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EMERGENCY DESIGNATION OF SHELLFISH LANDS IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK AS UNCERTIFIED FOR THE HARVEST OF SHELLFISH

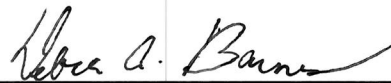
Pursuant to the provisions of Subdivisions 13-0307 (1) and (2) and Subdivision 13-0309 (1) of the Environmental Conservation Law and Section 42.17 and 47.4 of Title 6 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York, and due to the extremely heavy rainfall and extraordinary amounts of stormwater runoff and localized street flooding associated with the continuous rainfall event from January 9, 2024 through January 10, 2024 which may result in conditions causing shellfish to be hazardous for use as food, I, Debra A. Barnes, Chief, Bureau of Shellfisheries of the Department of Environmental Conservation, hereby designate the shellfish lands described below as **UNCERTIFIED effective immediately on January 10, 2024** and continuing until a determination is made that water quality in the affected areas meets the criteria for certified shellfish lands.

Accordingly, it is unlawful to harvest shellfish from the following areas:

- 1. Towns of Islip and Brookhaven (South Shore):** All that area of Great South Bay, Nicoll Bay, and their tributaries lying westerly and northerly of a line extending northerly from the northernmost point of land of Captree Island at the base of the northbound span of the Robert Moses Causeway to Dickerson Channel Buoy "6", then extending easterly from Dickerson Channel Buoy "6" to North Channel Buoy "4", then continuing easterly from North Channel Buoy "4" through North Channel Buoys "6" and "8" to East Channel Buoy "28", then continuing easterly from East Channel Buoy "28" through East Channel Buoys "32", "34", to East Channel Buoy "35", and continuing northerly from East Channel Buoy "35" to the southernmost point of land at Blue Point.
- 2. Town of Huntington:** All that area of Northport Bay, Lloyd Harbor, Centerport Harbor, Duck Island Harbor and Huntington Bay lying southerly of a line extending easterly from the southernmost point of East Beach (at the north side of the mouth of Lloyd Harbor) to the southernmost point of West Beach (the southern tip of Sand City beach).
- 3. Towns of Smithtown and Brookhaven (North Shore):** All that area of Stony Brook Harbor, Port Jefferson Harbor, and Mount Sinai Harbor, including their tributaries.
- 4. Town of Shelter Island:** All that area of West Neck Harbor, Coecles Harbor, Crab Creek, and all the creeks, coves, bays, and harbors lying between Wards Point and Majors Point.
- 5. Town of Southold:** All creeks, coves, bays, harbors, and tributaries of Great Peconic Bay, Little Peconic Bay, Southold Bay, and Pipes Cove. Cutchogue Harbor and its tributaries lying north of a line extending northeast from New Suffolk Point to the northernmost point of land at Horseshoe Cove Point. All that area of Hashamomuck Pond. Tributaries of Orient Harbor including Spring Pond, Dam Pond, and Oyster Ponds Creek.
- 6. Town of Southampton:** All that area of North Sea Harbor and Wooley Pond.

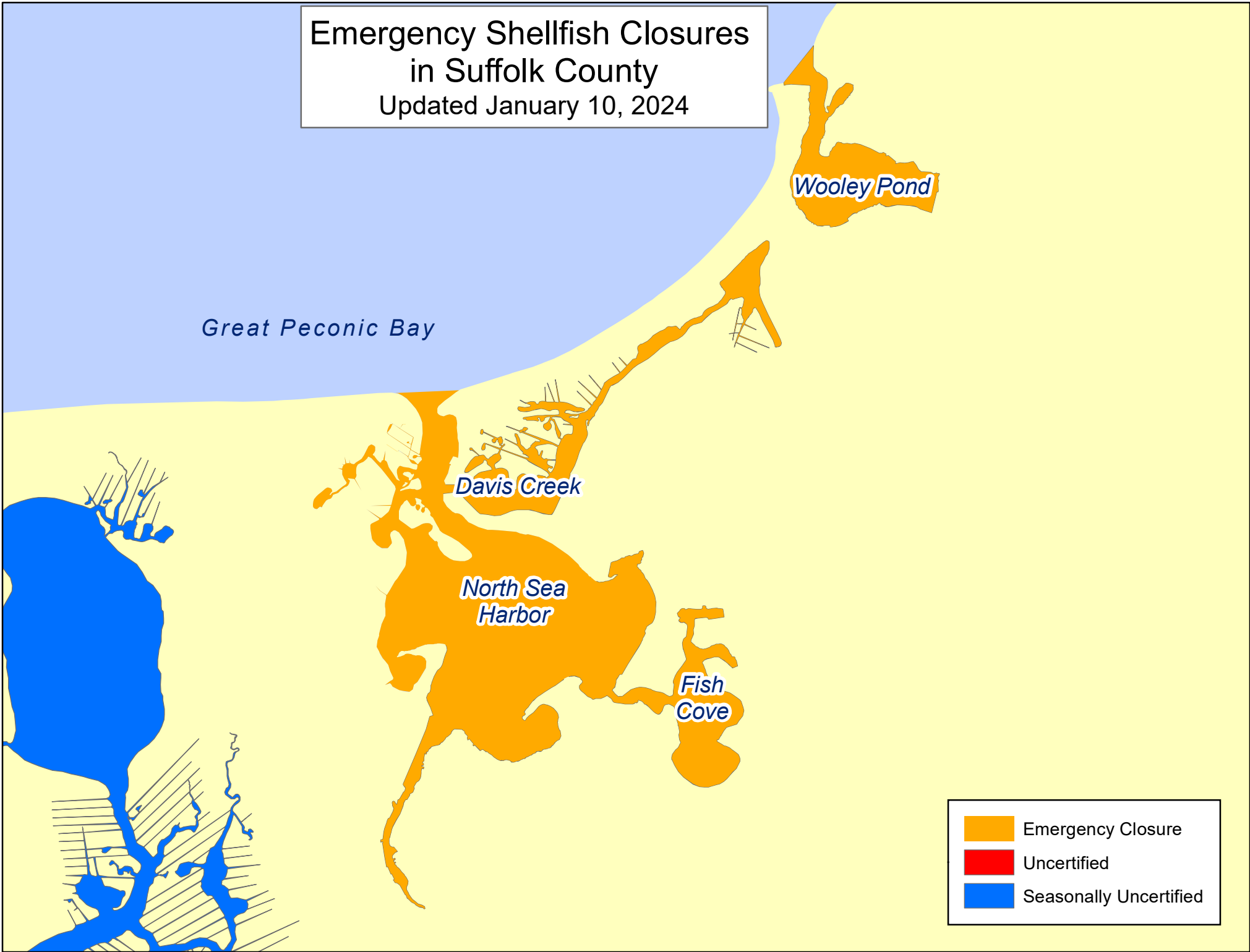
I hereby certify that this is the original thereof.

Dated: January 10, 2024 @1000 EST
Kings Park, New York



Debra A. Barnes, Chief
Bureau of Shellfisheries

**Emergency Shellfish Closures
in Suffolk County**
Updated January 10, 2024



Great Peconic Bay

Wooley Pond

Davis Creek

North Sea Harbor

Fish Cove

Emergency Closure
Uncertified
Seasonally Uncertified