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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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## Chapter 97

### RESOLVE, Opening Swan Lake, Waldo County, to Ice Fishing.

Swan lake; open to ice fishing. Resolved: That the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to issue a rule and regulation opening Swan lake, Waldo county, to ice fishing.

Effective August 28, 1957

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## Chapter 98

### RESOLVE, Authorizing the State Highway Commission to Make a Study of the Public Ways of the State.

Highway Commission; authorized to study. Resolved: That since Section 210 of the Federal Highway Act of 1956 requires the State Highway Commission to make certain surveys and studies related to Maine's highway system, the State Highway Commission is authorized and directed to so conduct that survey and study as to present via a report to the 99th Legislature essential data as may permit reasonably accurate legislative conclusions on the following questions:

1. Do current tax statutes reflect reasonable fairness in accomplishing an equitable distribution of costs among highway users or those otherwise deriving benefits from Maine's highways?
2. If the answer is in the negative, what changes should be made in the tax structure?

and be it further

Resolved: That the Legislative Research Committee be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to receive from the Highway Commission such data as from time to time may be available to the end that the Research Committee may make recommendations to the 99th Legislature as the Committee may wish to conclude from its study and consideration of the data developed in the Highway Commission survey.

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## Chapter 99

### RESOLVE, Amending the Resolve in Favor of George E. Bagnall of Houlton.

Resolves, 1957, c. 82, amended. Resolved: That chapter 82 of the Resolves of 1957 be, and hereby is, amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph, as follows:

'The Maine State Retirement System is hereby authorized and directed to pay such retirement allowance to the widow of Isaac Bagnall, in accordance with the express request of the named beneficiary, George E. Bagnall, such payments to

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be made under the law in all respects as if said widow had been the beneficiary originally named.'

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## Chapter 100

### RESOLVE, Establishing a Theodore Roosevelt Centennial Commission of Maine.

Whereas, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States from 1901 until 1909, is one of the great figures in American history who served his country with honor and distinction, provided inspiring leadership for the United States, and, by word and action advanced the principles of free government and responsible citizenship; and

Whereas, it is fitting and appropriate that Maine commemorate this centennial; now, therefore, be it

**Theodore Roosevelt Centennial Commission, established. Resolved:** That there be, and hereby is, created a Commission to consist of 5 members, to be appointed by the Governor, who shall serve without compensation and who shall constitute a Theodore Roosevelt Centennial Commission of the State of Maine for the purpose of formulating and executing plans to observe appropriately the centennial anniversary of the birth of Theodore Roosevelt; and be it further

**Resolved:** That the Commission shall have authority to accept and disburse funds from private sources.

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## Chapter 101

### RESOLVE, to Repeal Certain Special Resolve Pensions.

**Certain special resolve pensions; repealed. Resolved:** That the following special resolve pensions, which were suspended by the Department of Health and Welfare, be and hereby are repealed:

Name	Town	Date Suspended
Bacon, Jessie	Unity	Oct. 1, 1941
Bailey, Ada	Belfast	July 1, 1954
Bailey, Wilson	Bradford	Feb. 1, 1949
Baker, Lewis	Houlton	Sept. 1, 1955
Bard, Thomas	Fort Kent	Dec. 1, 1955
Bartlett, Emery	Mexico	May 1, 1955
Batchelder, Charles	Garland	June 1, 1954
Bean, Harry	Freeport	Sept. 1, 1954
Beaulieu, Henry	Grand Isle	Jan. 1, 1956
Beckwith, Russell	Belfast	Nov. 1, 1955
Bickford, James	Brooks	Jan. 1, 1950
Bouchard, Nelson	St. Agatha	July 1, 1955