

PROJECT APPLICANT: Shellfish Production and Restoration Improvement
(Conscience Point Shellfish Hatchery, Inc., Southampton)

PROJECT TITLE: North Sea Harbor, Little Peconic Bay, Alewife Drain

PROJECT TYPE: Aquatic Habitat Restoration

SCALE: Neighborhood/Watershed

APPROACH: Restoration

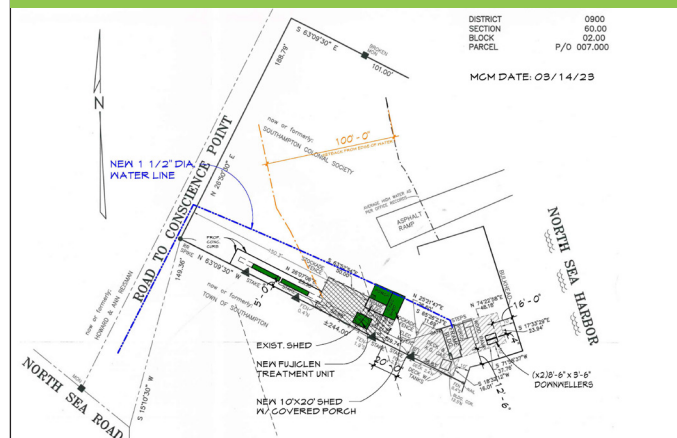
DESCRIPTION:

The Conscience Point Fish Hatchery is seeking funding to upgrade the existing facilities to better achieve their mission of growing shellfish to improve water quality and promoting aquaculture through education and experiential opportunities. The upgrades include the installation of a permanent water service connection to SCWA, the installation of an I/A OWTS as well as construction of an addition to an existing shed to include a bathroom, a walk-in cooler, an office, and space for the purchase of a freestanding commercial ice making machine. The year round water supply will allow them to expand their hatchery operations to full time and benefit two other commercial fish growers. The number of shellfish grown and distributed will be documented to provide an estimate of nitrogen reduction in the final project report. They believe that their efforts in total have helped remove between 400 and 500 kg of nitrogen from Southampton waters, primarily from North Sea Harbor. The expected benefit of shellfish restoration from this project will last beyond 5 years.

PROPOSED PROJECT



MAP OF PROJECT LOCATION



REQUESTED AMOUNT: \$ 151,665.00