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Testimony of Rep. Colleen Madigan introducing

LD 472, An Act to Support Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic Projects

Before the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

Good afternoon Senator Baldacci, Representative Meyer and colleagues on the Health and Human Services Committee. My name is Colleen Madigan and I live in Waterville and represent House District 64. I am here today to present LD 472, An Act to Support Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic Projects.

This is a really simple bill. It doesn't ask for any new funding. It just asks that the amount of time under which grants for these Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic Projects have already been granted, be extended. This will allow those agencies who have already been awarded grants for this purpose to continue working on these projects until the next grant period begins. We have an amendment coming forward which spells this out.