

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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No. 871

S.P. 316

In Senate, March 12, 2015

**An Act To Provide for Cooperation between Municipalities with  
Tax Increment Financing Districts**

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Reference to the Committee on Taxation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Heather J.R. Priest".

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin.

1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

2 **Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §5225, sub-§4** is enacted to read:

3 **4. Sharing authorized project costs.** Contiguous municipalities with separate  
4 development districts may share the project costs authorized under subsection 1 for the  
5 same project if:

6 A. The same project costs related to that specific project are included in each  
7 municipality's development program; and

8 B. Each municipality indicates that the project costs specified in paragraph A are  
9 potentially shared project costs with the contiguous municipality.

10 **SUMMARY**

11 This bill allows contiguous municipalities with separate development districts to  
12 share the costs for a project that is authorized for inclusion in a development program.