# PLEASE VOTE YES on QUESTION 2

## THE TRANSPORTATION BOND

### SAFER, MORE EFFICIENT ROADS AND BRIDGES.



## QUESTION 2 – BOND ISSUE

Do you favor a \$100,000,000 bond issue to build or improve roads, bridges, railroads, airports, transit facilities and ports and make other transportation investments, to be used to leverage an estimated \$253,000,000 in federal and other funds?

#### VOTE YES ON QUESTION 2 - NOV. 2



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# MAINE NEEDS THIS INVESTMENT IN ITS CRITICAL TRANSPORTATION NETWORK









Maine needs a modern, efficient transportation system to keep our economy moving. MaineDOT does the best it can with the funds provided by the Highway Fund, but lately that has not been enough, and Maine's transportation system has suffered as a result. The Maine Section ASCE 2020 Infrastructure Report Card gave Maine highways a D, Maine bridges a C-, the state rail system a C+, aviation B, and our ports received a B-.

Passage of Question 2 will help MaineDOT complete its current Work Plan including repairs and essential investments in the state's vast network of roads, bridges, airports, seaports, rail, trails and other transportation assets. This is work that supports thousands of jobs and economic activity throughout all of Maine.

Here's what's in the bond:

- / \$85 MILLION FOR ROADS AND BRIDGES. The funding will used for the construction, reconstruction, and rehabilitation of Priority 1, Priority 2, and Priority 3 highways, as well as bridges throughout the state.
- ✓ \$15 MILLION FOR MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION. This funding will be used for facilities or equipment related to transit, freight and passenger railroads, aviation, ports and harbors, marine transportation, and active transportation projects.
- ✓ IT WILL LEVERAGE AN ESTIMATED \$253 MILLION IN FEDERAL AND NON-STATE FUNDING through matching grants and programs for all modes of transportation.

## **VOTE YES ON QUESTION 2 AND KEEP MAINE MOVING!**

VOTING DAY IS NOV. 2

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