

STATE OF FLORIDA
FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Order No. EO 23-13

Modification of 2023 Bay Scallop Season for
Pasco County

The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission of the State of Florida, acting under the authority of Article IV, Section 9, of the Florida Constitution, and acting through its Executive Director under Paragraph 22 of the Delegations of Authority, hereby modifies the regulations governing the harvest of bay scallops within the Pasco Zone on a trial basis for the 2023 calendar year. Such actions are only authorized as follows:

1. The provisions of this order apply within the boundaries of the Pasco Zone, as defined in subsection 68B-18.002(4), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), for the management of bay scallops.
2. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Chapter 68B-18, F.A.C., the open season for the recreational harvest and possession of bay scallops in or on the described region during calendar year 2023 shall begin at 12:01 a.m. on July 1, 2023, and shall close at 11:59 p.m. on August 6, 2023.
3. All other rules of the Commission relating to bay scallops shall remain in effect.
4. This order shall expire at 11:59 p.m. on December 31, 2023.

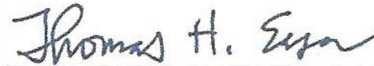
Specific Authority:

Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution

Law Implemented:

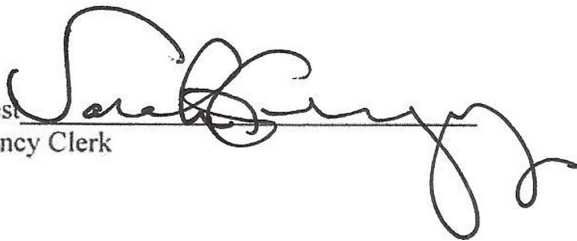
Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution, and subsection 120.81(5), Florida Statutes

Given under my hand and seal of the Florida
Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission
on this 5th day of April, 2023.



Dr. Thomas Eason
Acting Executive Director

Attest
Agency Clerk



_____/s/ Quilla Miralia

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency

