

MAINE LOCAL ROADS CENTER

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The Maine Local Roads Center is pleased to offer the consulting services of JIM FOSTER to municipalities throughout the state. Jim retired from MaineDOT after 38 years of service. Jim's career focused on bridge design and bridge inspections, and being the Bridge Management Engineer. Jim's later work at MaineDOT concentrated on the development of bridge repair and preservation strategies to get the most benefit from limited funding resources. He has served on many committees such as Bridge Posting, 'Keeping Our Bridges Safe', and the Maine Historic Bridge Management Plan. Jim was also responsible for the preparation of applications for several federal bridge grants. Since his retirement, Jim has remained active by assisting towns with their bridge and large culvert needs, including applications to DEP's Stream Crossing Public Infrastructure Improvements grant program.



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MAINE'S "BRIDGE RANGER"

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local bridge assistance to
communities throughout
the State of Maine.*





HOW CAN JIM HELP?

Just call the Maine Local Roads Center & we can arrange to have Jim contact you within a day or two, OR feel free to reach out to Jim directly. Contact info below. Jim can provide on-site assistance on the following local bridge/large culvert topics and more.

- *Extending Bridge Life*
- *Prioritizing Maintenance & Repairs*
- *Inventory/ Ownership*
- *Bridge Posting*
- *Inspection Reports*
- *Replacement and Repair Options*
- *Scour Countermeasures*
- *On-line Resources/ Mapviewer*
- *Funding/ Grants*

and much, much, more...

Jim can meet with road crews, elected officials, as well as town road committees throughout the state!

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