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Holi Aioli Roasted Garlic Maine Lobster Roll

- I COOKED AND DICED LOBSTER
- 1/4 CUPROASTED GARLIC AIOLI
- 1/4 CUP CHOPPED CELERY
- 1/2 TSP FINELY GRATED LEMON ZEST
- 1/2 TBLSP FRESH LEMON JUICE

- I TBLSP SLICED CHIVES, PLUS MORE FOR SERVING KOSHER SALT, FRESHLY GROUND PEPPER
- 5 TBLSP UNSALTED BUTTER
- 4 NEW ENGLAND STYLE SPLIT TOP HOT DOG BUNS
- 2 GREEN LETTUCE LEAVES, HALVED LENGTHWISE
- 1. BRING A LARGE POT OF SALTED WATER TO A RAPID BOIL, BOIL LOBSTER UNTIL SHELLS ARE BRIGHT RED & TAILS ARE CURLED, 6—8 MINUTES. THEN SHOCK THE LOBSTERS IN AN ICE BATH.
- 2. MEANWHILE, MIX AIOLI, CELERY, LEMON ZEST, LEMON JUICE, & I TBSP. CHIVES IN A MEDIUM BOWL TO COMBINE: SEASON DRESSING WITH SALT AND PEPPER.
- 3. REMOVE LOBSTER MEAT FROM SHELLS AND CUT INTO LARGE PIECES: DISCARD SHELLS.
- 4. HEAT A DRY LARGE SKILLET OVER MEDIUM. BRUSH RESERVED BUTTER OVER OUTSIDES OF BUNS.

 TOAST, BUTTERED SIDE DOWN, UNTIL GOLDEN, ABOUT 3 MINUTES PER SIDE. LINE EACH BUN WITH A

 PIECE OF LETTUCE & SPOON IN DRESSED LOBSTER; TOP WITH MORE CHIVES.

