakahatchee Bay (25.884019, -81.504743).

Prohibited waters include Blackwater River, Gill Rattle creek, Whitney River, Fish Hawk creek, Pumpkin River, Littlewood River, Faka Union Canal, Fakahatchee River and East River.

**70 INDIAN RIVER SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY                  |
|--|-----------|----------------|-------------------------|
| 7001 Indian River/St. Lucie approved<br>7006 Indian River/St. Lucie restricted<br>---- Indian River/St. Lucie prohibited | 70        | May 5, 2009    | Indian River, St. Lucie |

**7001 Indian River/St. Lucie County approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at ICWW channel marker 173, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of Garfield Point, then northwestward to private channel marker 8, then northward to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island north of Garfield Cut, then northward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to the next westernmost point of the unnamed marsh island, then 340° True across the mouth of Blue Hole Creek to the western shoreline of the barrier island south of Blue Hole Point, then northward along the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the westernmost point of land which defines the northern shoreline of Big Starvation Cove, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Round Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Round Island to its northernmost point, then southwestward to ICWW channel marker 168A, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then southward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, including the mouth of the Harbor Branch peninsula, to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 173, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 173.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**7006 Indian River/St. Lucie County restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Jim Island and the North Beach Causeway, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Mangrove Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Mangrove Island to its westernmost point, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of the unnamed island between Mangrove Island and Jack Island, then northward along the western shoreline of the unnamed island to its northwesternmost point, then northward across Snapper Cut to the westernmost tip of Jack Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Jack Island and the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, man-made canals and inlets to the westernmost point of Garfield Point, then northwestward to ICWW channel marker 173, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW channel to its intersection with the North Beach Causeway, then eastward along the North Beach Causeway to Jim Island, then eastward along the northern shoreline of Jim Island to the point of origin at the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Jim Island and the North Beach Causeway.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 168A, then eastward to the northernmost tip of Round Island, then due north across the mouth of Round Island Creek to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then northward along the western shoreline of the barrier island to the westernmost tip of land on the southern shoreline of Head Cove, then northwestward to private channel marker 8 west of Starvation Point, then northward to the westernmost tip of Porpoise Point, then due north across Little Starvation Cove to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then northward along the barrier island shoreline to the westernmost point of land that defines the southern entrance of Hell's Pocket, then northwestward across the mouth of Hell's Pocket to the southernmost tip of Prang Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Prang Island to its northernmost tip, then westward to ICWW channel marker 149, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW channel to ICWW channel marker 155, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then southward along

the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 168A, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 168A.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Indian River/St. Lucie County prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Jim Island and the North Beach Causeway, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Mangrove Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Mangrove Island to its westernmost point, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of the unnamed island between Mangrove Island and Jack Island, then along the western shoreline of the unnamed island to its northwesternmost point, then northward across Snapper Cut to the westernmost tip of Jack Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Jack Island across the mouths of Negro Cut and Old Inlet to the southwestern most point on the barrier island of the northern shoreline of Old Inlet, then eastward and southward along the barrier island shoreline, tracing the perimeter of all creeks, coves and canals to the easternmost tip of the north jetty of Ft. Pierce Inlet, then southwestward across the Ft. Pierce Inlet to the easternmost tip of the south jetty, then westward along the barrier island, tracing the perimeter of all creeks and canals to the intersection of the western shoreline of Causeway Island and Seaway Drive, then westward along the northern side of the Seaway Drive bridge to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 173, then due east to ICWW marker 173, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW channel to its intersection with the North Beach Causeway, then eastward along the North Beach Causeway to the shoreline of Jim Island, then eastward along the northern shoreline of Jim Island to the point of origin at the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Jim Island and the North Beach Causeway.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the westernmost point of land of Garfield Point, then northwestward to private channel marker 8, then northward to the westernmost tip of the unnamed marsh island north of Garfield Cut, then northward along the western shoreline of the unnamed marsh island to the next westernmost point, then 340° True north across the mouth of Blue Hole Creek to the barrier island shoreline, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island tracing the perimeter of all creeks, canals and cuts to the point of origin at the westernmost tip of Garfield Point.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the northernmost tip of Round Island, then due north across the mouth of Round Island Creek to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then eastward and southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island to the westernmost point of land which defines the northern shoreline of Big Starvation Cove, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of Round Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Round Island to the point of origin at the northernmost tip of Round Island.

Polygon 4: Beginning at private channel marker 8 west of Starvation Point, then northward to the westernmost tip of Porpoise Point, then due north across Little Starvation Cove to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, tracing the perimeter of all creeks and canals to the westernmost tip of land on the southern shoreline of Head Cove, then northwestward to the point of origin at private channel marker 8 west of Starvation Point.

Polygon 5: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 155, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline tracing the perimeter of all creeks and canals to the State Road 60 bridge, then northwestward along the southern side of the State Road 60 bridge to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island tracing the perimeter of all creeks and canals to the westernmost point of land that defines the southern entrance of Hell's Pocket, then northwestward across the mouth of Hell's Pocket to the southernmost tip of Prang Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Prang Island to its northernmost tip, then westward to ICWW channel marker 149, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW channel to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 155.

The area also includes creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**72 NORTH INDIAN RIVER SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                     | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE    | COUNTY       |
|--|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| 7202 North Indian River conditionally approved   | 72        | <del>May 5,</del> | Indian River |
| 7206 North Indian River conditionally restricted |           | <del>2009</del>   |              |
| ---- North Indian River prohibited               |           |                   |              |

**7202 North Indian River conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at Intercostal Waterway (ICWW) channel marker 63 (27.846324, -80.473507) in the Indian River Lagoon near Sebastian Inlet, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW) to ICWW channel marker 71 (27.791798, -80.444196), then eastward to northwesternmost tip of Paul's Island (27.792246, -80.439857), then eastward along the northern shoreline of Paul's Island to its Northeasternmost tip (27.792312-80.438179), then due north to Spratt Point (27.802192, -80.438179), then northward along the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks and canals to Coconut Point (27.848837, -80.456169), then westward to ICWW channel marker 63, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) two-day cumulative rainfall measured by NOAA exceeds 2.54 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in 5L-1.002, Florida Administrative Code. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003 and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**North Indian River prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygon:

Polygon : Beginning at ICWW channel marker 59 (27.860837, -80.481800), then due west of ICWW channel marker 59 (27.860836, -80.491938), then southward along the western mainland shoreline across all creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas to a point on the northwestern edge of the Wabasso bridge/causeway (27.753744, -80.429694), then northeastward along the Wabasso bridge/causeway to the northeastern corner where the causeway meets the barrier island (27.762557, -80.414091), then north/northwestward along the barrier island shoreline to a point due north of the northeastern most tip of Paul's Island (27.802191, -80.438178), then due south the northeastern most tip of Paul's Island (27.792311, -80.438178), then westward along the northern shoreline of Paul's Island to the northwesternmost tip of Paul's Island (27.792245, -80.439856), then westward in a straight path to ICWW channel marker 71 (27.791797, -80.444196), then north along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to channel marker 63 (27.846264, -80.473486), then eastward to the western most tip of Coconut Point (27.848837, -80.456168), then northeastward along the northern shoreline of the southern Sebastian Inlet barrier island to the western intersection of the A1A bridge (27.859518, -80.448107), then north along the western side of the A1A bridge to the southern shoreline of the northern Sebastian Inlet barrier island (27.860781, -80.448769), then westward along the southern shoreline of the Northern barrier islands to a point due east of ICWW channel marker 59 (27.860836, -80.458269), then due west to the point of origin channel marker 59 ( 27.860837, -80.481800). The area also includes creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.



