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LD 173

I am writing to ask you to vote against LD 173.

My family has had a camp on Flying Pond (Mt. Vernon/ Kennebec County) for 60 years, and we treasure the clean, fresh water of our lake. I am also on the Board of our local watershed association, and we are working as hard as we can to keep our freshwaters clean and healthy.

Boat registrations and their corresponding fees support efforts to protect our lakes. Please keep the existing registration standards in place.