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I'm a 5th generation lobster fishermen and I have 3 kids that are 6th generation. I have been lucky to grow up in a small fishing community on the coast of Maine it's a great place to raise kids I am 100 % for LD 101 and 100 % against wind Mills in the Gulf of Maine .I believe that our spike in landings that took place in the 2000s is mainly do to the fishermen getting better equipment and working Federal waters harder .I believe these wind farms are a danger to the environment. Birds ,whales ,fish and fishermen. I dont believe they will benefit Maine in any way . And there experimental which to me mean if there allowed there will be more .They dont work and dont last there not the answer for Maine .Please protect the Maine way of life on the coast thanks .NOT WORTH THE RISK .