

**REORGANIZATION STATUS OF ALL SCHOOL SYSTEMS**

Updated September 16, 2009

**Reorganization Status of All School Units**

SAU Status	# units	# former units	Students (2008)	% total state enrollment	avg. unit size	avg. unit size (before reorg.)
Approved	69	141	160,089	84%	2,320	1,135
Exempt <sup>1</sup>	17	17	1,237	1%	73	73
Pending	1	6	228	0%	228	38
Not approved <sup>2</sup>	126	126	28,992	15%	230	230
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>190,546</b>	<b>100%</b>		

<sup>1</sup> Islands, Indian Education, and geographic isolation (Private Special Law, Chapter 19)<sup>2</sup> Includes 108 units where voters rejected plan; 15 units where voters approved but partner; SAUS voted no; and 4 units that submitted no plan.**REORGANIZED UNITS<sup>1</sup>**

Approved by the Commissioner and voters (26 units - 98 former SAUs)

Region (lists every individual SAU joining the new RSU or AOS and date of referendum vote)	10/1/08 Enrollment	10/1/06 Enrollment <sup>2</sup>	# SAUs
<b>RSU 1 - Lower Kennebec RSU<sup>3</sup></b> Bath/West Bath/Arrowsic/Woolwich/Phippsburg (1/29/08)	2,163	2,353	5
<b>RSU 2 - Kennebec Intra-District Schools</b> <a href="#">MSAD 16 (Hallowell)/Monmouth/Richmond/Dresden (6/10/08)</a>	2,359	2,450	4
<b>RSU 4 -</b> <a href="#">Oak Hill CSD/Litchfield/Sabattus/Wales (8/12/08)</a>	1,522	1,601	4
<b>RSU 5 -</b> <a href="#">Freeport/MSAD 62 (Pownal)/Durham (11/4/08)</a>	1,833	1,931	3
<b>RSU 10 - Western Foothills School District</b> <a href="#">MSAD 21 (Dixfield)/MSAD 43 (Rumford)/MSAD 39 (Buckfield)/Hanover (11/4/08)</a>	2,975	3,239	4
<b>RSU 12 - Sheepscot Valley Regional School Unit</b> <a href="#">Alna/Wiscasset/Westport Island/Palermo/Somerville/Whitefield/Windsor/Chelsea (11/4/08)</a>	2,070	2,272	8
<b>RSU 13 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 5 (Rockland)/MSAD 50 (Thomaston) (11/4/08)</a>	2,167	2,312	2

<b>RSU 14 -</b> <a href="#">Windham/Raymond (11/4/08)</a>	3,441	3,520	2
<b>RSU 16 -</b> <a href="#">Poland/Minot/Mechanic Falls (11/4/08)</a>	1,676	1,730	3
<b>RSU 18 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 47 (Oakland)/China (11/4/08)</a>	3,277	3,232	2
<b>RSU 19 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 38 (Etna)/MSAD 48 (Newport) (11/4/08)</a>	2,434	2,497	2
<b>RSU 20 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 34 (Belfast)/MSAD 56 (Searsport) (11/4/08)</a>	2,641	2,659	2
<b>RSU 21 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 71 (Kennebunk/Kennebunkport)/Arundel (11/4/08)</a>	2,831	2,909	2
<b>RSU 23 -</b> Saco/OOB/Dayton (11/4/08) <a href="#">part a</a> , <a href="#">part b</a> , <a href="#">part c</a>	4,097	4,124	3
<b>RSU 24 -</b> <a href="#">Ellsworth/Hancock/Lamoine/Mariaville/Steuben/Franklin/Peninsula CSD/Schoodic CSD/Flanders Bay CSD/MSAD 26 (Eastbrook) (12/9/08)</a>	2,592	2,627	10
<b>RSU 25 -</b> <a href="#">Bucksport/Orland/MSAD 18 (Prospect) (1/27/09)</a>	1,183	1,255	3
<b>RSU 26 - Riverside RSU</b> <a href="#">Glenburn/Orono/Veazie (1/27/09)</a>	1,511	1,595	3
<b>RSU 34 -</b> <a href="#">Old Town/Alton/Bradley (1/27/09)</a>	1,353	1,360	3
<b>RSU 38 -</b> <a href="#">Maranacook CSD/Readfield/Manchester/Mt. Vernon/Wayne (1/27/09)</a>	1,290	1,400	5
<b>RSU 39 -</b> <a href="#">Caribou/Limestone/Stockholm (1/27/09)</a>	1,683	1,841	3
<b>RSU 67 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 67 (Lincoln) (1/27/09)</a>	1,176	1,225	1
<b>AOS 91 - Mount Desert Island Regional School System</b> <a href="#">Southwest Harbor/Mt. Desert/Bar Harbor/Tremont/Mt. Desert CSD/Frenchboro/MSAD 76 (Swans Island)/Cranberry Isles/Trenton (11/4/08)</a>	1,600	1,690	9
<b>AOS 92 - Kennebec Valley Consolidated Schools</b> <a href="#">Waterville/Vassalboro/Winslow (01/13/09)</a>	3,871	3,968	3
<b>AOS 93 - Central Lincoln County School System</b> <a href="#">Great Salt Bay CSD/Bremen/Damariscotta/Newcastle/Bristol/Nobleboro/South Bristol/Jefferson (1/27/09)</a>	1,564	1,606	8
<b>AOS 94 - SAD 46/Harmony Regional School District</b> <a href="#">MSAD 46 (Dexter)/Harmony (5/5/09)</a>	1,095	1,146	2
<b>AOS 95 -</b> <a href="#">MSAD 10 (Allagash)/MSAD 27 (Ft. Kent)</a>	1,047	1,095	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>55,451</b>	<b>57,637</b>	<b>98</b>

