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Subject: CRMC Comment -- Cedar Island Oyster Co (Two Public Notice Items Attached)
Attachments: Public Notice CRMC Mod File 2021-02-025 Cedar Isl Oyster Co Narragansett.pdf; Public Notice CRMC Mod File 2004-05-024 Cedar Isl Oyster Co Narragansett.pdf

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Dear Coastal Resources Management Council,

After reviewing the provided plans and details of the two attached notices, I would like to enter the following comment into record:

- While supportive of the local Oyster industry and efforts to modernize it to stay competitive/environmentally friendly, I request this project be re-submitted with more clear maps and visuals to be properly considered.
 - The provided maps are small, not easy to follow regarding locations, and unclear on where exactly these are proposed.
- I request an accurate visual representation of what the result could look like based on similar usage elsewhere. The hand-drawn diagrams don't convey the project scale clearly.
 - It is unreasonable to use only a hand-drawn sketch to review the true scope of the proposal.
- This proposal is a significant visual change to the environment, as the scope of this project is thousands of surface-level baskets.
 - The sheer number of total floating objects would set an unwanted precedent for the natural setting of Point Judith Pond.
 - Both the scale of each line and the number of lines in total raise the likelihood of appearing as a larger item impeding the scenic nature of the area and making it optically more crowded.

Please add my comments to the file and keep us informed of any scheduled hearing dates. Please also let me know if this email is sufficient or if anything further is needed.

Thanks,

Kendal Cehanowicz