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RE: Testimony IN SUPPORT of LD 1940, An Act to Revise the Growth Management Law

Senator Curry, Representative Gere, and Members of the Committee on Housing and Economic Development;

I am Dana Staples, a citizen of Auburn, Maine. I currently serve on Auburn's Comprehensive Plan Committee, and I previously served as a member of Auburn's 2021 Comprehensive Plan Committee, Auburn's City Council, and Auburn's Planning Board. Please accept this testimony **IN SUPPORT of LD 1940**, An Act to Revise the Growth Management Law.

I support LD 1940 because I especially like the section on the growth management program. I think this section gives a pragmatic approach to outlining how a city would like to grow and build for the future.

Thank you for your consideration. Dana Staples