**74 BODY F SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY  |
|--|-----------|----------------|---------|
| 7412 Body F conditionally approved<br>7416 Body F conditionally restricted<br>---- Body F prohibited | 74        | May 5, 2009    | Brevard |

**7412 Body F conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 16, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of ICWW marker 22, then due west to ICWW marker 22, then northwestward along the western edge of the ICWW to the point of origin at ICWW marker 16.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW marker 25, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southwesternmost point of land which defines the northern entrance to Mullet Creek, then southeastward across the mouth of Mullet Creek to the northwesternmost tip of land on the unnamed island which makes up the southern boundary of the northern entrance of Mullet Creek, then southeastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals of the western shoreline of the islands that form the western shoreline of Mullet Creek to the southeasternmost tip of the unnamed island which makes up the western boundary of the southern entrance to Mullet Creek, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western boundary of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a line drawn northeastward from ICWW marker 55 through three concrete pilings, then southwestward through three concrete pilings to ICWW marker 55, then northwestward to ICWW marker 53, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW marker 47, then due east to ICWW marker 47, then northwestward along the ICWW to ICWW marker 45, then northwestward to ICWW marker 42, then southeastward to a piling southeast of Grant Farm Island, then northwestward to the southwest corner of shellfish lease #1068, then southwestward to ICWW marker 37, then northward along the eastern edge of the ICWW to the point of origin at ICWW marker 25.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative six-day rainfall measured at the Department of Environmental Protection Sebastian Inlet Recreation Area exceeds 4.93 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L1-.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**7416 Body F conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 16, then southeastward along the western edge of the ICWW to ICWW marker 22, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of ICWW marker 25, then due west to ICWW marker 25, then northwestward to the ICWW channel marker 24, then westward through the southwest corner marker of lease 1109 to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline due east of the eastern terminus of Malabar Road, then northeastward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 16.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW marker 29, then southeastward along the eastern edge of the ICWW to ICWW marker 33, then due west to the mainline shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW marker 29, then due



east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 29.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW marker 37, then northeastward to the southwest corner of lease 1068, then southeastward to a piling southeast of Grant Farm Island, then northwestward to ICWW marker 42, then southeastward along the ICWW through ICWW marker 45 to ICWW marker 47, then due west of ICWW marker 47 to the mainline shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point westward of the southwest corner marker of lease 1068, then northeastward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 37.

Polygon 4: Beginning at the southwesternmost point of land which defines the northern entrance to Mullet Creek, then southeastward across the mouth of Mullet Creek to the northwesternmost tip of land on the unnamed island which makes up the southern boundary of the northern entrance of Mullet Creek, then southeastward across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals of the western shoreline of the islands that form the western boundary of Mullet Creek to the southeasternmost tip of the unnamed island which makes up the western boundary of the southern entrance to Mullet Creek, then due east across the mouth of Mullet Creek to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at the southwesternmost point of land which defines the northern entrance to Mullet Creek.

Polygon 5: Beginning at ICWW marker 55, then northeastward through three concrete pilings to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of unnamed islands west of the barrier island to the southernmost point of land on the western shoreline of Campbell Pocket, then southward along the barrier island shoreline, across the mouth of Campbell Pocket and all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of ICWW marker 59, then due west to ICWW marker 59, then northwestward through ICWW marker 57 to the point of origin at ICWW marker 55.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative three-day rainfall measured at the Department of Environmental Protection Sebastian Inlet Recreation Area exceeds 5.70 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Body F prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 16, then southwestward to a point on the mainland shoreline due east of the eastern terminus of Malabar Road, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 16, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 16.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW marker 24, then westward through the southwest corner marker of lease 1109 to the mainland shoreline, then southward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a point due west of ICWW marker 29, then due east to ICWW 29, then northwestward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 24.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW marker 33, then southward through ICWW marker 35 to ICWW marker 37, then southeastward along a line from the southwest corner marker of lease 1068 southwestward through ICWW marker 37 to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 33, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 33.

Polygon 4: Beginning at ICWW marker 53, then southeastward through ICWW marker 55 and ICWW marker 57 to ICWW marker 59, then due east to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 53, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 53.

The area also includes all creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas in the Indian River north of ICWW marker 59 and south of ICWW marker 16.

**75 BODY E SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                                   | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| 7506 Body E conditionally restricted<br>---- Body E prohibited | 75           | May 5, 2009    | Brevard   |

**7506 Body E conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the Indian River Lagoon within a polygon beginning at the intersection of the Eau Gallie (State Road 518) Causeway and the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southeastward along the barrier island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of Intracoastal Waterway (ICWW) channel marker 13, then due west through ICWW channel marker 13 to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 7, then due east to ICWW channel marker 7, then northwestward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to the northern edge of the Melbourne (State Road 516) Causeway, then westward along the northern edge of the causeway to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 5, then due east to ICWW channel marker 5, then northwestward through the private channel marker 3 of the Intracoastal Marina entrance to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 2, then due east to ICWW channel marker 2, then northwestward along the western boundary of the ICWW to the Eau Gallie (State Road 518) Causeway, then eastward along the southern edge of the causeway to the western shoreline of the barrier island, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) One-day rainfall, measured at the Grant Street Waste Water Treatment Plant exceeds 2.09 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**Body E prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the Indian River Lagoon within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 2, then due west from ICWW channel marker 2 to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks, canals and the Eau Gallie River to the Eau Gallie (State Road 518) Causeway, then eastward along the southern edge of the causeway to the western boundary of the ICWW, then southeastward along the western boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 2, the point of origin.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 5, then northwestward through the private channel marker 3 of the Intracoastal Marina entrance to the mainland shoreline, then southeastward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks and canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 5, then due east to ICWW channel marker 5, the point of origin.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 7, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks and canals to the northern edge of the Melbourne Causeway, then eastward along the northern edge of the causeway to the eastern boundary of the ICWW, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 7, the point of origin.

Polygon 4: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 13, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southeastward along the barrier island shoreline including all creeks and canals to a point due east of ICWW channel marker 16, then due west through ICWW channel marker 16 to the mainland shoreline,

then northwestward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks and canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 13, then due east to ICWW channel marker 13, the point of origin.

The area also includes creeks above mean high tide, all man-made canals, marinas and ditches.

**76 BODY D SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY  |
|--|-----------|----------------|---------|
| 7602 Body D Conditionally approved<br>Conditionally restricted<br>---- Body D Prohibited | 76        | May 5, 2009    | Brevard |

**7602 Body D conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Intracoastal Waterway (ICWW) marker 71, then northwestward along the eastern edge of the ICWW to the intersection with the southern edge of the State Road (State Road) 528 bridge, then eastward along the southern edge of the State Road 528 bridge and causeway to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline due east of ICWW marker 71, then due west to the point of origin at ICWW marker 71.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW marker 86, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a point on the shoreline due west of the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-003, then due east through the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-003 to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline due east of ICWW marker 90, then due west to ICWW marker 90, then southwestward to the easternmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of the mouth of the unnamed cove on the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline due west of the northernmost tip of the mangrove island southeast of ICWW marker 89, then due east to the northernmost tip of the mangrove island, then northeastward to ICWW marker 89, then northwestward to ICWW marker 88, then northwestward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 86.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the northwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017, then eastward to the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017, then due east to the eastern boundary of the ICWW, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to a point due east of the easternmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of the mouth of the first unnamed cove on the mainland shoreline north of ICWW marker 91, then due west to the easternmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of the mouth of the first unnamed cove on the mainland shoreline north of ICWW marker 91, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline due west of the northwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017, then due east to the point of origin at the northwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017.

