



Tisbury Shellfish Department

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January 2022:

General Housekeeping- monthly reports, patrolling, preparation for meetings, etc.

Highlights: interview for Natural Resources Assistant.

Got the new Shellfish truck from MHQ, traded in the old Chevy for the one and picked it up 1/10, got it inspected and is on the road.

Helped the harbor department with dinghies, hauling the patrol boat etc.

Reviewed the Tisbury Marine Terminal project and met with Packer and others involved in the project to ask questions about their design and potential mitigation. Getting ready for more meetings with Conservation Commission on this and other projects around the Lagoon.

Preparation of the Jan 29th blizzard by sending emails to current shellfish permit holders, regarding the temporary DMF closure of shellfishing areas, it was closed the weekend of January 29 and 30th opening Monday Jan. 31.

Meetings with MSOA regarding schooling for shellfish constable course, it's going to happen in March via zoom.

Moved the family shellfish buoys out of the way after ice and wind pushed them further down towards the Lagoon boat ramp, these will go back out later in the spring.

The maps on the website have been updated for Tashmoo and the Lagoon.

Meetings & presentations: Conservation Commission (1/4), LPA (1/10), Interview for NR assistant (1/11) MSOA (1/13 & 1/28) Select Board (1/19)

Tisbury Shellfish CY 2021	
As of January 31, 2022	In bushels
Bay Scallops	--
Quahogs	20
Soft Shell Clams	--

Permits Sold Month of January 2022	
Shellfish Permits (28)	\$2195
Gauges (1)	\$5

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