**REORGANIZATION PENDING VOTE**

Plan approved by the Commissioner, pending voter approval (1 unit - 6 former SAUs)

<b>REGION</b> (lists every individual SAU joining the new RSU or AOS and date of referendum vote)	<b>10/1/08 Enrollment</b>	<b>10/1/06 Enrollment<sup>2</sup></b>	<b># SAUs</b>
<a href="#">Rangeley, Rangeley Plantation, Lincoln Plantation, Sandy River Plantation, Dallas Plantation, Magalloway Plantation</a> (per Private Special Law, Chapter 19) (11/3/09)	226	220	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>6</b>

## UNIT UNCHANGED

Approved by the Commissioner, no voter approval required (43 units - 43 former SAUs)

<b>REGION</b>	<b>10/1/08 Enrollment</b>	<b>10/1/06 Enrollment<sup>2</sup></b>
<a href="#">Augusta</a>	2,348	2,361
<a href="#">Auburn</a>	3,590	3,478
<a href="#">Bangor</a>	3,743	3,830
<a href="#">Biddeford</a>	2,729	2,782
<a href="#">Brewer</a>	2,729	1,391
<a href="#">Brunswick</a>	2,949	3,132
<a href="#">Cape Elizabeth</a>	1,748	1,795
<a href="#">Falmouth</a>	2,131	2,147
<a href="#">Gorham</a>	2,682	2,723
<a href="#">Kittery</a>	996	1,081
<a href="#">Lewiston</a>	4,768	4,701
<a href="#">Lisbon</a>	1,331	1,411
<b>RSU 3 - <a href="#">MSAD 3 (Unity)</a></b>	1,446	1,516
<b>RSU 6 - <a href="#">MSAD 6 (Standish)</a></b>	4,006	4,146
<b>RSU 9 - <a href="#">MSAD 9 (Farmington)</a></b>	2,314	2,437
<b>RSU 11 - <a href="#">MSAD 11 (Gardiner)</a></b>	2,177	2,223
<b>RSU 15 - <a href="#">MSAD 15 (Gray/New Gloucester)</a></b>	1,940	1,950
<b>RSU 17 - <a href="#">MSAD 17 (Oxford Hills)</a></b>	3,408	3,650
<b>RSU 22 - <a href="#">MSAD 22 (Hampden)</a></b>	2,161	2,222
<b>RSU 29 - <a href="#">MSAD 29 (Houlton)</a></b>	1,321	1,307
<b>RSU 35 - <a href="#">MSAD 35 (South Berwick)</a></b>	2,536	2,576
<b>RSU 40 - <a href="#">MSAD 40 (Waldoboro)</a></b>	1,915	1,970

<b>RSU 44</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 44 (Bethel)</a>	799	823
<b>RSU 49</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 49 (Fairfield)</a>	2,441	2,669
<b>RSU 51</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 51 (Cumberland)</a>	2,196	2,311
<b>RSU 52</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 52 (Turner)</a>	2,057	2,182
<b>RSU 54</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 54 (Skowhegan)</a>	2,761	2,851
<b>RSU 55</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 55 (Sacopee Valley)</a>	1,230	1,285
<b>RSU 57</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 57 (Waterboro)</a>	3,509	3,633
<b>RSU 60</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 60 (Berwick)</a>	3,104	3,090
<b>RSU 61</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 61 (Lake Region)</a>	1,922	2,058
<b>RSU 64</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 64 (Corinth)</a>	1,218	1,283
<b>RSU 72</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 72 (Fryeburg)</a>	1,282	1,341
<b>RSU 75</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 75 (Topsham)</a>	2,817	2,972
<b>RSU 79</b> - <a href="#">MSAD 1 (Presque Isle)</a>	2,055	2,085
<a href="#">Portland</a>	6,860	7,040
<a href="#">Sanford</a>	3,214	3,450
<a href="#">Scarborough</a>	3,351	3,313
<a href="#">South Portland</a>	3,050	3,071
<a href="#">Wells-Ogunquit CSD</a>	1,444	1,415
<a href="#">Westbrook</a>	2,452	2,520
<a href="#">Yarmouth</a>	1,377	1,386
<a href="#">York</a>	1,898	1,968
<b>Total</b>	<b>103,855</b>	<b>106,752</b>

