

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

**ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
**December 2, 2020 to March 30, 2021**

**FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**  
**April 28, 2021 to July 19, 2021**

**THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR**  
**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
**NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS**  
**JUNE 29, 2021**

**THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR**  
**FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**  
**NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS**  
**OCTOBER 18, 2021**

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**IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,**  
**TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.**

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**Augusta, Maine**  
**2021**

emergency medical or police services are determined not to be required.

**Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved:** That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**Emergency Services Communication Bureau 0994**

Initiative: Provides a one-time allocation for consulting services.

<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
All Other	\$100,000	\$0
<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL</b>	<u>\$100,000</u>	<u>\$0</u>

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 30**

**H.P. 1041 - L.D. 1425**

**Resolve, To Dedicate a Portion of Route 6 from Lee to Springfield in Honor of Sgt. Blair Emery**

**Sec. 1. Designate a portion of Route 6 the Sgt. Blair Emery Road. Resolved:** That the Department of Transportation shall designate Route 6 in the Town of Lee and the Town of Springfield the Sgt. Blair Emery Road.

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 31**

**S.P. 502 - L.D. 1560**

**Resolve, Authorizing the State To Convey to the Passamaquoddy Tribe the State's Interest in a Certain Parcel of Land in the Town of Meddybemps**

**Sec. 1. Authority to convey state land. Resolved:** That, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the State may transfer a certain parcel of land described in section 2 to the Passamaquoddy Tribe, subject to such terms and conditions described in sections 3 to 6.

**Sec. 2. Description of land transferred. Resolved:** That the land authorized to be conveyed pursuant to this resolve is a parcel of land of approximately 3.2 acres located on the northern side of State Route 191 in Meddybemps, Washington County, described in a

deed recorded in the Washington County Registry of Deeds, Book 2462, Page 212.

**Sec. 3. Land subject to terms and conditions. Resolved:** That the State may convey the parcel described in section 2 upon such terms and conditions as the Commissioner of Environmental Protection considers appropriate and necessary to ensure access to the property transferred, compliance with encumbrances of record and inclusion of any new restrictions determined necessary by the Department of Environmental Protection or the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

**Sec. 4. Land to be transferred as is. Resolved:** That the land described in section 2 must be transferred by release deed "as is" with no representations or warranties as to title, subject to any and all terms, conditions, encumbrances, restrictions and liens of record, including those described in section 3.

**Sec. 5. Release of liability for historical contamination. Resolved:** That the Passamaquoddy Tribe's compliance with the terms, conditions, encumbrances and restrictions described in section 3 releases the Passamaquoddy Tribe of any state environmental contamination claims, including natural resource damage claims, that have or in the future may accrue to the State or its agencies as a result of the historic contamination of the land by parties other than the Passamaquoddy Tribe.

**Sec. 6. Repeal. Resolved:** That sections 1 to 4 of this resolve are repealed 5 years from its effective date.

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 32**

**S.P. 41 - L.D. 33**

**Resolve, Directing the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry To Seek Input from Stakeholders on the State's Hemp Program**

**Sec. 1. Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry to seek input from stakeholders on the State's hemp program. Resolved:** That the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry shall meet with and seek input from stakeholders on the United States Department of Agriculture Domestic Hemp Production Program requirements. The department shall study and monitor other state hemp programs, including states that are following federal hemp program regulations and states that are not in compliance with federal hemp program regulations. The department shall submit a report with findings and recommendations to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry no later than