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LD 1743

Honorable members of the Committee,

I am submitting testimony in favor of LD 1743 based on the following:

1. It is an option for each municipality and within that option are further opportunities for the residents to set the guidelines; the basis of home rule.
2. The lack of mental health care across the country is appalling, which in my opinion has caused the increase in violence based acts. In general, I'm not concerned with the individual that is carrying a firearm, it's the individual that sees that firearm as an opportunity or a means to an end.
3. The right to vote is the critical basis for our form of government and should not be infringed upon by any form of intimidation, real or perceived.

Thank you for your service to the People of Maine