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TESTIMONY BEFORE THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY

IN SUPPORT OF LD 2038

An Act to Make Changes to the Land for Maine's Future (LMF) Board Composition to Allow for Proxy Designees

January 3, 2024

Representative Pluecker and colleagues of the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, My name is Henry Ingwersen and I represent the good people of Senate District 32, the towns of Arundel, Biddeford, Dayton, Hollis and Lyman.

I am here today in support of LD 2038, "An Act to Make Changes to the Land for Maine's Future (LMF) Board Composition to Allow for Proxy Designees." I will leave the details of the bill for Deputy Commissioner McBrady of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation, and Forestry to explain. The Deputy Commissioner will be available to answer any questions you have. Thank you for your consideration.

Director Judy East of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation, and Forestry will be able to answer any questions you have. Thank you for your consideration.

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