

Janis Hogan
Belfast
LD 1578

I am in support of LD 1578. Last summer, Maine Health informed the citizens of Waldo County citizens that the labor and delivery services at Waldo County Hospital were being considered for closure and moved to Pen Bay. Public outcry forced a public forum at which over 300 people attended and EVERYONE was in opposition. There was no response except “thank you for your input.” It was clear the decision had already been made. Shortly afterwards, the community was notified of the closure of labor and delivery services on April 1st of this year. This is a genuine loss to our hospital services and our community. Why was our hospital’s service closed and not Pen Bay’s? What else will be closed in the future? We need answers! Please vote in support of LD1578.