

State of ME Payments to Freedman & Koski

Payment Amount	Year
\$1,567.72	2018 (paid to just Andrew Freedman)
\$122,702.38	2019
\$119,223.66	2020
\$204,398.86	2021
\$181,178.52	2022
\$629,071.14	

Source: [https://
opencheckbook.maine.gov/
transparency/index.html](https://opencheckbook.maine.gov/transparency/index.html)

While I do support LD 40, we have to remember how we got into this mess. By passing LD40 you are effectively saying hiring Freedman and Koski was a \$600,000 plus mistake which means our current director is a \$134,000 yearly mistake.

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