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Resolve, Directing the Office of the State Auditor to Report on Taxpayer Money Funding Maine Nonprofits

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative ANDREWS of Paris. Cosponsored by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin and Representatives: BOYER of Poland, BRADSTREET of Vassalboro, FAULKINGHAM of Winter Harbor, GREENWOOD of Wales, HAGGAN of Hampden, HYMES of Waldo. 1 Sec. 1. State Auditor to compile a report that ranks all nonprofit 2 corporations in the State that have received state funds. Resolved: That the State 3 Auditor shall compile a report that ranks all nonprofit corporations in the State that have 4 received state funds. The report must be completed using existing resources of the Office 5 of the State Auditor. In compiling the report, the State Auditor shall:

A. Analyze the past 20 years of state funding to nonprofit corporations in the State;

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- B. Rank per 5-year period the nonprofit corporations in the State from the nonprofit
 corporation receiving the most state funds to the nonprofit corporation receiving the
 least state funds; and
- C. State the percentage per state budget that was disbursed to nonprofit corporations in
 the State over the past 20 years.

Sec. 2. Report. Resolved: That, no later than December 6, 2023, the State Auditor
 shall submit the report under section 1 to the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations
 and Financial Affairs.

SUMMARY
 This resolve directs the State Auditor to compile a report by December 6, 2023 of state
 funds received by nonprofit corporations in the State for the past 20 years, break down the
 report into 5-year increments, rank the nonprofits from the most state funds received to the
 least state funds received and state the percentage of the state budget that was disbursed to
 nonprofit corporations in the State.