Polygon 4: Beginning at ICWW marker 95, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southern end of the rock revetment south of the canal southwest of lease 1069, then northward to the northwest corner marker of lease 1069, then northwestward to a point on the mainland shoreline due west of the southwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-045, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline due west of ICWW marker 91, then due east to ICWW marker 91, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to a point due west of a post northeast of ICWW marker 92, then due east through the post to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the shoreline south of State Road 404 (Pineda Causeway) and due east of a post located northeast of ICWW marker 98, then due west to the post, then southeastward to a post due east of ICWW marker 99, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of ICWW marker 102, then due west to ICWW marker 102, then northward to ICWW marker 100, then northwestward along the western boundary of the ICWW to the State Road 404 (Pineda Causeway), then northwestward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 95.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any two-FDACS-P-01593 Rev. 04/19 Shellfish Harvesting Area Boundary and Management Plans, Incorporated into Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C.

day period measured at the Rockledge Waste Water Treatment Plant in Rockledge exceeds 0.44 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **7602 Body D conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 73, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southern edge of the State Road 528 bridge, then eastward along the southern edge of the State Road 528 bridge and causeway to the eastern boundary of the ICWW, then southward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW marker 71, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline to a point due east of ICWW marker 73, then due west to the point of origin at ICWW marker 73.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-003, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southern end of the concrete seawall at the site of the old Brevard Hotel, then northeastward to the easternmost tip of the western State Road 520 causeway island, then eastward along the southern edge of the State Road 520 bridge and causeway to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline to a point due east of ICWW marker 77, then due west to the ICWW marker 77, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW marker 79, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of ICWW marker 83, then due west to the ICWW marker 83, then southeastward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW marker 85, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-003, then due west to the point of origin at the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-003.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW marker 89, then southwestward to the northern shoreline of the mangrove island east of the mainland shoreline, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW marker 86, then due east to ICWW marker 86, then southeastward along the ICWW through ICWW marker 88 to the point of origin at ICWW marker 89.

Polygon 4: Beginning at ICWW marker 91, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the easternmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of the mouth of the first unnamed cove on the mainland shoreline north of ICWW marker 91, then due east to the eastern boundary of the ICWW, then northwestward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to a point due east of the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017, then due west to the northeast corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017, then westward to the northwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-017, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the easternmost tip of land on the northern shoreline of the mouth of the next unnamed cove on the mainland shoreline, then northeastward to ICWW marker 90, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of a post, then due west through the post to the ICWW, then northwestward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to the point of origin at ICWW marker 91.

Polygon 5: Beginning at the northwest corner marker of lease 1069 then northwestward to a point on the mainland shoreline due west of the southwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-045, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southern end of the rock revetment southwest of lease 1069, then northward to the point of origin at the northwest corner marker of lease 1069.

Polygon 6: Beginning at ICWW marker 98, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northern edge of the State Road 404 causeway, then eastward along the northern edge of the State Road 404 causeway and bridge to the ICWW, then southward along the western boundary of the ICWW to the point of origin at ICWW marker 98.

Polygon 7: Beginning at a post due east of ICWW marker 99, then northwestward to a post west of the Merritt Island shoreline and northeast of ICWW marker 98, then due east to the Merritt Island shoreline, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point

due east of the ICWW marker 99, then due west to the point of origin at the post due east of ICWW marker 99.

Polygon 8: Beginning at ICWW marker 101, then southward along the ICWW to ICWW marker 102, then due east to the Merritt Island shoreline, then southeastward along the shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southernmost tip of Merritt Island, then southwestward to the easternmost tip of the easternmost State Road 518 causeway, then westward along the southern edge of the State Road 518 bridge and causeway to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW marker 101, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 101.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any two-day period measured at the Rockledge Waste Water Treatment Plant in Rockledge exceeds 1.29 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Body D prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 73, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline to the southern edge of the State Road 520 bridge, then westward along the southern edge of State Road 520 bridge and causeway to the easternmost tip of the western State Road 520 causeway island, then southwestward to the southern end of the concrete seawall at the site of the old Brevard Hotel, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 73, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 73.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW marker 85, then northwestward along the eastern boundary of the ICWW to ICWW marker 83, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southeastward along the shoreline to a point due east of ICWW marker 85, then due west to the point of origin at ICWW marker 85.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICWW marker 95, then southeastward along the ICWW to the southern edge of the State Road 404 bridge, then southwestward along the southern edge of the State Road 404 bridge and causeway to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 95, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW marker 95.

Polygon 4: Beginning at ICWW marker 101, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the shoreline to a point due west of ICWW marker 98, then due east to ICWW marker 98, then southeastward along the ICWW to the point of origin at ICWW marker 101.

The area also includes ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**77 BODY C SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP<br>#(S) | EFFECTIVE<br>DATE | COUNTY  |
|--|-------------|-------------------|---------|
| 7732 Body C Conditionally approved Winter Dec - Feb<br>7716 Body C Conditionally restricted Winter Dec - Feb<br>---- Body C prohibited Winter Dec - Feb  | 77A         | May 5, 2009       | Brevard |
| 7712 Body C conditionally approved Zone 1 Spring/Summer/Fall<br>March - Nov<br>7722 Body C conditionally approved Zone 2 Spring/Summer/Fall<br>March - Nov<br>7726 Body C conditionally restricted Zone 3 Spring/Summer/Fall<br>March - Nov<br>---- Body C prohibited Spring/Summer/Fall March - Nov | 77B         | May 5, 2009       | Brevard |

**BODY C WINTER (MONTHS OF DECEMBER – FEBRUARY)**

**7732 Body C conditionally approved Winter (Months of December – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in a polygon beginning at Intracoastal Waterway (ICWW) marker 52, then westward to the easternmost tip of the northern jetty of the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant, then northwestward to the northern end of the northernmost concrete and steel seawall on the mainland shoreline northwestward of the ICWW marker 48, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the western State Road 405 Causeway, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the causeway to the intersection of the northern side of the northern State Road 405 Bridge, then eastward along the northern side of the northern bridge to the eastern State Road 405 Causeway, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the causeway to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a straight line drawn northeastward from the northernmost pole of the eighth set of northern overhead powerline pole west of Merritt Island through the northernmost pole of the third set of poles west of Merritt Island, then southwestward to the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of the Merritt Island shoreline, then along the northern poles of the northern overhead powerline to the northern pole of the eighth set of poles west of Merritt Island, then northwestward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 52.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) One-day rainfall, measured at the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant in Port St. John, Florida exceeds 0.68 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**7716 Body C conditionally restricted Winter (Months of December – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 52, then southeastward to the northernmost pole of the eighth set of northern overhead power line poles west of Merritt Island, then northeastward along the northernmost poles of the powerline to the northernmost pole of the third set of poles west of Merritt Island, then eastward along the northernmost poles of the powerline to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a line drawn due east from ICWW marker 58 through a piling to the Merritt Island shoreline, then due west to the piling, then northwestward to ICWW marker 54, then northwestward to the easternmost tip of the southern jetty of the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant, then northward across the Power Plant channel to the easternmost tip of the northern jetty, then eastward to the point of origin

at ICWW marker 52.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICWW marker 64, then southeastward to a piling due east of ICWW marker 65, then northward to a piling south of the westernmost spoil island south of the Courtenay channel, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the southern overhead powerline north of the State Road 528 Causeway, then southwestward to the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and the eastern State Road 528 Causeway, then westward along the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and Causeway to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a line drawn due west from ICWW marker 60 through a piling to the mainland shoreline, then due east to the piling, then southeastward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 64.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) One-day rainfall, measured at the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant in Port St. John, Florida exceeds 0.73 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Body C prohibited Winter (Months of December – February)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW marker 54, then southeastward to a piling due east of ICWW marker 58, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of a piling south of the westernmost spoil island south of the Courtenay channel, then due west to the piling, then southward to a piling due east of ICWW marker 65, then northwestward to ICWW marker 64, then northwestward to a piling due west of ICWW marker 60, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northern end of the northernmost concrete and steel seawall on the mainland shoreline northwestward of ICWW marker 48, then southeastward to the easternmost tip of the northern jetty of the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant, then southward to the easternmost tip of the southernmost jetty, then southeastward to the point of origin at ICWW marker 54.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island, then northeastward along a straight line drawn from the northernmost pole of the eighth set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island, through the northernmost pole of the third set of poles west of Merritt Island to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline along all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles of Merritt Island, then due west to the point origin at the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and the eastern State Road 528 Causeway, then northeastward to the intersection of the southern overhead powerline north of the State Road 528 Causeway with the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Merritt Island including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the mouth of the Canaveral Barge Canal, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the Canaveral Barge Canal to the State Road 3 bridge, then southward along the western side of the State Road 3 bridge to the southern shoreline of the Canaveral Barge Canal, then westward along the southern shoreline of the Canaveral Barge Canal and the northern shoreline of the eastern State Road 528 Causeway to the point of origin at the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and the eastern State Road 528 Causeway.

