

January 29th, 2026

Dear Chair Carney, Chair Kuhn and honorable members of the Joint Committee on Judiciary.

My name is Isabel and I live in Portland.

I am writing today to urge you to vote ought to pass on LD 2106,

An Act to Prohibit the Disclosure of Nonpublic Records Without Proper Judicial Review.

This act protects the rights of Maine residents as they go about their daily life in public school, a college or university, a health care facility, a child care facility, a family child care provider or public library even if a single person in the location provides voluntary consent permitting a law enforcement officer engaged in immigration enforcement or supporting immigration enforcement to enter that nonpublic area.

This would protect Maine's public schools, hospitals, daycares, and libraries from ICE, as they continue to terrorize our neighbors and community.

If you do not take action now, you are choosing to endorse the continued violence, executive overreach and unchecked impunity and abuse that is being carried out by federal immigration enforcement agencies in Maine and across the country. When our friends, coworkers and neighbors no longer feel unsafe to venture outside for fear of being abducted, everyone feels the impact of that fear. The violence and authoritarian tendencies ICE is spreading needs to be stopped and as your constituent, I implore you to use your position and your vote to protect our community members.

Thank you for your time, and I hope to see you standing up for the safety, dignity, and rights of all people in our communities. Thank you for voting ought to pass on LD 2106,

Sincerely,

Isabel Vivanco