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Dear committee members,

While my immediate family resides in Oakland, the Roys have deep roots in southern Québec. Connecting Boston—where I currently attend school—with Montréal through Maine and Sherbrooke would provide a much-needed link for when I need to visit my Québécois family. Also, this would help alleviate traffic in Southern Maine, as it would allow visitors from Québec to take the train to the beach instead of driving. Boston and Montréal are also two massive population centers, and connecting them by a train passing through Maine would bring more economic opportunities to Mainers and breathe new life into our western towns. Please consider that this bill Ought to Pass. Thank you.