

STATE OF MAINE
Initiative Question to be Voted Upon
June 8, 1976

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MARKHAM L. GARTLEY, Secretary of State

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INITIATIVE QUESTION	YES	NO
"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

STATE OF MAINE

PRIMARY ELECTION, JUNE 8, 1976

INITIATIVE QUESTION

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to
Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain
Area', Become Law?"

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
ANDROSCOGGIN	8,512	9,641
AROOSTOOK	3,356	5,035
CUMBERLAND	18,198	18,419
FRANKLIN	2,232	1,793
HANCOCK	3,392	3,457
KENNEBEC	10,460	5,809
KNOX	2,691	2,187
LINCOLN	3,137	2,097
OXFORD	3,321	3,656
PENOBSCOT	7,162	9,178
PISCATAQUIS	1,242	1,637
SAGadahoc	2,624	1,907
SOMERSET	3,137	2,781
WALDO	1,778	1,641
WASHINGTON	2,554	3,654
YORK	11,986	9,023
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	85,782	81,915

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COUNTY OF ANDROSCOGGIN

		INITIATIVE QUESTION			
TOWNS		"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"			
		YES		NO	
Auburn,		2347		2414	
Ward 1					
Ward 2					
Ward 3					
Ward 4					
Ward 5					
Durham,		136		110	
Greene,		172		202	
Leeds,		77		55	
Lewiston,		4061		5302	
Ward 1					
Precincts 1					
2					
Ward 2					
Precincts 1					
2					
3					
Ward 3					
Precincts 1					
2					
Ward 4					
Precincts 1					
2					
Ward 5					
Precincts 1					
2					
Ward 6					
Precincts 1					
2					
Ward 7					
Precincts 1					
2					
Lisbon,		666		560	
Ward 1					
Ward 2					
Livermore,		90		88	
Livermore Falls,		161		171	
Mechanic Falls,		139		128	
Minot,		78		82	
Poland,		186		173	
Sabattus,		180		215	
Turner,		158		86	
Wales,		61		55	
		8512		9641	

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COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT
to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow
Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Allagash,	35	35
Amity,	10	6
Ashland,	48	101
Bancroft,	1	6
Benedicta,	7	10
Blaine,	22	46
Bridgewater,	24	65
Caribou,	402	625
Castle Hill,	13	22
Chapman,	14	15
Crystal,	10	24
Dyer Brook,	20	28
Eagle Lake,	32	44
Easton,	70	85
Fort Fairfield,	307	365
Fort Kent,	270	292
Frenchville,	58	68
Grand Isle,	17	32
Hamlin,	20	12
Haynesville,	7	8
Hersey,	7	4
Hodgdon,	39	92
Houlton,	410	768
Island Falls,	75	139
Limestone,	89	105
Linneus,	17	17
Littleton,	30	60
Ludlow,	9	13
Madawaska,	106	152
Mapleton,	69	84
Mars Hill,	41	94
Masardis,	14	26
Merrill,	15	20
Monticello,	23	39
New Canada,	17	16
New Limerick,	11	25
New Sweden,	31	40
Oakfield,	40	63
Orient,	6	8
Perham,	22	40
Portage Lake,	25	27
Presque Isle,	207	359
Ward 1		

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COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK - (Concluded)

TOWNS	INITIATIVE QUESTION	
	YES	NO
"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"		
Saint Agatha,	40	52
Saint Agatha, Sinclair T17, R4,	27	40
St. Francis,	35	62
Sherman,	39	65
Smyrna,	30	62
Stockholm,	38	44
Van Buren,	85	114
Wade,	7	12
Washburn,	91	131
Westfield,	16	24
Weston,	9	21
Woodland,	48	77
PLANTATIONS		
Cary,	11	25
Caswell,	6	11
Caswell, Connor District	17	29
Cyr,	7	9
E,	—	8
Garfield,	5	10
Glenwood,	—	3
Hammond,	5	14
Macwahoc,	5	12
Moro,	1	9
Nashville,	6	4
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Oxbow,	10	5
Reed,	5	9
St. John,	10	12
Wallagrass,	91	66
Westmanland,	12	11
Winterville,	10	14
	3356	5035

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COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT
to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow
Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Baldwin,	73	52
Bridgton,	289	278
Brunswick,	1556	1159
Cape Elizabeth,	1088	1271
Casco,	104	121
Cumberland,	513	567
Mainland		
Island District		
Falmouth,	946	971
Precincts 1		
2		
Freeport,	690	596
Gorham,	843	680
Districts 1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
Gray,	322	283
Harswell,	444	271
Mainland District		
Great Island District		
Orr's and Bailey Island District		
Harrison,	143	145
Naples,	136	117
New Gloucester,	201	214
North Yarmouth,	139	124
Otisfield,	62	52
Portland,	5144	5670
District 1		
Precincts 1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
District 2		
Precincts 1		
1A		
2		
2A		

