Richard Smith Beals LD 1109

Judiciary Committee members,

LD 1109 will do nothing to reduce gun violence in the state of Maine, and is simply another anti-gun dream bill looking to put unreasonable restrictions on law-abiding citizens.

Large-capacity is a fine term for capturing the attention of the hand-wringing, pearl-clutching busybodies that the anti-gun crowd target, implying increased danger due to increased size.

In truth, a 30 round feeding device is no more dangerous than a 5 or 10 round feeding device, and no less dangerous than a 100-round feeding device. Firearms cartridges, and the devices that hold them, pose no danger without the interference of a human.

No gun laws can make the world a safer place, no limits on ammunition capacity, can eliminate danger. The only thing LD 1109 can do is infringe on the rights of Mainers, which is all it is really intended to do in the first place.

LD 1109 ought not pass!