

## Burke, Ruth A

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**From:** Crawford, Jeff S  
**Sent:** Friday, August 24, 2018 11:32 AM  
**To:** Burke, Ruth A  
**Subject:** FW: Keep Maine's Air Clean!

**From:** Rick Alexander [mailto:mainelyra@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 11, 2018 6:58 AM  
**To:** Crawford, Jeff S <Jeff.S.Crawford@maine.gov>  
**Subject:** Keep Maine's Air Clean!

Dear Jeffrey Crawford,

I oppose the Department of Environmental Protection's petition to take most of Maine out of the Ozone Transport Region.

It creates an opening for other states to leave, resulting in more ozone pollution for Maine.

Given our geographic position, we need strong clean air protections in those upwind states.

We need to stay fully committed to this agreement. Maine has some of the highest rates of asthma in the entire country, and we sit at the tailpipe of the nation.

Sincerely,  
Rick Alexander

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