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COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND—(Concluded)

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TOWNS		"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"					
		YES			NO		
Portland,							
District 3							
Precincts 1							
1A							
2							
2A							
District 4							
Precincts 1							
1A							
2							
2A							
District 5							
Precincts 1							
1A							
2							
2A							
District 6							
Precincts 1							
1A							
2							
2A							
Pownal,		82			91		
Raymond,		140			225		
Scarborough,		565			544		
Sebago,		83			78		
South Portland,		1786			1874		
District 1							
District 2							
District 3							
District 4							
District 5							
Precincts 1							
2							
Standish,		286			304		
Westbrook,		993			1153		
Ward 1							
Ward 2							
Ward 3							
Ward 4							
Ward 5							
Windham,		937			911		
Yarmouth,		633			668		
		18198			18419		

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COUNTY OF FRANKLIN

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT
to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow
Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Avon,

50

24

Carrabassett Valley,

21

71

Carthage,

30

22

Chesterville,

40

37

Eustis,

73

105

Farmington,

655

439

Industry,

46

22

Jay,

169

192

Kingfield,

176

122

Madrid,

18

7

New Sharon,

118

57

New Vineyard,

60

30

Phillips,

110

54

Rangeley,

90

137

Strong,

113

92

Temple,

66

40

Weld,

38

43

Wilton,

307

248

PLANTATIONS

Coplin,

17

12

Dallas,

19

17

Rangeley,

6

7

Sandy River,

10

15

2232

1793

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COUNTY OF HANCOCK

TOWNS	INITIATIVE QUESTION				
	"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"				
	YES	NO			
Amherst,	17	23			
Aurora,	18	20			
Bar Harbor,	469	339			
Blue Hill,	162	119			
Brooklin,	65	51			
Brooksville,	94	75			
Bucksport,	239	258			
Castine,	119	102			
Cranberry Isles,	54	40			
District No. 1					
District No. 2					
Dedham,	39	47			
Deer Isle,	98	98			
Eastbrook,	27	22			
Ellsworth,	418	608			
District 1					
District 2					
District 3					
District 4					
Franklin,	186	181			
Gouldsboro,	158	190			
Hancock,	72	90			
Lamoine,	85	80			
Mariaville,	12	19			
Mount Desert,	252	244			
District No. 1					
District No. 2					
District No. 3					
Orland,	78	59			
Otis,	12	26			
Penobscot,	73	59			
Sedgwick,	49	49			
Sorrento,	29	38			
Southwest Harbor,	128	138			
Stonington,	69	55			
Sullivan,	59	57			
Surry,	67	61			

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TOWNS		INITIATIVE QUESTION	
		YES	NO
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Swan's Island,		20	34
Tremont,		58	69
Trenton,		41	64
Verona,		28	42
Waltham,		13	30
Winter Harbor,		64	54
PLANTATIONS			
Great Pond,		2	7
Long Island,		11	2
Osborn,		7	7
		3392	3457

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COUNTY OF KENNEBEC

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT
to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow
Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Albion,

67

67

Augusta,

2088

1073

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Ward 6

Ward 7

Ward 8

Belgrade,

190

131

Benton,

154

122

Chelsea,

134

61

China,

212

130

Clinton,

140

85

Farmingdale,

294

124

Fayette,

67

33

Gardiner,

812

416

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Ward 6

Ward 6, Precinct 7

Hallowell,

502

242

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Litchfield,

129

113

Manchester,

256

140

Monmouth,

244

152

District No. 1

District No. 2

Mount Vernon,

120

36

Oakland,

431

232

Pittston,

200

102

Randolph,

202

82

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COUNTY OF KENNEBEC—(Concluded)

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Readfield,	218	100
Rome,	62	50
Sidney,	178	103
Vassalboro,	326	190
Vienna,	68	17
Waterville,	1366	929
Ward 1		
Ward 2		
Ward 3		
Ward 4		
Ward 5		
Ward 6		
Ward 7		
Wayne,	138	75
West Gardiner,	156	77
Windsor,	154	63
Winslow,	849	542
Winthrop,	703	322
	10460	5809

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COUNTY OF KNOX

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		INITIATIVE QUESTION					
TOWNS		"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', become Law?"					
		YES			NO		
	Appleton,		67		43		
	Camden,		606		506		
	Cushing,		77		41		
	Friendship,		74		72		
	Hope,		81		83		
	Precincts 1						
	2						
	Isle au Haut,		10		12		
	North Haven,		33		19		
	Owls Head,		185		156		
	Rockland,		488		460		
	Ward 1						
	Ward 2						
	Ward 3						
	Rockport,		235		193		
	St. George,		146		97		
	South Thomaston,		82		36		
	Thomaston,		167		148		
	Union,		109		104		
	Vinalhaven,		84		54		
	Warren,		171		127		
	Washington,		65		30		
	PLANTATION						
	Matinicus Isle,		11		6		
			2691		2187		