The area also includes ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.



## **BODY C SPRING/SUMMER/FALL MARCH - NOVEMBER**

### **7712 Body C conditionally approved Zone 1 Spring/Summer/Fall (Months of March – November)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the intersection of the western State Road 405 Causeway and the northern side of the northern State Road 405 Bridge, then eastward along the northern side of the northern bridge to the eastern State Road 405 Causeway, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the causeway to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a straight line drawn northeastward from the northernmost pole of the eighth set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island through the northernmost pole of the third set of poles west of Merritt Island, then southwestward to the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles from Merritt Island, then southwestward along the northernmost poles of the northern overhead powerline to the northernmost poles of the third set of poles east of the mainland, then northward through two pilings to the easternmost tip of the southern jetty of the Reliant Energy Power Plant, then northward across the power plant channel to the easternmost tip of the northern jetty, then northwestward to the northern end of the northernmost concrete and steel seawall on the mainland shoreline northwestward of ICWW marker 48, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the western State Road 405 Causeway, then eastward along the southern shoreline of the causeway to the point of origin at the intersection of the western State Road 405 Causeway and the northern side of the northern State Road 405 Bridge.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Four-day rainfall, measured at the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant in Port St. John, Florida exceeds 5.15 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **7722 Body C conditionally approved Zone 2 Spring/Summer/Fall (Months of March – November)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters a polygon beginning at the intersection of the eastern State Road 528 Causeway and the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge, then westward along the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge to the State Road 528 Causeway island, then northward along the shoreline of the island to the northernmost tip, then northwestward to the northernmost pole of the fourth set of southern overhead powerline poles east of the mainland, then northward through a piling to the southwest corner marker of lease number 05-AQ-050, then northward to the northwest corner marker of lease 05-AQ-048, then northeastward to a piling due west of ICWW marker 60, then due north to the easternmost tip of the FP&L jetty, then northwestward to the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles east of the mainland, then northeastward along the northernmost poles of the northern overhead powerline to the northernmost pole of the third set of poles west of Merritt Island, then southeastward to a piling due east of ICWW marker 58, then southward to a piling northwest of the westernmost Courtenay Channel spoil island, then southwestward to a piling northeastward of ICWW marker 62, then southward to a piling east of ICWW marker 62, then northeastward to a piling south of the westernmost Courtenay Channel spoil island, then southward to a piling due east of ICWW marker 65, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection with the southernmost overhead powerlines, then southwestward to the point of origin, the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and the eastern State Road 528 Causeway.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Four-day rainfall, measured at the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant in Port St. John, Florida exceeds 4.81 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **7726 Body C conditionally restricted Spring/Summer/Fall (Months of March – November)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island, then eastward along the northernmost poles of the powerline to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southwest along the Merritt Island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a line drawn due east from ICWW marker 58 through a piling to the Merritt Island shoreline, then due west to the piling, then northwestward to the point of origin at the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island.

Polygon 2: Beginning at a piling due east of ICWW marker 65, then northward to a piling south of the westernmost spoil island south of the Courtenay channel, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of a line drawn due east from ICWW marker 65 through a piling to the Merritt Island shoreline, then due west to the point of origin at a piling due east of ICWW 65.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the northernmost tip of the western State Road 528 Causeway island, then northwestward to the northernmost pole of the fourth set of southern overhead powerline poles east of the mainland, then northward through a piling to the southwest corner marker of lease number 05-AQ-050, then northward to the northwest corner marker of lease number 05-AQ-048, then northeastward to a piling due west of ICWW marker 60, then northward to the easternmost tip of the FP&L jetty, then northwestward to the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles east of the mainland, then northward through two pilings to the easternmost tip of the southern jetty of the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant, then northward across the Power Plant channel to the easternmost tip of the northern jetty, then northwestward to the northern end of the northernmost concrete and steel seawall on the mainland shoreline northwestward of ICWW marker 48, then southward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge, then eastward along the southern side of the State Road 528 Bridge to the State Road 528 Causeway island, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the island to the point of origin at the northernmost tip of the western State Road 528 Causeway island.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Four-day rainfall, measured at the Reliant Energy Indian River Power Plant in Port St. John, Florida exceeds 4.30 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **Body C prohibited Spring/Summer/Fall (Months of March – November)**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters in the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the piling due east of ICWW marker 58, then southward to a piling northwest of the westernmost Courtenay Channel spoil island, then southwestward to a piling northeastward of ICWW marker 62, then southward to a piling east of ICWW marker 62, then northeastward to a piling south of the westernmost Courtenay Channel spoil island, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the Merritt Island shoreline including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of ICWW marker 58, then due west to the point of origin at the piling due east of ICWW marker 58.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island, then northeastward along a straight line drawn from the northernmost pole of the eighth set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island through the northernmost pole of the third set of poles west of Merritt Island to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the Merritt Island shoreline including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island, then due west to the point of origin at the northernmost pole of the third set of northern overhead powerline poles west of Merritt Island.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and eastern State Road 528 Causeway, then northeastward to the intersection of the southern overhead powerline north of the State Road 528 Causeway, then southward along the western shoreline of Merritt Island including all creeks and canals to the mouth of the Canaveral Barge Canal, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the Canaveral Barge Canal to the State Road 3 bridge, then southward along the western side of

the State Road 3 bridge to the southern shoreline of the Canaveral Barge Canal, then westward along the southern shoreline of the Canaveral Barge Canal and northern shoreline of the eastern State Road 528 Causeway to the point of origin at the intersection of the southern side of the southern State Road 528 Bridge and eastern State Road 528 Causeway.

The area also includes ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**78 BODY B SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP #<br>(S)      | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY  |
|--|-------------------|----------------|---------|
| 7812 Body B Conditionally approved Zone 1<br>Conditionally approved Zone 2<br>---- Body B Prohibited | 7822 Body B<br>78 | May 5, 2009    | Brevard |

**7812 Body B Conditionally Approved Zone 1**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the ICW channel marker 33, then eastward to the westernmost point on the southern shoreline of the mouth of Brock Creek, then northwestward along the western shoreline of Merritt Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the southern shoreline of the eastern causeway of the State Road 402 Bridge, then southwestward to the northeasternmost point of the unnamed spoil island, then southwestward along the southeastern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to the westernmost point, then southwestward to the ICW channel marker 32, then westward to the Manatee Zone sign southwest of the ICW channel marker 32, then southward, through all Manatee Zone signs, to the Manatee Zone sign west of the ICW channel marker 38, then eastward to the ICW channel marker 38, then northwestward, through the ICW channel markers 37 and 35, to the ICW channel marker 33, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) one-day rainfall, measured at the Osprey Water Reclamation Facility, exceeds 1.24 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C ., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**7822 Body B Conditionally Approved Area Zone 2**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the ICW channel marker 33, then northeastward to the westernmost point on the southern shoreline of the mouth of Brock Creek, then eastward and southward along the western shoreline of Merritt Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the northern shoreline of the eastern Causeway of the State Road 405 Bridge, then westward along the northern shoreline to the eastern side of the State Road 405 Bridge, then westward, along the northern side of the State Road 405 Bridge, to the northern shoreline of the western Causeway of the State Road 405 Bridge, then westward along the northern shoreline to the eastern shoreline of the mainland, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to Addison Creek Point, then northeastward to the ICW channel marker 40, then northwestward, through the ICW channel markers 38, 37 and 35, to the ICW channel marker 33, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) one-day rainfall, measured at the Osprey Water Reclamation Facility, exceeds 2.80 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or Emergencies as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **Body B Prohibited Area**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the ICW channel marker 32, then northeastward to the southernmost point of the unnamed spoil island, then northeastward along the northwestern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to the northeasternmost point, then northeastward to where the western shoreline of Merritt Island intersects with the southern shoreline of the eastern causeway of the State Road 402 Bridge, then southwestward along the southern shoreline to the State Road 402 Bridge, then southwestward , along the southern side of the State Road 402 Bridge, to the southern shoreline of the western causeway of the State Road 402 Bridge, then southwestward along the southern shoreline to the eastern shoreline of the mainland, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the mainland to Addison Creek Point, then northeastward to the ICW channel marker 40, then northwestward to the ICW channel marker 38, then westward to the Manatee Zone sign, then northwestward, through all Manatee Zone signs, to the Manatee Zone sign westward of the ICW channel marker 32, then northeastward to the ICW channel marker 32, the point of origin.

