



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act to Strengthen Maine's Agriculture, Food System and Forest Products Infrastructure Investment

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "
Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$0	\$10,141,602	\$148,343	\$155,420
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$0	\$10,141,602	\$148,343	\$155,420
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$647	\$647	\$647

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes a one-time General Fund appropriation of \$10,000,000 to the Maine Agriculture, Food and Forest Products Investment Fund within the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry (DACF) in fiscal year 2024-25 to support public-private partnerships that facilitate strategic investments in the State's agricultural, food and forest products processing and manufacturing industries. The bill also includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$141,602 to DACF beginning in fiscal year 2024-25 for one Public Service Manager II position and associated costs. The bill also includes ongoing Other Special Revenue Funds allocations of \$647 to DACF starting in fiscal year 2024-25 for the technology management costs associated with the position.