Julie Beckford Liberty LD 1177

Dear members of the Energy and Natural Resources Committee,

Please vote "Ought to Pass" on LD 1177. Artificial turf is just an unnecessary source of pollution and source of injury to athletes. I played field hockey all through high school and college. Grass was good then, and it's good now. Switching out grass for the uncontrollable plastic pollution of artificial turf is counter to the main point of athletics - to promote health! I urge you to support the moratorium.

Sincerely, Julie Beckford Rebel Hill Farm Liberty, Maine