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Dear Legislators,

As an avid biker in Maine for the entirety of my 44 years in this beautiful state, I encourage you to approve this legislation. Adding a protected multi-use trail connecting Portland to Auburn through the towns in between will help all of the communities it touches to increase goodwill, tourism and interest in those communities. This trail will allow people to have access to these towns in a whole new way, why fight traffic when you can ride into Portland? It may help take some vehicles off the road during peak rush times and thereby decrease congestion and increase commuter happiness.

In conclusion voting yes to this bill will allow Maine to increase tourism and decrease traffic congestion along our busiest roads and highway.