Lisa Savage Solon LD 1666

I am a constituent from Solon who is writing to urge that you vote "ought to pass" on LD1666 n Act to Include in the Ranked-choice Election Method for General and Special Elections the Offices of Governor, State Senator and State Representative and to Make Other Related Changes.

Most Maine voters support Ranked Choice Voting (RCV) as they have shown at the polls in 2016 and 2018. The City of Portland has used RCV for years. The most confusing thing about RCV in Maine is that it does not apply to state level offices.

RCV eliminates the spoiler effect. For this reason alone it should be widely implemented so that voters can express their real preferences.