

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

1 (Emergency)
2 (After Deadline)
3 SECOND REGULAR SESSION
4

5 ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE
6

7 **Legislative Document**

No. 2009

9 H. P. 2068 House of Representatives, February 19, 1982
Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council
pursuant to Joint Rule 27.

10 Referred to the Committee on Local and County Government. Sent
up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Moholland of Princeton.

Cosponsor: Senator Brown of Washington.

12 STATE OF MAINE
13

14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO
16

17 **AN ACT Converting Grand Lake Stream**
18 **Plantation into the Town of Grand Lake**
19 **Stream.**
20

21 **Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts of the Legislature
22 do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment
23 unless enacted as emergencies; and

24 Whereas, the voters of Grand Lake Stream Plantation
25 are desirous of holding a referendum to determine whether
26 Grand Lake Stream Plantation should be converted into the
27 Town of Grand Lake Stream; and

28 Whereas, if the voters approve the referendum, it is
29 desirable to organize the new town government as soon as
30 possible so that the new Town of Grand Lake Stream may begin
31 to govern itself in a manner that a majority of the voters
32 have chosen; and

1 Whereas, the actual incorporation cannot be accom-
2 plished until the provision of this Act takes effect; and

3 Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these
4 facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Consti-
5 tution of Maine and require the following legislation as
6 immediately necessary for the preservation of the public
7 peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

8 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as fol-
9 lows:

10 **Sec. 1. Town of Grand Lake Stream, incorpo-**
11 **rated.** Grand Lake Stream Plantation, with its inhabitants,
12 is incorporated into a town by the name of Grand Lake
13 Stream. The inhabitants of this town are vested with the
14 powers, privileges and immunities which the inhabitants of
15 towns within the State do or may enjoy. The town created
16 shall take the effects belonging to Grand Lake Stream
17 Plantation and shall also assume all of its obligations.

18 **Sec. 2. Legislative district.** Until the next legis-
19 lative apportionment of Representatives, the Town of Grand
20 Lake Stream shall remain in the same legislative district in
21 which Grand Lake Stream Plantation is now classed.

22 **Sec. 3. First meeting; how called.** Upon acceptance of
23 this Act by referendum as provided in section 4, the board
24 of assessors of the plantation shall issue a warrant, in ac-
25 cordance with the general laws, for the first town meeting,
26 to be held within one year after passage of this Act. Noti-
27 fication of the town meeting shall be filed by the
28 plantation clerk with the Secretary of State for determining
29 the effective date of sections 1 and 2.

30 **Sec. 4. Referendum; certificate to Secretary of**
31 **State.** The board of assessors of the plantation shall
32 submit this Act to the legal voters within the territory
33 embraced within the limits of the proposed Town of Grand
34 Lake Stream, by ballot at a regular or special election to
35 be held within one year after passage of this Act. This
36 election shall be called, advertised and conducted according
37 to Title 30, sections 2061 and 2065. The plantation clerk
38 shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce
39 the subject matter of sections 1 and 2 of this Act to the
40 following question.

41 "Shall Grand Lake Stream Plantation be incorporated
42 into the Town of Grand Lake Stream?"