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COUNTY OF LINCOLN

		INITIATIVE QUESTION					
TOWNS		"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"					
		YES		NO			
Alna,		84		32			
Boothbay,		187		150			
Boothbay Harbor,		306		167			
Bremen,		102		83			
Bristol,		228		145			
Damariscotta,		168		212			
Dresden,		121		44			
Edgecomb,		116		59			
Jefferson,		313		141			
Newcastle,		203		111			
Nobleboro,		273		248			
Somerville,		27		18			
South Bristol,		110		61			
Southport,		113		83			
Waldoboro,		248		205			
Westport,		58		37			
Whitefield,		193		87			
Wiscasset,		262		206			
PLANTATION							
Monhegan,		25		8			
		3137		2097			

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COUNTY OF OXFORD

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Andover,

55

67

Bethel,

213

241

Brownfield,

37

38

Buckfield,

94

83

Byron,

9

8

Canton,

116

79

Denmark,

45

55

Dixfield,

144

202

Fryeburg,

145

184

Gilead,

23

13

Greenwood,

40

40

Hanover,

39

39

Hartford,

23

16

Hebron,

60

29

Hiram,

103

85

Lovell,

57

49

Mexico,

260

355

Newry,

23

20

Norway,

198

201

Oxford,

143

109

Paris,

259

282

Peru,

62

90

Porter,

63

50

Roxbury,

15

36

Rumford,

742

911

Stoneham,

18

44

Stow,

19

4

Sumner,

35

45

Sweden,

26

11

Upton,

8

16

Waterford,

81

86

West Paris,

75

97

Woodstock,

73

64

PLANTATIONS

Lincoln,

6

6

Magalloway,

12

1

3321

3656

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COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Alton,

14

16

Bangor,

2059

2969

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Precincts 1

2

Ward 4

Precincts 1

2

Ward 5

Ward 6

Ward 7

Precincts 1

2

Bradford,

43

37

Bradley,

31

40

Brewer,

443

646

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Ward 6

Burlington,

17

27

Carmel,

55

61

Charleston,

36

26

Chester,

13

15

Clifton,

20

28

Corinna,

86

104

Corinth,

42

49

Dexter,

180

263

Dixmont,

34

37

East Millinocket,

90

202

Eddington,

84

105

Edinburg,

10

4

Enfield,

149

223

Etna,

27

30

Exeter,

32

41

Garland,

73

64

Glenburn,

59

75

Greenbush,

43

27

Greenfield,

10

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COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT—(Continued)

TOWNS	INITIATIVE QUESTION	
	YES	NO
Hampden,	277	339
Hermon,	87	140
Holden,	87	136
Howland,	174	259
Hudson,	19	20
Indian Island Voting District,	10	15
Kenduskeag,	36	47
Lagrange,	25	23
Lee,	73	125
Levant,	38	36
Lincoln,	276	416
Lowell,	8	14
Mattawamkeag,	34	50
Maxfield,	5	6
Medway,	30	38
Milford,	67	76
Millinocket,	361	588
Newburgh,	29	49
Newport,	169	220
Old Town,	408	412
Ward 1		
Ward 2		
Ward 3		
Ward 4		
Ward 5		
Ward 6		
Orono,	775	475
Ward 1		
Ward 2		
Orrington,	178	139
Passadumkeag,	38	52
Patten,	39	58
Plymouth,	21	15
Springfield,	8	16
Stacyville,	8	39
Stetson,	24	34
Veazie,	106	131
Winn,	30	24
Woodville,	10	9

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		YES			NO		
PLANTATIONS							
Carroll,		7			4		
Drew,		4			7		
Grand Falls,		6			1		
Lakeville,		5			11		
Mount Chase,		10			22		
Prentiss,		26			23		
Prentiss, Kingman District,							
Seboeis,		3			10		
Webster,		1			4		
		7162			9178		

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COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

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to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow
Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Abbot,