The Prohibited area also includes creeks, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**79 SOUTHBANANA RIVER SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION  
BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                     | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|--|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| 7902 South Banana River conditionally approved   | 79           | December 28,   | Brevard   |
| 7906 South Banana River conditionally restricted |              | 2009           |           |
| ---- South Banana prohibited                     |              |                |           |

**7902 South Banana River conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Banana River channel marker 6B, then due east to the barrier island shoreline at Patrick Air Force Base, then northward along the western shoreline of the barrier island shoreline at Patrick Air Force Base across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point on the western shoreline of the barrier island at Patrick Air Force Base due east of the southernmost tip of the southernmost of two large spoil islands south of Newfound Harbor, then due west to the southernmost tip of the southernmost of two large spoil islands south of Newfound Harbor, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Bridge, then eastward along the northern edge of the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Bridge and eastern Causeway Island to the western tip of the eastern State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Island, then northward to Banana River through channel marker 6A, to the point of origin at Banana River channel marker 6B.

Polygon 2: Beginning at Buck Point at the southern tip of Horti Point on Merritt Island, then due west across the mouth of Newfound Harbor to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the southern intersection of the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island with the Merritt Island Regional Airport runway peninsula, then southeastward along the Merritt Island Regional Airport runway peninsula to the southern tip of the Merritt Island Regional Airport runway peninsula, then due east to the western shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island, then southward along the western shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at Buck Point.

Polygon 3: Beginning at Banana River channel marker 25, then northward to Banana River channel marker 27, then due north to the State Road 520 Causeway Island, the westward along the northern edge of the SR 520 Causeway Island to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of channel marker 28, then due east to the intersection with a line of north/south running manatee signs, then northward along the line of manatee signs to the manatee sign (Latitude North 28.394010/Longitude West 80.657410) at the beginning of the marked channel to Kelly Park, then northeastward to the eastern tip of the western State Road 528 Causeway Island, then westward along the northern edge of the State Road 528 Causeway Island and Bridge to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of the Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection with the Federal No Motor Zone boundary of the North Banana River Manatee Sanctuary, then eastward across the Banana River along the Federal No Motor Zone boundary to the western shoreline of the Canaveral Peninsula, then southward along the western shoreline of the Canaveral Peninsula across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the western end of the eastern State Road 528 Bridge Causeway, then southeastward to a manatee sign (Latitude North 28.383530/Longitude West 80.632290) located southwestward of Long Point, then southwestward to the northwestern tip of the Cape Canaveral Hospital Peninsula, then westward around the Cape Canaveral Hospital Peninsula and eastern State Road 520 Causeway Island to its westernmost tip, then eastward along the southern edge of the eastern State Road 520 Causeway Island to a point due north of private channel marker 117 located south of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 520 Bridge, then due south to private channel marker 117, then southwestward to Shell Point, then southwestward along the western shorelines of the unnamed islands south and west of Shell Point to a point due east of channel marker 25, then due west to the point of origin at channel marker 25.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any one-day period measured at the Cape Canaveral Wastewater Treatment Plant exceeds 1.55 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **7906 South Banana River conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island and the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Bridge, then eastward along the northern edge of the State Road 404 Causeway Bridge and eastern State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Island to the western tip of the eastern State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Island, then southeastward to the western tip of Nesbit Island, then due east to the western shoreline of the unnamed island west of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the unnamed island west of the barrier island to a point due east of an unnamed point of land on the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island located southwest of channel marker 4, then due west across Banana River to an unnamed point of land on the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island and the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway Bridge.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the southernmost tip of the southernmost of two large spoil island south of Newfound Harbor, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of the southern tip of Buck Point on the southern tip of Horti Point on Merritt Island, then due east across the mouth of Newfound Harbor to Buck Point, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of Banana River channel marker 15, then due east through Banana River channel marker 15 to the western shoreline of the first island south of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula, then southeastward along the western shoreline of the first island south of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula to its southernmost tip, then southeastward to the westernmost tip of the second island south of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula, then southeastward along the southern shoreline of the second island south of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula to its southernmost tip, then southeastward across the mouth of Shortys Pocket to southernmost unnamed point in the mouth of Shortys Pocket, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, and man-made canals to a point due east of the southernmost tip of the southernmost of two large spoil island south of Newfound Harbor, then due west to the point of origin at the southernmost tip of the southernmost of two large spoil island south of Newfound Harbor.

Polygon 3: Beginning at Banana River channel marker 25, then due east to the western shoreline of an unnamed island southwest of Shell Point, then southward along the western shoreline of unnamed islands east of Big Island to the northernmost tip of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula, then westward and southward along the shoreline of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula to a point due east of Banana River channel marker 21, then due west through Banana River channel marker 21 to the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of Banana River channel marker 23, then due east to Banana River channel marker 23, then northward to the point of origin at Banana River channel marker 25.

Polygon 4: Beginning at a point on the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island due west of Banana River channel marker 28, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the eastern tip of the western State Road 528 Causeway Island, then southwestward to the manatee sign (Latitude North 28.394010/Longitude West 80.657410) at the beginning of the marked channel to Kelly Park, then southward through a line of north/south running manatee signs to a point due west of Banana River channel marker 28, then due west to the point of origin at a point on the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island due west of Banana River channel marker 28.

Polygon 5: Beginning at the northwesternmost tip of the Cape Canaveral Hospital peninsula on the State Road 520 Causeway, then northwestward to a manatee sign (Latitude North 28.383530/Longitude West 80.632290), then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the

State Road 520 Causeway, then westward along the northern shoreline of the eastern State Road 520 Causeway Island to the point of origin at the northwesternmost tip of the Cape Canaveral Hospital Peninsula on the State Road 520 Causeway.

Polygon 6: Beginning at private channel marker 117 located south of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 520 Bridge, then southwestward to Shell Point, then eastward to the closest point of land on the western shoreline of the barrier island, then eastward and northward around the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of private channel marker 127, then northwestward to the point of origin at private channel marker 117.

Polygon 7: Beginning at the southern intersection of the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island with the Merritt Island Regional Airport runway peninsula in Newfound Harbor, then counterclockwise around the Merritt Island Regional airport peninsula to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the western State Road 520 Causeway Island, then east along the southern edge of the western State Road 520 Causeway Island and Bridge and eastern State Road 520 Causeway Island to the western shoreline of Horti Point, then southern along the western shoreline of Horti Point across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of the southern intersection of the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island with the Merritt Island Regional Airport runway peninsula, then due east to the point of origin at the southern intersection of the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island with the Merritt Island Regional Airport runway peninsula.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Cumulative rainfall for any one-day period measured at the Cape Canaveral Wastewater Treatment Plant exceeds 1.57 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **South Banana River prohibited area**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Dragon Point on Merritt Island, then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island to the unnamed point southwest of Banana River channel marker 4, then due east to the western shoreline of the unnamed island west of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the unnamed island west of the barrier island and along the western shoreline of the barrier island to the southern edge of the State Road 518 bridge, then southwestward along the southern edge of the State Road 518 bridge and the northern shoreline of the eastern State Road 518 causeway island to a point due south of Dragon Point, then due north to the point of origin at Dragon Point on Merritt Island.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the western tip of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway, then southeastward to the western tip of Nesbit Island, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then northeastward to the 404 Pineda Causeway, then westward along the southern edge of the causeway island and bridge to the point of origin at the western tip of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the western tip of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 404 Pineda Bridge, then northward through Banana River channel marker 6A to Banana River channel marker 6B, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island to the State Road 404 Pineda Bridge, then westward along the northern edge of the State Road 404 Pineda Bridge and the eastern Causeway Island to the point of origin at the western tip of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 404 Pineda Causeway.

