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Testimony of the Maine Municipal Association

In Support Of

LD 332, An Act to Amend the State's Election Laws

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Senator Hickman, Representative Supica and members of the Veterans and Legal Affairs Committee, my name is Rebecca Lambert, and I am providing testimony in support of LD 332 on behalf of the Maine Municipal Association's (MMA) elected 70-member Legislative Policy Committee, who establish the position on bills of municipal interest.

Any effort to fund elections at the state level is a welcome step for municipal officials. Administering elections takes a lot of time at both the state and local level and local leaders appreciate the proposal to provide stable and continued funding to support elections in Maine.

MMA participated in the working group to study schools as polling places, appreciate the continued seat, and are happy to serve as a member of that working group.

I appreciate your time and for considering the municipal perspective.



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