58

31

Atkinson,

14

16

Bowerbank,

9

10

Brownville,

82

118

Dover-Foxcroft,

334

466

Greenville,

166

207

Guilford,

85

146

Medford,

12

10

Milo,

155

294

Monson,

51

74

Parkman,

38

29

Sangerville,

109

94

Sebec,

27

42

Shirley,

17

27

Wellington,

18

10

Willimantic,

16

21

PLANTATIONS

Barnard,

2

6

Beaver Cove,

13

13

Blanchard,

14

10

Elliottsville,

9

4

Kingsbury,

5

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Lake View,

8

9

1242

1637

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COUNTY OF SOMERSET

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		YES			NO		
Anson,		173			164		
Athens,		95			81		
Bingham,		138			152		
Cambridge,		23			25		
Canaan,		110			82		
Cornville,		61			45		
Detroit,		37			32		
Emden,		26			50		
Fairfield,		450			282		
Harmony,		38			36		
Hartland,		83			73		
Jackman,		74			81		
Madison,		321			239		
District No. 1							
Mercer,		39			32		
Moose River,		19			21		
Moscow,		15			24		
New Portland,		75			42		
Norridgewock,		124			112		
Palmyra,		55			52		
Pittsfield,		280			292		
Ripley,		18			34		
St. Albans,		66			60		
Skowhegan,		566			505		
Smithfield,		67			39		
Solon,		101			106		
Starks,		20			20		
PLANTATIONS							
Brighton,		8			9		
Caratunk,		12			24		
Dennistown,		5			12		
Highland,		13			25		
Pleasant Ridge,		11			13		
The Forks,		5			1		
West Forks,		9			16		
		3137			2781		

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COUNTY OF WALDO

INITIATIVE QUESTION

TOWNS

"Shall an Initiated Bill Entitled 'AN ACT to Establish a Public Preserve in the Bigelow Mountain Area', Become Law?"

YES

NO

Belfast,

378

383

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Belmont,

15

24

Brooks,

45

47

Burnham,

33

25

Frankfort,

47

49

Freedom,

21

16

Islesboro,

78

20

Jackson,

9

16

Knox,

19

28

Liberty,

63

44

Lincolnton,

110

90

Monroe,

57

43

Montville,

56

29

Morrill,

77

96

Northport,

53

49

Palermo,

60

38

Prospect,

26

32

Searsmont,

60

39

Searsport,

117

127

Stockton Springs,

94

107

Swanville,

34

40

Thorndike,

27

28

Troy,

46

37

Unity,

104

95

Waldo,

14

16

Winterport,

135

123

1778

1641

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COUNTY OF WASHINGTON

INITIATIVE QUESTION

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YES

NO

Addison,	76	81
Alexander,	19	29
Baileyville,	77	123
Beals,	29	41
Beddington,	4	5
Calais,	199	240
Ward 1		
Ward 2		
Ward 3		
Centerville,	1	8
Charlotte,	16	30
Cherryfield,	77	107
Columbia,	40	48
Columbia Falls,	48	38
Cooper,	16	16
Crawford,	—	12
Cutler,	20	51
Danforth,	85	149
Deblois,	5	10
Dennysville,	34	61
East Machias,	74	159
Eastport,	222	314
Ward 1		
Harrington,	69	76
Indian Township Voting District,	40	26
Jonesboro,	40	61
Jonesport,	194	297
Lubec,	112	184
Machias,	222	343
Machiasport,	58	76
Marshfield,	34	58
Meddybemps,	13	24
Milbridge,	144	159
Northfield,	18	36

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		YES		NO			
Pembroke,		59		95			
Perry,		30		63			
Pleasant Point Voting District,		24		13			
Princeton,		129		177			
Robbinston,		31		34			
Roque Bluffs,		21		32			
Steuben,		103		134			
Talmadge,		8		7			
Topsfield,		13		14			
Vanceboro,		29		37			
Waite,		8		14			
Wesley,		18		16			
Whiting,		39		64			
Whitneyville,		15		37			
PLANTATIONS							
Baring,		5		22			
Codyville,		1		6			
Grand Lake Stream,		26		12			
No. 14,		2		10			
No. 21,		7		5			
		2554		3654			

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YES

NO

Acton,

73

74

Alfred,

146

96

Arundel,

95

64

Berwick,

133

106

Biddeford,

2798

2250

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Ward 6

Ward 7

Buxton,

465

518

Cornish,

58

61

Dayton,

126

80

Eliot,

373

171

Hollis,

130

109

Kennebunk,

626

440

Kennebunkport,

502

333

Kittery,

654

355

Lebanon,

108

55

Limerick,

118

95

Limington,

136

118

Lyman,

145

81

Newfield,

37

49

North Berwick,

229

136

Old Orchard Beach,

726

499

Parsonsfield,

44

62

Saco,

1191

1113

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

Ward 6

Ward 7

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	YES	NO	
Sanford,	1350	1176	
First District			
Second District			
Third District			
Fourth District			
Fifth District			
Sixth District			
Seventh District			
Shapleigh,	90	70	
South Berwick,	205	171	
Waterboro,	113	89	
Wells,	512	292	
Wells, Ogunquit Voting District			
York,	803	360	
	11986	9023	