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Re-Classification Line



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Molluscan Shellfish Program

Refrigerated Requirements for Shellstock Harvested for Raw Consumption

Basin Descriptions			
Barataria Basin - Mississippi River west to Bayou Lafourche			
Pontchartrain Basin - Mississippi state line to the Mississippi River			
Terebonne Basin - Bayou Lafourche to the Atchafalaya River			
Ermilion Basin - Growing waters south to the South West Pass and Marsh Island to defined federal waters and from Pt. Chevert to Freshwater Bayou Canal			
Max Hrs from Harvest	36 Hrs	8 Hrs	1 Hr
Basin 2	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Oct
	Dec	Nov	
Basin 3	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	Oct
	Dec	Nov	
Basin 4	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Oct
	Dec	Nov	
Basin 6	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Oct
	Dec	Nov	
Basin 12	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Oct
	Dec	Nov	

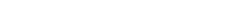


The diagram consists of two horizontal bars. The top bar is yellow and has the text "Area Lines" in black font. The bottom bar is red and has the text "Closure Area" in white font.

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2.5 0 2.5 5 7.5 Kilometers

1 0 1 2 3

 Miles

Scale 1:72,000

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**50 yard radius closure from point of waste
discharge exists for all man-made habitable structures.**

Background imagery provided by USGS EarthExplorer and processed by Quantitative Ecological Services, Inc.
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Not for navigational purposes

This map illustrates fishing restrictions along the coast, particularly around Lake Salvador and the ICWW (Intra-Coastal Waterway). Key features include:

- Lake Salvador**: A large body of water with a yellow boundary line.
- ICWW**: The Intra-Coastal Waterway, marked by a yellow line.
- Closed Areas**: Indicated by the word "CLOSED" in large black letters. One area is located near the ICWW, and another is further west.
- Prohibited Area**: Indicated by the word "Prohibited" in large black letters, located between the "CLOSED" areas.
- Open Area**: Indicated by the word "OPEN" in large black letters, located to the east of the prohibited area.
- Boundaries**: Yellow lines define various fishing zones, including "Lantite", "The Pen", "Bayou Bayou", "Bayou Righties", "Barataria Bay", and "Turtle Bay".
- Coordinates**: Specific coordinates are provided for points along the boundaries of the "Lantite" and "The Pen" areas.
- Lakes and Bays**: Other bodies of water labeled include Lake Boudreax, Little Lake, Brush Lake, Bayou St. Denis, and Bayou St. John.

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