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Good afternoon,

I am the owner/operator of The Recording Club LLC located at The Studio Portland on Casco Street in downtown Portland. We are a commercial recording studio that offers a full range of commercial studio services, along with professional development training in audio engineering and production. Post Production work for film and tv is a significant part of our work at the studio. If tax incentives bring the film industry here, however, it will offer unprecedented growth opportunity for our business and expanded vocational training and work opportunities for the students in our training program. We foresee the opportunity to hire upwards of 20-50 staff/contractors to work on various aspects of audio production for films made in Maine. Films Made in Maine. Now doesn't that sound good? It's good for our business and it's good for the broader economy. Because the film productions are "carry in, carry out" there is zero infrastructure investment required. We only stand to gain by putting Maine on the map as a viable location for movie production.