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LD 111

To the Honorable Members of the Labor Committee, Maine State Legislature—
I, Jessica Zipper, of Portland, am writing in support of LD 111, an Act to Increase the States Share of Retired Teachers Health Insurance. I taught high school in SAD 51 for thirty years and am now retired living in Portland. Maine needs to do all it can to make being a teacher in Maine a good profession with retirement benefits that demonstrate care and respect for this profession. Maine needs ongoing incremental improvement of teacher retirement and salary benefits. Health care is foundational to a good quality retirement. As you know the cost of just about everything is going up and it makes retirement benefits essential. Please vote in favor of LD 111. Thank you for your service to our beloved State of Maine.