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Ought not to pass

I do not support the amendment of the plastic bag restriction and placing an additional undue burden on primarily our most vulnerable population during this time of ever increasing costs to Maine families with the requirement to purchase reusable bags or be charged for store provided paper and plastic bags. In addition, reusable bags pose a health risk as we are reliant on the user to maintain the bags in a sanitary condition. The restrictions of plastic bags also seems hypocritical while stores still are packaging items in single use plastics and the use of other plastics throughout society.