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Yes, these rail trails are fantastic. Maine has really fallen behind on this kind of infrastructure, even though so many of our rail corridors are not in use AND the chance of us being able to resurrect passenger train is VERY tiny--we don't have even close to the population density required to support it, therefore federal funding will be almost impossible to get.

I fully support the rail to trail. I use the existing one from Scarborough south regularly. I live in Portland and would love to have one going North. The cars do not like bicycle on the road even though we have every right to be there. If there is a trail option, that would provide a safe option for people who do not feel comfortable on the road, and provide options for all riders, young and old. What an amazing amenity this would be for the region, adding a fabulous quality of life to riding safely. Being outside and enjoying our great state of Maine.