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### ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 448

H. P. 321 House of Representatives, January 22, 1963 Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Davis of Calais.

#### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE

RESOLVE, Appropriating Funds for Survey of Economic Resources of Washington County.

Survey of economic resources; appropriation for. Resolved: That there is appropriated to the Department of Economic Development, Account No. 7715, from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$15,000 for the purpose of conducting a survey and preparing a report on the economic resources and potential of Washington County for the purpose of aiding that region's economy. Any unexpended balances shall not lapse until June 30, 1965.

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS

This appropriation would be supplemented by \$30,000 federal matching funds available to ARA areas to make a total of \$45,000 for the project. The scope of the survey would be comprehensive of the entire industrial, recreational and social complex of the county, for a long time the state's prime depressed area. It would be similar to the studies made or being made of the Penobscot Bay Region, York County, Knox County and parts of Androscoggin County.