



# Rhode Island Marine Fisheries Council

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Ben Goetsch, Aquaculture Coordinator  
Coastal Resources Management Council  
4808 Tower Hill Road  
Wakefield, RI 02879

Re: CRMC Aquaculture Lease Application # 2024-07-016, Kyle Reichman, Dutch Harbor, Jamestown

Dear Mr. Goetsch:

Pursuant to Rhode Island General Law §20-10-5, the above-referenced aquaculture lease application was brought before the RI Marine Fisheries Council via the Council's Shellfish Advisory Panel (SAP) on November 13, 2024. At this meeting, the SAP found that the application does not conflict with competing uses engaged in the exploitation of marine fisheries in the area. In accordance with RIMFC policy, the recommendation of the SAP constitutes the recommendation of the Council.

Sincerely,

*Molly Moran-Ogren*

Molly Moran-Ogren, Chair

Cc: RIMFC Membership

