



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act to Provide Indigenous Peoples Free Access to State Parks

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$0	\$22,131	\$29,508	\$29,508
Revenue				
General Fund	\$0	(\$22,131)	(\$29,508)	(\$29,508)

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill provides free admission for members of federally recognized Indian nations, tribes and bands to state-owned parks, historic sites, camping areas and beaches. This is estimated to reduce General Fund revenue by \$22,131 in fiscal year 2024-25 and \$29,508 starting in fiscal year 2025-26. This estimate assumes that tribal members will use state-owned parks, historic sites, camping areas and beaches at the same rate as Maine residents and nonresidents.