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LD 646

I am a member of Friends of Casco Bay. I joined two years ago and have learned so much about multiple factors that affect the health of Casco Bay. These include: sea level rise, elevated water temperatures, spreading algae blooms, invasives like green crabs, and the effect of disappearing eelgrass beds.

The topic of the day is Storm Water Pollution. Who knew that stormwater runoff is a major pollutant? Passage of LD 646 will lead to a thoughtful analysis of the status of Storm Water Pollution in Maine. Then, using this research, address ways this pollution, can be dramatically reduced.

I believe LD 646 is a necessary and hopeful step to do the job well. And protect Maine waters, habit, wildlife and humans.

Thank you, Catherine