

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

BARNSTABLE TOWN COUNCIL

ITEM NO: 2024-099
INTRO: 02/15/2024,
03/07/2024

SECTION 1

The schedule of fines in Article I, Section 5 of the General Ordinances are hereby amended by striking out the lines related to Herring Regulations, Shellfish Rules and Regulations and Dog Regulations and inserting in place thereof the following:

§1-5. Fines for the violation of Town Manager's regulations

Offense	Fine
Herring Regulations	
Taking herring or alewives on a closed day	\$100
Failure to remove fish caught	\$100
Obstructing passage of herring or alewives	\$100
Shellfishing Rules and Regulations	
Shellfishing without a valid permit	\$200
Taking of shellfish during a closed season	\$100
Taking of shellfish on a closed day	\$100
Removing shell from shellfish before coming ashore	\$75
Taking shellfish in excess of family weekly limit	\$100
Taking sea worms on a Saturday	\$15
Taking sea worms in excess of 100 per family per week	\$15
Selling shellfish, sea worms or eels with a family permit	\$75
Failure to visibly display permit while shellfishing	\$15
Transfer of family permit	\$75
Shellfishing under 12 years old without licensed adult	\$15
Shellfishing in closed area	\$100
Damaging public and/or private culturing gear in a closed area	\$100
Taking shellfish in excess of commercial daily limit	\$300
More than five commercial permits per boat	\$75
Commercial possession of more than 5% seed per batch of shellfish	\$300
Recreational possession of more than 5% seed per batch of shellfish	\$100
Taking scallops without a well-defined annual growth ring	\$75
Using other than tools permitted for shellfishing	\$75

Use of scallop dredge in excess of 32 inches width	\$75
Dredging scallops in air temperature below 28°F.	\$15
Diving for shellfish without displaying proper flag	\$75
Taking of shellfish from any shellfish grant	\$300
Shellfishing during nighttime hours as defined	\$300

Offense

Fine

Dog Regulations

Failure to license a dog	\$50.00
Failure to license a dog after 30 day notification	\$75.00
Restriction on number of dogs	\$25.00
Failure to obtain or keep Kennel license	\$100.00
Operating a Kennel on a revoked license	\$50.00
Dog at large (leash law violation)	
First offense	\$25.00
Second offense	\$50.00
Nuisances committed by dogs	\$20.00
Dogs on beaches and recreational areas	
First offense	\$25.00
Second offense	\$50.00
Dog Park violations	\$25.00
Dog Park parking violation	\$40.00
Barking dogs	
First offense	\$25.00
Second offense	\$50.00
Failure to vaccinate for rabies	\$50.00
Failure to vaccinate for rabies after 30 day notification	\$75.00
Failure to comply with quarantine	\$200.00
Failure to comply with Town Manager's order	\$200.00