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LD 1012
SPONSOR AMENDMENT
Rep. Fay

Amend the title to read: **An Act to Provide Funding for the Maine Outdoor Heritage Fund Program**

Amend the bill by striking everything after the enacting clause and before the emergency clause and replacing with the following:

Sec. 1. Transfer. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the State Controller shall transfer \$75,000 during fiscal year 2021-22 and \$75,000 during fiscal year 2022-23 from the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund to the Maine Outdoor Heritage Fund established in Title 12, section 10302.

Sec. 2 Appropriations and allocations (see attached)

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill. It provides \$75,000 from the General Fund in each year of the biennium to support the Outdoor Heritage Fund program. Under the program grants are made to various project categories, including for endangered and threatened species conservation. Wildlife rehabilitators may receive grants under this category.

Sec. Appropriations and allocations.

The following appropriations and allocations are made.

INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE, DEPARTMENT OF

Maine Outdoor Heritage Fund 0829

Initiative: Provides an allocation for maintaining, improving and expanding state and local natural resource conservation programs and associated compatible public uses.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$75,000	\$75,000
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	<u>\$75,000</u>	<u>\$75,000</u>

**INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE, DEPARTMENT OF
DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

	2021-22	2022-23
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$75,000	\$75,000
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$75,000</u>	<u>\$75,000</u>