

**APPENDIX A: MDEP VISUAL EVALUATION
FIELD SURVEY CHECKLIST**
(Natural Resources Protection Act, 38 M.R.S. §§ 480 A - Z)

Name of applicant: Nordic Aquafarms Phone: (860) 625-1908
 Application Type: Tier 3 Individual Permit
 Activity Type: (brief activity description) New land-based aquaculture facility
 Activity Location: Town: Belfast County: Waldo
 GIS Coordinates, if known: 44.3952727 -068.9888461
 Date of Survey: 10/05/2018 Observer: Mark G. Johnson Phone: 207.772.3846

**Distance Between the Proposed Visibility
Activity and Resource (in Miles)**

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| 1. Would the activity be visible from: | | | |
| A. A National Natural Landmark or other outstanding natural feature? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |
| B. A State or National Wildlife Refuge, Sanctuary, or Preserve or a State Game Refuge? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |
| C. A state or federal trail? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |
| D. A public site or structure listed on the National Register of Historic Places? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |
| E. A National or State Park? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |
| F. 1) A municipal park or public open space? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2) A publicly owned land visited, in part, for the use, observation, enjoyment and appreciation of natural or man-made visual qualities? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3) A public resource, such as the Atlantic Ocean, a great pond or a navigable river? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. What is the closest estimated distance to a similar activity? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |
| 3. What is the closest distance to a public facility intended for a similar use? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Is the visibility of the activity seasonal? (i.e., screened by summer foliage, but visible during other seasons) | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| 5. Are any of the resources checked in question 1 used by the public during the time of year during which the activity will be visible? | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |

A listing of National Natural Landmarks and other outstanding natural features in the State of Maine can be found at: www.nature.nps.gov/nnl/Registry/USA_map/states/Maine/maine.htm. In addition, unique natural areas are listed in the Maine Atlas and Gazetteer published by DeLorme.

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Most Maine State and National Wildlife Refuges, Sanctuaries, and Preserves and State Game Refuges are listed in the Maine Atlas and Gazetteer published by DeLorme.

Most State and federal trails are listed in the Maine Atlas and Gazetteer published by DeLorme. In addition, the Maine Department of Conservation maintains a list of state parks with trails that can be searched by county at: www.state.me.us/doc/parks/programs/db_search/index.html

Maine sites and structures listed on the National Register of Historic Places pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, can be searched by town at: www.cr.nps.gov/nr/research/nris.htm

In addition, State historic sites can be found at: www.state.me.us/doc/parks/programs/db_search/index.html A partial listing of historic sites in Maine can be found in the Maine Atlas and Gazetteer published by DeLorme.

A listing of Maine State Parks can be found at: www.state.me.us/doc/parks/programs/db_search/index.html or in the Maine Atlas and Gazetteer published by DeLorme. Acadia National Park on Mount Desert Island is Maine's only National Park.

For guidance on completing this field survey checklist, please contact Licensing staff in the Division of Land Resource Regulation at the following offices:

(Headquarters)
Central Maine Regional Office
17 State House Station
Ray Building, Hospital Street
Augusta, Maine 04333
(207) 287-7688 or
toll free at **1-800-452-1942**

Eastern Maine Regional Office
106 Hogan Road
Bangor, Maine 04401
(207) 941-4570 or
toll free at **1-888-769-1137**

Northern Maine Regional Office
1235 Central Drive
Presque Isle, Maine 04769
(207) 764-0477 or
toll free at **1-888-769-1053**

Southern Maine Regional Office
312 Canco Road
Portland, Maine 04103
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