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LD 407

I am a resident of Brunswick, and I am writing to ask you to support LD 407, an act to prohibit the use of aqueous film-forming foam at the former Brunswick Naval Air Station. I feel that it is critical to take this step to protect drinking water, the health of our waterfront, and human health. There are safer alternatives, and we should be using them. The authority overseeing the base, MRRA, has not been responsive to local level demands, and this law is needed to move them to take this responsible action.

I also support two additional bills would also offer important changes at the state-level to address the broader PFAS risks from AFFF in the state: LD 400 (to create an AFFF inventory) and LD 222 (to create an AFFF take-back program).

Thank you.