## NON-CONFORMING UNITS

### Where voters approved the plan, but their prospective partners did not<sup>4</sup> (15)

Castine; Deblois, Gilead; Highland Plt; Madawaska; MSAD 25 (Stacyville); MSD 37 (Harrington); MSAD 53 (Pittsfield); MSAD 68 (Dover-Foxcroft); MSAD 74 (Anson); Millinocket; Moro Plt; Surry; Upton; Vanceboro

### Where voters turned down the reorganization plan or no plan was submitted by SAU (112)

Acton; Airline CSD; Alexander, Appleton; Baileyville; Bancroft; Baring Plt; Beals; Beddington; Blue Hill; Boothbay-Boothbay Harbor CSD; Bowerbank; Bridgewater; Brooklin; Brooksville; Calais, Caratunk; Carrabassett Valley\*; Carroll Plt; Caswell; Charlotte; Cooper, Coplin Plt; Crawford; Cutler; Dedham; Deer Isle-Stonington CSD; Dennistown Plt; Dennysville; Drew Plt; East Machias; East Millinocket; East Range CSD; Easton; Eastport; Edgecomb; Fayette; Five Town CSD; Georgetown\*; Glenwood Plt; Grand Isle; Grand Lake Stream; Greenbush; Hermon; Hersey; Hope; Jay; Jonesboro; Jonesport; Lakeview Plt\*; Lakeville; Lincolnville; Lowell; Machias, Machiasport, Macwahoc; MSAD 4 (Guilford); MSAD 13 (Bingham); MSAD 14 (Danforth); MSAD 19 (Lubec); MSAD 20 (Ft. Fairfield); MSAD 23 (Carmel); MSAD 24 (Van Buren); MSAD 28 (Camden-Rockport); MSAD 30 (Lee); MSAD 31 (Howland); MSAD 32 (Ashland); MSAD 33 (Frenchville); MSAD 36 (Livermore Falls); MSAD 41 (Milo); MSAD 42 (Mars Hill); MSAD 45 (Washburn); MSAD 58 (Kingfield); MSAD 59 (Madison); MSAD 63 (Holden); MSAD 70 (Hodgdon); Marshfield, Meddybemps; Medford; Medway; Milford; Moosabec CSD; Nashville Plt; New Sweden; Northfield; Orient, Orrington; Otis; Pembroke; Penobscot; Perry; Pleasant Ridge Plt; Princeton; Reed Plt; Robbinston; Roque Bluffs; Seboeis; Sedgwick; Southern Aroostook CSD; Southport; Talmadge; The Forks; Waite; Wesley; West Forks\*; Westmanland; Whiting; Whitneyville; Winthrop; Woodland; Woodville

\*No plan submitted

## EXEMPT UNITS<sup>5</sup>

Eight island school administrative units and three Maine Indian Education units are exempt from the

requirement to consolidate but must file an alternative plan showing reorganization of functions to provide savings without adversely affecting instructional programming. All 11 of these units have submitted a plan that was approved by the Commissioner; no voter approval is required.

In addition, 12 units covered by LD 467 passed by the 124th Legislature, were exempted from the reorganization requirements due to geographic isolation.

### **Island Schools (8)**

[Chebeague Island](#); [Isle au Haut](#); [Islesboro](#); [Long Island](#); [Monhegan Island](#); [MSAD 7 \(North Haven\)](#); [MSAD 8 \(Vinalhaven\)](#); [MSAD 65 \(Matinicus\)](#)

### **Maine Indian Education Schools (3)**

[Indian Island](#); [Indian Township](#); [Pleasant Point](#)

### **Private Special Law, Chapter 19 (LD 467) (6)**

[Beaver Cove](#); [Greenville](#); [Kingsbury Plt](#); [Shirley](#); [Willimantic](#); [MSAD 12 \(Jackman\)](#)

## **NOTES**

**Alternative Organizational Structures:** To date, voters approved 5 AOSs.

<sup>1</sup>Includes AOS plans, a type of reorganization plan.

<sup>2</sup>Oct. 1, 2006 counts were referenced in P.L. 2007, Chapter 240, Part XXXX as the enrollments on which to apply reorganization criteria.

<sup>3</sup>Created via private/special law before passage of Reorganizational Law; voters in Georgetown, which was part of the original proposed regional unit, rejected the plan and have not submitted a plan pursuant to P.L. 2007, Chapter 240, Part XXXX.

<sup>4</sup>LD 353, the FY 10-11 state budget, enacted by the 124th Legislature and signed by the Governor on May 28, 2009, included language (Part KKKK) that allows a one-year reprieve from the penalties for these units. This is consistent with the language in LD 635, sponsored by Rep. Stacy Fitts.

<sup>5</sup>Eight island SAUs, three Maine Indian Education SAUs, and six SAUs exempted by Private Special Law, Chapter 19, passed by the 124th Legislature, are exempt from the requirement to consolidate but must file an alternative plan showing reorganization of administrative functions to provide savings without adversely affecting instructional programming. These 17 units have submitted a plan that was approved by the Commissioner; no voter approval is required. The 17 "exempt" units do not include Rangeley, Rangeley Plt., Dallas Plt., Magalloway Plt., Sandy River Plt., and Lincoln Plt., which have filed a reorganization plan that has been approved by the Commissioner and is pending voter approval.

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