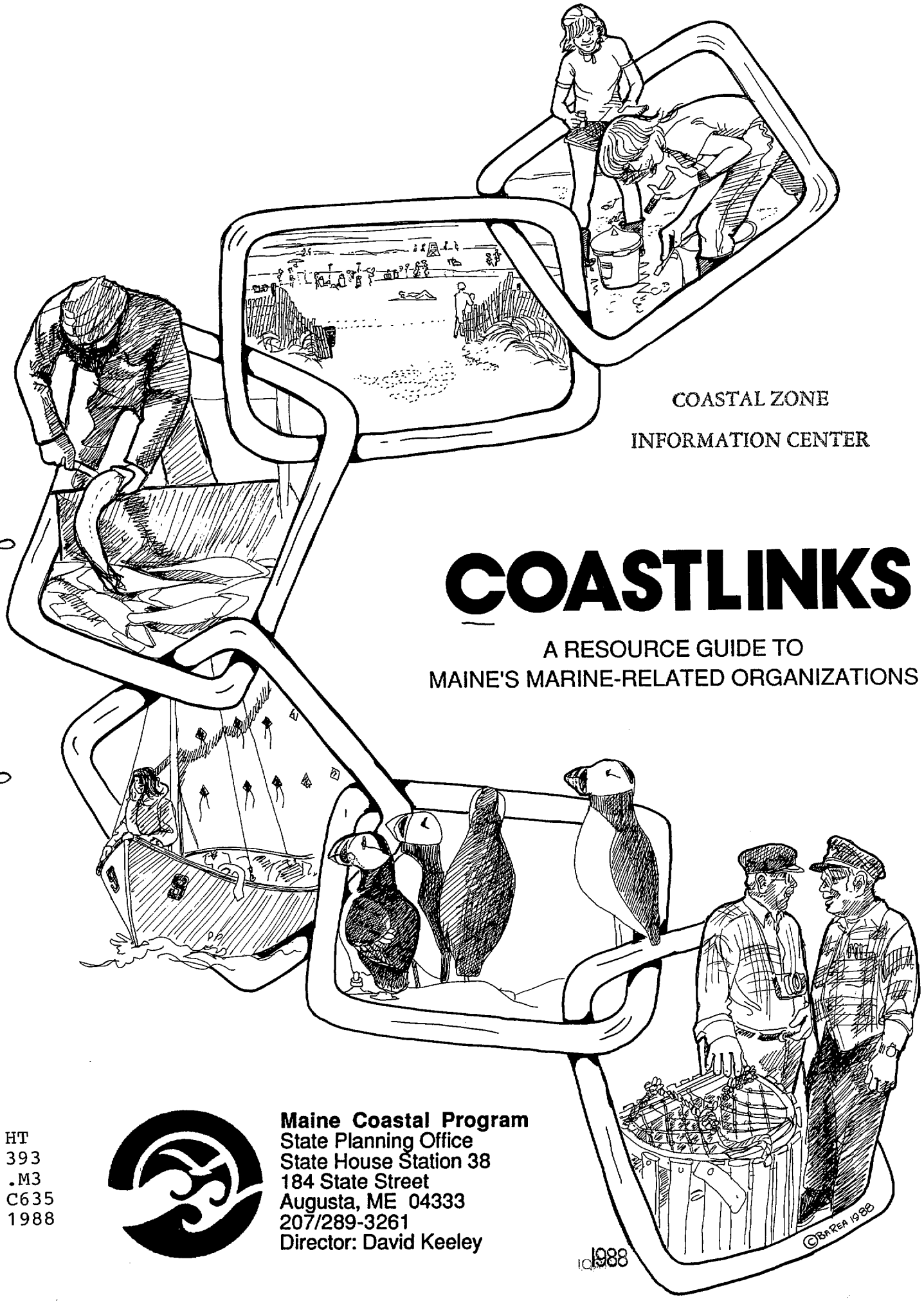

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An Introduction to Coastlinks

Maine's nonprofit organizations, associations, and state agencies are working on an impressive array of projects in marine research, coastal conservation, marine education, maritime historical preservation, and marine trades. But all too often, word of these projects doesn't reach the public, or even people working in related fields.

