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Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government by January 31, 2000. The report must contain a district master plan and details of the district's public hearing process in developing the district master plan. The governing board shall report annually on the district's activities to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over state and local government matters beginning on January 15, 2001. The report must include information on the district's projects, financial condition, efforts to inform and to include the public in district projects and the status of projects with respect to the district master plan.

Sec. 10. Contingent effective date; adoption by Augusta City Council. This Act takes effect only upon its formal adoption by a majority of the Augusta City Council. The Act must be presented to the Augusta City Council for adoption no sooner than 90 days after the adjournment of the First Regular Session of the 119th Legislature.

See title page for effective date, unless otherwise indicated.

CHAPTER 59

S.P. 518 - L.D. 1552

An Act to Ensure Adequate Nutrition Services for Maine's Elderly

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

Sec. 1. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	1999-00	2000-01
HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF		
Bureau of Elder and Adult Services		
All Other	\$100,000	\$100,000
Provides additional funding for Meals on Wheels.		

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 60

S.P. 748 - L.D. 2107

An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the Amount of \$12,500,000 to Construct Water Pollution Control Facilities and Make Other Environmental Improvements

Preamble. Two thirds of both Houses of the Legislature deeming it necessary in accordance with the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 14, to authorize the issuance of bonds on behalf of the State of Maine to provide funds to construct water pollution control facilities and make other environmental improvements.

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

Sec. 1. Authorization of bonds to provide funds to construct water pollution control facilities and make other environmental improvements. The Treasurer of State is authorized, under the direction of the Governor, to issue bonds in the name and on behalf of the State in an amount not exceeding \$12,500,000 to raise funds to construct water pollution control facilities; to close and clean up municipal solid waste landfills; to clean up tire stockpiles; to abate, clean up and mitigate threats to the public health and environment from uncontrolled hazardous substance sites or other hazardous waste discharges; and to make drinking water system improvements as authorized by section 6. The bonds are a pledge of the full faith and credit of the State. The bonds may not run for a period longer than 10 years from the date of the original issue of the bonds. At the discretion of the Treasurer of State, with the approval of the Governor, any issuance of bonds may contain a call feature.

Sec. 2. Records of bonds issued to be kept by the Treasurer of State. The Treasurer of State shall keep an account of each bond showing the number of the bond, the name of the successful bidder to whom sold, the amount received for the bond, the date of sale and the date when payable.

Sec. 3. Sale; how negotiated; proceeds appropriated. The Treasurer of State may negotiate the sale of the bonds by direction of the Governor, but no bond may be loaned, pledged or hypothecated on behalf of the State. The proceeds of the sale of the bonds, which must be held by the Treasurer of State and paid by the Treasurer of State upon warrants drawn by the State Controller, are appropriated solely for the purposes set forth in this Act. Any unencumbered balances remaining at the completion of the