

Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (LDWF) Fur and Refuge Division
STANDARD CONDITIONS FOR OYSTER LEASING AREAS

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The following standard conditions are for activities in oyster leasing areas.

1. Applicant shall not discharge any drilling and/or workover effluent except for flocculated filtered water.
2. Applicant shall not discharge any human waste which does not meet or exceed the requirements of the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals.
3. Applicant shall not discharge any produced waters.
4. Applicant is subject to all applicable state laws related to damages which are demonstrated to have been caused by this proposed action.
5. Applicant shall use any dredged material beneficially to create/restore emergent wetlands or place the material in open water in such a manner not to decrease the water depth greater than six inches.
6. Applicant will provide to LDWF a water bottom assessment (unless waived by LDWF) that meets LDWF protocol prior to commencement of the activity. Applicant may be required, at the request of LDWF, to modify the project if the proposed location unnecessarily impacts an oyster reef.