Polygon 4: Beginning at Banana River channel marker 15, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island then northwestward along the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island to a point due west of Banana River channel marker 21, then due east across the Banana River through channel marker 21 to the western shoreline of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula on the barrier island, then southward along the western and southern shorelines of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula and the western shorelines of the unnamed islands southeastward of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula to a point due east of Banana River channel marker 15, then due west to the point of origin at Banana River channel marker 15.



Polygon 5: Beginning at Banana River channel marker 23, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island to the intersection of the eastern shoreline of Horti Point on Merritt Island and the State Road 520 Causeway Bridge, then eastward along the northern edge of the State Road 520 Causeway Bridge and western State Road 520 Causeway Island to a point due north of Banana River channel marker 27, then southward to Banana River channel marker 27, then southward through Banana River channel marker 25 to the point of origin at Banana River channel marker 23.

Polygon 6: Beginning at private channel marker 117 south of the eastern causeway island of the State Road 520 bridge, then due north to the southern shoreline of the eastern causeway Island of the State Road 520 bridge, then eastward along the southern edge of the State Road 520 Causeway Island and northern edge of the State Road 520 Bridge to the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island to an unnamed point of land eastward of private channel marker 127, then northwestward to the point of origin at private channel marker 117.

Polygon 7: Beginning at the western tip of the eastern State Road 528 Causeway Island, then eastward along the southern edge of the eastern State Road 528 Causeway Island to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of a manatee sign (Latitude North 28.383530/Longitude West 80.632290), then due west to the manatee sign (Latitude North 28.383530/Longitude West 80.632290), then northwestward to the point of origin at the western tip of the eastern State Road 528 Causeway Island.

In addition all waters and canals in the Banana River within the island formations north and south of the Minuteman Causeway Peninsula and all creeks and canals in the Banana River south of the southern boundary of the Federal No Motor Zone boundary of the North Banana River Manatee Sanctuary are classified prohibited, as are all marinas.

**80 BODY A SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND  
MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                   | MAP #<br>(S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY  |
|--|--------------|----------------|---------|
| 8001 Body A approved<br>---- Body A prohibited | 80           | May 5, 2009    | Brevard |

**8001 Body A approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Boathouse Point in the Indian River Lagoon, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then southward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection of the western U.S. Government Railroad Bridge and the mainland shoreline, then eastward along the northern edge of the western U.S. Government Railroad Bridge island to the intersection with the ICWW, then southward along the eastern side of the ICWW to ICWW channel marker 23, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then northward along the western shoreline of Merritt Island across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the intersection with the eastern U.S. Government Railroad Bridge island, then westward and eastward along the perimeter of the eastern U.S. Government Railroad Bridge island to the intersection with the western Merritt Island shoreline, then northward along the western shoreline of Merritt Island, across the mouths of all creeks and the western entrance of Haulover Canal, then north along the western shoreline of the mainland north of Haulover Canal, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to Boathouse Point, the point of origin.

Polygon 2; Beginning at ICWW channel marker 29 in Mosquito Lagoon, then due east to the western shoreline of the Barrier Island, then southward along the Barrier Island shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due east of the northernmost tip of Pelican Island, then due west through the northernmost tip of Pelican Island to the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island in Mosquito Lagoon, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals and the eastern entrance to Haulover Canal, then north along the eastern shoreline of the mainland in Mosquito Lagoon, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 29, then due east to ICWW channel marker 29, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**8005 Body A restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at ICWW channel marker 23, then due east to the western shoreline of Merritt Island, then southward along the western Merritt Island shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the intersection of the eastern causeway and the southern edge of the SR 402 bridge, then southwestward along the southern edge of the SR 402 bridge and southern shoreline of the causeway island to the intersection with the ICWW, then northwestward through ICWW channel markers 27 and 25 to ICWW channel marker 23, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **Body A prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the intersection of the mainland shoreline and the northern side of the western U.S. Government Railroad Bridge, then eastward along the northern side of the U.S. Government Railroad Bridge to the intersection with the ICWW, then southward through ICWW channel markers 23, 25, and 27 to the intersection with the southern edge of the SR 402 bridge, then southwestward along the southern edge of the SR 402 bridge and southern shoreline of causeway island to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline, including the Titusville Marina Basin, to the intersection of the mainland shoreline and the northern side of the western U.S. Government Railroad Bridge, the point of origin. Polygon 2; Beginning at Boathouse Point in the Indian River Lagoon, then counterclockwise following the mainland shoreline, across the mouth of Turnbull Creek, to a point due west of Boathouse Point, then due east to Boathouse Point, the point of origin.

Polygon 3; Beginning at the northernmost point of Pelican Island in Mosquito Lagoon, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then clockwise along the perimeter of Max Hoeck Creek, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Merritt Island to a point due west of the northernmost point of Pelican Island, then due east to the northernmost point of Pelican Island, the point of origin.

The area also includes Haulover Canal, ditches, man-made canals, and marinas.

**82 SOUTH VOLUSIA SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                     | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE  | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| 8201 South Volusia approved                      | 82A,      | August 19, 2012 | Volusia   |
| 8212 South Volusia conditionally approved Zone 1 | 82B       |                 |           |
| 8222 South Volusia conditionally approved Zone 2 |           |                 |           |
| 8206 South Volusia conditionally restricted      |           |                 |           |
| ---- South Volusia prohibited                    |           |                 |           |

**8201 South Volusia approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at ICWW channel marker 15 in Mosquito Lagoon, then northeastward to the southern point of Middle Island, then northeastward along the southern shoreline to the easternmost point of Middle Island, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to a point due east of ICW channel marker 29 in Mosquito Lagoon, then due west through ICWW channel marker 29 to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, marinas and man-made canals, to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 15, then due east to ICWW channel marker 15, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be closed when emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**8212 South Volusia conditionally approved Zone 1**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 60, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then southeastward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches, marinas, man-made canals and coves, to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 71, the due east through ICWW channel marker 71, to the western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island on the eastern side of the ICWW, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to the northernmost point, then eastward along the northern shoreline to the northeasternmost point, then southeastward to the westernmost point of an unnamed spoil island, then northeastward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to the northernmost point, then northeastward to the northwesternmost point of the unnamed spoil island that lines the south side of Shipyard Canal, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island that lines the south side of Shipyard Canal to the northeasternmost point, then eastward to the northernmost point of Shipyard Island, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of Shipyard Island to a point due west of the northernmost point of an unnamed spoil island west of Turtle Mound, then due east to the northernmost point of the unnamed spoil island west of Turtle Mound, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to a point due west of the westernmost point of Turtle Mound, then due east to the westernmost point of Turtle Mound, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point due east of the southernmost point of the small unnamed spoil island southeast of Turner Flats, then due west to the southernmost point of the small unnamed spoil island southeast of Turner Flats, then northwestward along the western shoreline to a point due east of the southern point of a larger spoil island east of Turner Flats, then due west to the southernmost point of the larger spoil island east of Turner Flats, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the larger spoil island to its northernmost point, then northwestward to the southernmost point of a horseshoe shaped spoil island east of Cedar Island, then northward along the western shoreline of the horseshoe shaped spoil island to the northernmost point, then northward to the southernmost point of an unnamed spoil island northeast of Cedar Island, then northwestward along the

western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to its westernmost point, then due west to the western shore of the cove north of Cedar Creek, then southward along the western shoreline of the cove to the northern shoreline of Cedar Creek, then westward along the northern shoreline of Cedar Creek, Oyster Bay and Fox Slip, across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to the western entrance of Fox Slip, then northward along the western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island north of Fox Slip to the northwesternmost point, then across the mouth of Bottle Island Creek to the southwesternmost point of the unnamed spoil island east of Three Sisters Islands, then northward along the western shoreline to the mouth of Botheration Creek, then northwestward across the mouth of Botheration Creek to the southernmost point of the unnamed spoil island north of Three Sisters Islands, then northwestward along the western shoreline to a Florida Power and Light "Cable crossing warning" sign (latitude 28°58'37"N/longitude 80°53'01"W), then due west to the eastern shoreline of a large unnamed spoil island east of ICWW marker 57, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of the large unnamed spoil island east of the ICWW to its southernmost point, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island east of the ICWW to a point due east of ICWW channel marker 60, then due west to ICWW channel marker 60, the point of origin.

