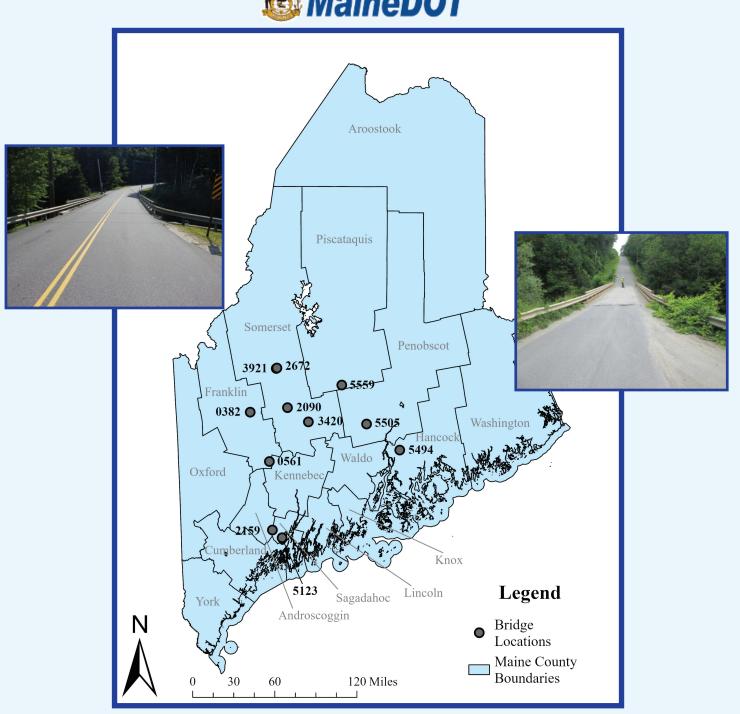
Maine Department of Transportation FY 2024 Competitive Highway Bridge Program Off-System Bridge Investment Project <u>Match Letter</u>







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Bruce A. Van Note

March 13, 2025

The Honorable Sean Duffy, Secretary United States Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Ave, SE Washington, DC 20590

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Re: Assurance of Matching Funds

Dear Secretary Duffy:

This letter serves as evidence of assurance by the State of Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT) that matching funds for the FY Competitive Highway Bridge Project grant application "Off-System Bridge Investment Project" submitted by MaineDOT are committed and will be provided.

MaineDOT is seeking \$38,784,000 in FY 2025 CHBP Grant funding, matched by \$9,696,000 in state funds. Should funds be received, this project is included in MaineDOT's 2025-2028 *Work Plan* and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) for 2025-2028. It is consistent with MaineDOT's long-range plan. MaineDOT is committed to providing these matching funds to the Federal funds requested.

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Sincerely,

Bruce A. Van Note Commissioner