Select species to culture

Select potential site(s)

Site survey(s)

DNR site suitability appl.

ADF&G transport permit appl.

One-year site trials

Site trials positive?

NO

Reject site

YES

Problems with site?

NO

Aquatic farm app. opening

No COE permit required

Floating or submersed struct.?

Use of uplands required?

YES

State or federal lands?

NO

Determine needs

Include in aquatic farm appl.

Contact agency for application

Federal appl. Directly to agency

Agency review

Request for additional info.

ACMP determination

Agency permit decisions

Reapply at next opening?

NO

Applications approved?

YES

DNR Land Use Permit Issued

ADF&G Aquatic Farm Permit

Wild brood/seed stock?

Farm begins operations

DEC PSP surveys

DEC Growing Area Certification

Correct problems

NO

DEC approval?

YES

Federal appl. Directly to agency

Offer product for sale

DEC product test (PSP)

Aquatic farm sales

Submit to DNR (during 60-day appl. Period):
1. Aquatic farm application
2. Coastal project questionnaire
3. Federal applications (copies)
Submit Special Area Permit to ADF&G if needed.