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Dear Friends & Neighbors;

It continues to be my honor to represent you, the citizens of Lamoine in Augusta. These next two years of the 123rd Legislative Session are off to a fast start with much on our agenda. The 123rd will undoubtedly be a critical one for the future of Maine – one filled with many challenges. Each challenge before us is an opportunity to do something vital for the citizens of this state. I am confident that we can tackle these issues and emerge from the session with meaningful results, setting a firm and prosperous course for Maine's future.

Tax reform continues to be an ongoing issue. Additionally, it is my particular interest to advance discussions regarding Maine's present economy and economic future. I do not sense that we have neither asked nor answered the question, "what do we want Maine to look like in the future?". I firmly believe that if we do not find an answer to that question we will not be able to move Maine towards that solution.

I think you realize, as I do, that Maine does not have unlimited finances and therefore we must invest wisely in our future. However we answer the question of our economic future, I firmly believe that our economy must be built on a strong foundation that includes education, transportation, sound energy policies, and advancements in information technologies. Therefore, my legislative agenda will focus on supporting investments in those areas – securing our foundation for future economic prosperity.

I have spent my entire life in Hancock County and I know full-well our problems, our needs, and our rich history. This knowledge continues to guide me in the decisions I make, whether they have a local impact or affects the state as a whole. If I can ever be of any assistance to you or your family, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you for the faith you have shown me and for giving me the opportunity to represent you in the Maine Senate.

Sincerely,



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