

To: “Senator Rotundo, Representative Gattine, Senator Grohoski, Representative Sayre, and honorable members of the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation:

my name is Emily Ecker and I live in Woodstock. I am here today to support LD 2212, LD 1089, LD 1879, and LD 229.

These bills would make our tax system fairer and would raise revenue that we need to off set Trump’s cuts. It would also help pay for the essential programs like our healthcare and childcare.

Presently, People earning \$1 Million/year currently **pay less** in taxes than people earning \$70k/year. That’s not right! Please put these policies in the budget or improve on them even more.

Sincerely,

Emily Ecker. Woodstock, Maine