Polygon 2: Beginning at ICW channel marker 75, then due east to the western shoreline of an unnamed spoil island on the eastern side of the ICW, then southward along the western shoreline of all spoil islands east of the ICW, going through their northern and southern points respectively to a point due east of ICW channel marker 13, then due west through ICW channel marker 13 to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point due west of ICW channel marker 75, then due east to ICW channel marker 75, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the Volusia County Southeast Regional Water Reclamation Facility in Oak Hill, Florida exceeds 2.40 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **8222 South Volusia conditionally approved Zone 2**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the westernmost tip of Turtle Mound, then southeastward along the barrier island shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point due east of the easternmost tip of Middle Island in Mosquito Lagoon, then due west to the easternmost tip of Middle Island, then southwestward along the southern shoreline of Middle Island to its southernmost tip, then southwestward to ICW channel marker 15, then due west to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point due west of ICW channel marker 13, then due east through ICW channel marker 13 to the western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island immediately east of the ICW, then northwestward along the western shoreline of all spoil islands east of the ICW, going through their southern and northern points respectively, across the mouth of Bissette Bay, to the northernmost tip of the large unnamed spoil island east of ICW channel marker 67, then eastward along the northern shoreline to the northeasternmost tip, then southeast to the westernmost tip of an unnamed spoil island, then northeastward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to the northernmost tip, then northeastward to the northwesternmost point of the unnamed spoil island that lines the south side of Shipyard Canal, then eastward along the northern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island that lines the south side of Shipyard Canal to the northeasternmost point, then eastward to the northernmost point of Shipyard Island, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of Shipyard Island to a point due west of the northernmost point of an unnamed spoil island west of Turtle Mound, then due east to the northernmost point of the unnamed spoil island west of Turtle Mound, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to a point due west of the westernmost tip of Turtle Mound, then due east to the westernmost tip of Turtle Mound, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the Volusia County Southeast Regional Water Reclamation Facility in Oak Hill, Florida exceeds 5.37 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal

coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

### **8206 South Volusia conditionally restricted**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at the northern shoreline of the mouth of Potts Creek, then southwestward to the southernmost point of the small unnamed island west of the mouth of Potts Creek, then southward to the easternmost point of the unnamed spoil island east of ICWW channel marker 55, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of the unnamed spoil island east of the ICWW marker 55 to its southernmost point, then southeastward to the northernmost point of the large unnamed spoil island east of ICWW channel marker 57, then southeastward along the eastern shoreline of the large unnamed spoil island east of ICWW marker 57 to a point on the shoreline due west of a Florida Power and Light "Cable crossing warning" sign (latitude 28°58'37"N/longitude 80°53'01"W), then due east to a Florida Power and Light "Cable crossing warning" sign (latitude 28°58'37"N/longitude 80°53'01"W), then southeastwards along the western shoreline to the southernmost point, then southeastwards across the mouth of Botheration creek to a point on the western shoreline of an unnamed spoil east of Three Sisters Islands, then southward along the western shoreline to the southwesternmost point, then across the mouth of Bottle Island Creek to the northwesternmost point of the unnamed spoil island north of Fox Slip, then southwestward along the western shoreline to the northern entrance of the western mouth of Fox Slip, then eastward along the northern shoreline of Fox Slip to the mouth of a creek at the western end of Oyster Bay, then across the mouth of the creek to the western shoreline of the barrier island, the north and northwestward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, including all creeks and canals to the northern shoreline of the mouth of Potts Creek, the point of origin.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the southernmost tip of a large unnamed spoil island east of Turner Flats, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the large spoil island to its northernmost tip, then northwestward to the southernmost tip of a horseshoe shaped spoil island east of Cedar Island, then northward along the western shoreline of the horseshoe shaped spoil island to the northernmost tip, then northward to the southernmost tip of an unnamed spoil island northeast of Cedar Island, then northwestward along the western shoreline of the unnamed spoil island to its westernmost tip, then due west to the western shore of the cove north of Cedar Creek, then clockwise along the perimeter of all creeks and the western shoreline of the barrier island to a point due east of the southernmost tip of a small unnamed spoil island southeast of Turner Flats, then due west to the southernmost tip of the small unnamed spoil island southeast of Turner Flats, then northward along the western shoreline of the spoil island to a point due east of the southernmost tip of a large unnamed spoil island east of Turner Flats, the due west to the southernmost tip of the large unnamed spoil island, the point of origin.

Polygon 3: Beginning at ICW channel marker 71, then due east to a point of the western shoreline of an unnamed spoil island on the east side of the ICW, then southward along the western shoreline to a point due east of ICW channel marker 75, then due west through ICW channel marker 75 to the mainland shoreline, then northwards along the eastern shoreline of the mainland, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point due west of ICW channel marker 71, the due east to ICW channel marker 71, the point of origin.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) Two-day cumulative rainfall measured at the Volusia County Southeast Regional Water Reclamation Facility in Oak Hill, Florida exceeds 4.76 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in Rule 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted if relay activities are under way within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003, F.A.C., and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## **South Volusia prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters beginning at the intersection of the southern edge of the New Smyrna Beach South (State Road A1A) Causeway and the mainland shoreline, then northeastward along the southern edge of the causeway to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southeastward along the barrier island shoreline including all creeks and canals to a point of land where a Florida Power and Light “Cable crossing warning“ sign is located east of lease 727, then due west to a point of land on the east side of an unnamed spoil island east of the ICW then northwestward along the eastern perimeter of the unnamed spoil island east of the ICW to its northernmost point, the southeastward along the western shoreline, including all creek, canals and coves, of the unnamed spoil island east of the ICW to a point due east of ICWW channel marker 60, then due west through ICWW channel marker 60 to the mainland shoreline, then northwestward along the mainland shoreline including all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at the intersection with the southern edge of the New Smyrna Beach South (State Road A1A) Causeway and the mainland shoreline.

The area also includes all creeks above mean high tide, all man-made canals, ditches, and marinas.

**88 SOUTH ST. JOHNS SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME                | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE          | COUNTY(S) |
|---|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|
| 8802 South St. Johns conditionally approved | 8806      | 88                      | St. Johns |
| South St. Johns conditionally restricted    |           | <del>December 28,</del> |           |
| ---- South St. Johns prohibited             |           | 2009                    |           |

**8802 South St. Johns Conditionally Approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at intersection of the southern side of the State Road 206 Bridge (Crescent Beach Bridge) and the mainland shoreline(29.76430, -81.26268), then northeastward along the southern side of the State Road 206 Bridge to the western shoreline of Anastasia Island(29.76919, -81.25752), then southward along the western shoreline of Anastasia Island, across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the northwestern side of State Road A1A (Matanzas Inlet Bridge[29.70535, -81.22819]), then southward along the western side of the State Road A1A (Matanzas Inlet Bridge) to the barrier island shoreline, then westward and southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals, to a point on the western shoreline of the barrier island due east of the southeast marker of Lease #888(29.67229, -81.21494) then due west to the southeast marker of Lease #888(29.67234, -81.21712), then westward to the southwest marker of Lease #888(29.67217, -81.21773), then due west, to the mainland shoreline(29.67223, -81.22060), then northward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouth of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to a point due south of ICW channel marker 80(29.72350, -81.24772), then due north to ICW channel marker 80(29.72451, -81.24789), then northward along the western side of the ICW to ICW channel marker 78(29.73110, -81.25021), then due west to the eastern shoreline of the spoil island due west of ICW channel marker 78(29.73110, -81.25069), then northward along the eastern shoreline of the spoil island to the northern most tip, then due north to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks, ditches and man-made canals to the point of origin at the intersection of the southern side of the State Road 206 Bridge (Crescent Beach Bridge) and the mainland shoreline(29.76430, -81.26268).

