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6	AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY	
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12	STATE OF MAI	NE
14	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 121ST LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION	
16	FIRST REGULAR SESSION	
18	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " \mathcal{A} " to H.P.	
20	Directing the Department of Conservat: River Historic Waterway"	ion To Create the Kennebec
22	Amend the resolve by striking out	everything after the title
24	and before the summary and inserting in	
26	'Sec. 1. Kennebec River Historic Wa	
28	Kennebec River Historic Waterway, refe "the waterway," from Popham Beach in	rred to in this resolve as Phippsburg to Fort Halifax
30	in Winslow with the intent of eventua upriver to the headwaters of the Kenn	ebec River. No later than
32	January 31, 2004, the department sl Standing Committee on Agriculture, Com	
34	progress made to:	
36		lands and easements with
38	<pre>municipal and private recreational, along the Kennebec River;</pre>	scenic and historic lands
40	Integrate launching and landi	ing sites existing trails.
42	historic and educational sites, scenic other sites of interest in a unif	viewing opportunities and
44	interpret, promote and develop the rieducational, scientific and historic re	ver's outstanding natural,
46	3. Offer primitive camping at in	
48	to encourage canoeing, kayaking and of and be it further	
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Sec. 2. Funding; assistance. Resolved: That the Department of Conservation shall seek to identify funding sources and technical assistance that could help implement joint projects and strategies in connection with creating the waterway; and be it further

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Sec. 3. Local involvement. Resolved: That the Department of Conservation, in coordination with the Executive Department, State Planning Office; the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife; the Department of Transportation; the Department of Marine Resources; the Department of Economic and Community Development, Office of Tourism; the Maine Historic Preservation Commission; and the Kennebec-Chaudiere Heritage Corridor Corporation, shall seek the input and cooperation representatives of municipalities, land trusts, community groups, conservation organizations and businesses that benefit from a clean and healthy Kennebec River.'

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SUMMARY

This amendment directs the Department of Conservation to design and establish the Kennebec River Historic Waterway from Popham Beach in Phippsburg to Fort Halifax in Winslow and to report to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry by January 31, 2004 on progress made in various elements of the plan. It expands the number of agencies that the department is directed to work with in coordinating and seeking local involvement in the establishment of recreational opportunities along the waterway.

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)

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Resolve, Directing the Department of Conservation To Create the Kennebec River Historic Waterway

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Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "
Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund