Pamela Fischer New Gloucester LD 511

I am a resident of N ew Gloucester and I urge the Transportation Committee to vote in support of LD 511. An interim trail from Portland to Auburn would improve public health, protect the environment, connect to public transit, and provide options for people who don't drive, or simply want to drive less. Our community needs a safe place for people to walk and ride their bikes and would greatly benefit from the economic boost a long distance trail would bring to our small, local businesses. Please vote "ought to pass."