Management: The area will be temporarily closed when: 1) Six-day cumulative rainfall recorded by the NOAA exceeds 4.84 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies occur as defined in 5L-1.002, F.A.C. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Rule 5L-1.003 F.A.C. and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

**South St. Johns Prohibited**

**Polygon 1:**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at a point on the mainland shoreline due north of the northernmost tip of the spoil island due west of ICW channel marker 78 (29.73376, -81.2499), then due south to the northernmost tip of the spoil island due west of ICW channel marker 78(29.73353, -81.2499), then southward along the eastern shoreline of the spoil island to a point due west of ICW channel marker 78(29.7311, -81.2507), then due east to ICW channel marker 78 (29.7311, -81.2502) then southward along the western side of the ICW to ICW channel marker 80 (29.72451, -81.2479), then due south of ICW channel marker 80 to the mainland shoreline (29.72351, -81.24770), then westward and northward along the mainland shoreline, tracing the perimeters of all creeks, to a point on the mainland shoreline due north of the northernmost tip of the spoil island due west of ICW channel marker 78(29.73376, -81.2499), the point of origin. The Prohibited area also includes the creek on the southwestern side of Anastasia Island, across from the Fort Matanzas National Monument, and all creeks along the mainland shoreline, across from Rattlesnake Island, from ICW channel marker 80 South to ICW channel marker 8



**Polygon 2:**

Beginning at ICW channel marker 87(29.669560, -81.2174), then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island(29.66956, -81.2158), then northward along the western shoreline of the barrier island to a point due east of the southeast marker of Lease #888(29.6723, -81.2149), then due west to the southeastern marker of Lease #888(29.67234, -81.2171), then southwestward to the southwestern marker of Lease #888(29.67218, -81.2177), then due west to the mainland shoreline (29.67223, -81.2206), then southeastward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICW channel marker 87(29.66956, -81.2187), then due west to ICW channel marker 87(29.66956, -81.2174), the point of origin. The prohibited area includes all creeks, ditches, man-made canals, not otherwise classified, and marinas.

**92 NORTH ST. JOHNS SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES  
AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME   | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE                | COUNTY(S) |
|--|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| 9202 North St. Johns conditionally approved<br>North St. Johns conditionally restricted<br>---- North St. Johns prohibited | 92        | <del>2009</del> <u>May 5,</u> | St. Johns |

**9202 North St. Johns conditionally approved**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at Intracoastal Waterway (ICWW) channel marker 38 (30.001707°, -81.343689°) in the Tolomato River, then due east to the barrier island shoreline at 30.001707°, -81.334239, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, across the mouths of all creeks and canals to the northern entrance of the Guana River, then northward along the western shoreline of the Guana River to a point at 30.012399°, -81.3247°, then due east to a point on the eastern shoreline of the Guana River at 30.012399°, -81.323183°, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the Guana River to the southern entrance of the Guana River, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island, across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a point on the western barrier island shoreline due east of ICWW channel marker 54 at 29.943221°, -81.308609, then due west to ICWW channel marker 54 (29.943221°, -81.311519°), then southward to ICWW marker 55 (29.928501°, -81.306284°), then due west to the mainland shoreline at 29.928501°, -81.310387°, then northward along the mainland shoreline, across the mouths of all creeks, canals, and the St. Augustine Airport Basin to a point on the mainland shoreline due west of ICWW channel marker 38 at 30.001707°, -81.344317°, then due to ICWW channel marker 38 the point of origin.

Polygon 2: Beginning at the point on the eastern shoreline of Anastasia Island in Salt Run located at the northern boundary of the Anastasia State Recreation Area at 29.88085°, -81.28187°, then due east to the western shoreline of Conch Island at 29.88085°, -81.275122°, then southward across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a point on the western shoreline of Conch Island at 29.8766°, -81.273567, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Anastasia Island at 29.8766°, -81.277214, then north along the eastern shoreline of Anastasia Island to the point of origin at the point at the northern boundary of Anastasia State Recreation Area.

Management: The area will be temporarily closed to harvesting when: 1) one-day cumulative rainfall measured by NOAA exceeds 1.89 inches; 2) Environmental data is not available; or 3) Emergencies as defined in Chapter 5L1.002 Florida Administrative Code. Following temporary closure, sampling will be conducted within 5 days after closure a minimum of 25 percent of the time, and within 10 days after closure 50 percent of the time. The area will be reopened when bacteriological levels meet standards as described in Chapter 5L1-1.003 and fecal coliform levels in shellfish return to normal background levels so that consumption of shellfish will not be a hazard to the public health.

## North St. Johns prohibited area

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within the following polygons:

Polygon 1: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 24 (30.062283°, -81.370083°), then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island at 30.062283°, -81.354363°, then southward along the shoreline of the barrier island across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a point due east of ICWW channel marker 38 at 30.001707°, -81.334239°, then due west through ICWW channel marker 38 to the mainland shoreline at 30.001707°, -81.344317°, then northward along the mainland shoreline across the mouths of all creeks and canals to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 24 at 30.062283°, -81.370583°, then due east to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 24.

Polygon 2: Beginning at point on the western shoreline of the Guana River at 30.012399°, -81.330268°, then northward to the Guana River Dam, then southward along the eastern shoreline of the Guana River to a point at 30.012399°, -81.323163°, then due west to the point of origin at 30.012399°, -81.330268°.

Polygon 3: Beginning at the southern terminus of Salt Run, then northward along the western shoreline of Conch Island to a point at 29.8766°, -81.27357°, then due west to the eastern shoreline of Anastasia Island, then southward to the point of origin at the southern terminus of Salt Run.

Polygon 4: Beginning at ICWW channel marker 54, then due east to the western shoreline of the barrier island, then southward along the western shoreline of the barrier island to its southeasternmost tip, then southeastward across the St. Augustine Inlet to the northernmost tip of Conch Island, then westward and southward along the western shoreline of Conch Island to a point at 29.88085°, -81.275122° due east of a point at 29.88085°, -81.28189° on the eastern shoreline of Anastasia Island at the northern boundary of the Anastasia State Recreation Area, then due west to the point, then counterclockwise along the shoreline of Anastasia Island to the State Road 312 Bridge, then westward along the northern edge of the State Road 312 Bridge to the mainland shoreline, then northward along the mainland shoreline to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 55, then due east to ICWW channel marker 55, then northwestward to the point of origin at ICWW channel marker 54.

The prohibited area includes Robinson, Pancho, Indian, Casa Cola, Sombrero, Stokes, Deep, and Capo Creeks, St. Augustine Airport Basin, Ximanies Creek, San Sebastian River, Matanzas River from the St. Augustine Inlet south to the State Road 312 Bridge, marinas, ditches and all man-made canals.

**96 DUVAL COUNTY SHELLFISH HARVESTING AREA CLASSIFICATION BOUNDARIES AND MANAGEMENT**

| 4-DIGIT AREA NUMBER AND NAME | MAP # (S) | EFFECTIVE DATE | COUNTY(S) |
|------------------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|
| ---- Duval County prohibited | 96        | May 5, 2009    | Duval     |

**Duval County prohibited**

Classification Boundaries: The area includes all waters within a polygon beginning at the easternmost tip of Little Talbott Island, then southwestward across the Fort George Inlet to the closest point on Wards Bank, then counterclockwise along the northern shoreline of Wards Bank to its northernmost tip, then northward across the mouth of Haulover Creek to the easternmost tip of Fort George Island, then counterclockwise along the northern shoreline of Fort George Island to its northernmost point east of Garden Creek, then northward to ICWW channel marker 73, then due west across the ICWW to the eastern shoreline of Black Hammock Island, then northward along the eastern shoreline of Black Hammock Island to a point due west of ICWW channel marker 46A, then due east to ICWW channel marker 46A, then due east to the Duval-Nassau County line, then southeastward to the northeasternmost tip of Little Talbott Island, then counterclockwise along the northern, western, and southern shorelines of Little Talbott Island to the point of origin at the easternmost tip of Little Talbott Island.

The area also includes ditches, creeks, man-made canals, and marinas.