

STATE OF MAINE

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S.P. 924 - L.D. 2173

**Resolve, to Rename the Interstate 295 Interchange in the Town of Freeport
the Matthew MacMillan Bridge**

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, Resolve 2023, chapter 1 named an overpass in the Town of Freeport for Matthew MacMillan; and

Whereas, the incorrect structure was named after Matthew MacMillan and this legislation corrects that erroneous designation; and

Whereas, it is imperative that this legislation take effect as soon as possible in order to timely expedite the renaming process; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Sec. 1. Resolve 2023, c. 1, §1. Resolved: That Resolve 2023, c. 1, §1 is amended to read:

Sec. 1. ~~Overpass~~ Interchange in Freeport renamed. Resolved: That the Department of Transportation shall designate Bridge ~~5741~~ 5720 on Desert Road in the Town of Freeport, which is currently known as the ~~Desert of Maine Overpass~~ Merrill Road Interchange, the Matthew MacMillan ~~Overpass~~ Bridge.

Sec. 2. Retroactivity. Resolved: That this resolve applies retroactively to June 29, 2023.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.