The Maine Coastal Program Resource Guide is intended to help all of us better understand "who is doing what" in Maine's marine-related organizations. The listings here reflect responses made to questionnaires sent out by our office in early spring of 1988. For most entries, information is provided on the organization's goals, its current marine projects or programs, and its available resources (e.g., publications, audiovisual materials, equipment, or consultants). For organizations that did not respond to the questionnaire, only the name and address are listed.

Coastlinks is designed to be "user-friendly." The Table of Contents lists the general subject areas into which the guide has been divided. There are also cross-referenced indices so that you may look up organizations alphabetically or by geographic region. The final index lists organizations that offer educational resources.

The Resource Guide contains numerous appendices, including lists of coastal parks, boat ramps, and historical societies, and a brief guide to newspapers and magazines along Maine's coast.

At the end of **Coastlinks** is a sheet that you can fill out to let us know what changes you would like to see in future editions of this guide. There are undoubtedly some organizations that we have neglected to include: we apologize for the oversight but ask that you write us so we will be sure to include these groups in the next edition.

Longtime Maine resident and writer E.B. White once wrote "the sea answers all questions." While this may hold true in the long run, we hope that -- in the meantime -- **Coastlinks** will help with some of your everyday questions about Maine's marine-related organizations.

David Keeley, Director
Maine Coastal Program

Flis Schauffler
Editor, **Coastlinks**

Aquaria

Department of Marine Resources
Public Aquarium
McKown Point
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME 04575

contact: Jean Chenoweth
phone: 207/633-5572

***goals*:** To educate the public about the fish and fisheries of Maine.
***resources*:** Open seven days/week from Memorial Day weekend through Columbus Day. Hours : Monday through Friday 8-5; weekends and holidays 9-5; touch tank; live displays; interpretive material; oceanside picnic area; and public restrooms.

Gulf of Maine Aquarium
Administrative Office: 97A Exchange St.
PO Box 7549 DTS
Portland, ME 04112

contact: Debra L. Sampson
phone: 207/772-2321

goals: To bring marine education into the schools with outreach programs until the Aquarium itself opens (projected date: June 1991).
***current projects*:** In-school slide and live-animal presentations (45 minutes long) focused on marine life found in the Gulf of Maine; and low-tide walks conducted by education program leader at Kettle Cove in Cape Elizabeth (one hour long).

Maine Aquarium
Route One, PO Box 859
Saco, ME 04072

contact: Jeanne Meggison -- Education staff
phone: 207/284-4512

goals: To educate the people from Maine and beyond about the world of water.
***current program*:** Open year-round to provide exhibits and educational programs for visitors on local and exotic aquatic habitats, including New England fish, invertebrates, and seals, tropical species of coral reef fishes, sharks, moray eels, penguins, and a giant Pacific octopus.
***resources*:** Educational programs for school classes, scouts, and other groups on topics such as lobstering tidepools of the rocky coast, fishes, penguins, and dangerous marine animals; teacher workshops on marine education; curriculum materials for teachers; and outreach programs to nursing homes and hospitals.

Mount Desert Oceanarium
Clark Point Road
Southwest Harbor, ME 04679

contact: David Mills

No further information provided.

Cooperative Extension Service Offices

University of Maine
Cooperative Extension Service (UMCES)
9 Coburn Hall, UMO
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Conrad Griffin, Community Development/ Marine Specialist
phone: 207/581-3181

goals: To help local people learn new knowledge and skills, develop leadership abilities, and solve a wide variety of problems using local resources and research-based information from the land-grant/sea-grant university.
current programs: Extension agents and specialists provide educational support to citizens, community leaders, and organizations in developing marine programs in coastal resource management, 4-H youth education, "fish as food," and harbor management. Specific programs include work on the sea urchin roe industry, harbor management, and leadership training to influence decision-making on marine policy issues.
resources: UMCES has extension faculty serving all coastal and inland counties. Individuals are encouraged to call or write their county Cooperative Extension agents for additional assistance on marine-related issues. The county offices can provide a wide variety of audiovisual materials, leaflets, and pamphlets on marine-related subjects.

UMCES - Androscoggin/
Sagadahoc Counties
277 Minot Ave.
Auburn, ME 04210

contact: Nancy Coverstone
phone: 207/786-0376

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current marine projects: Sponsor periodic conferences on coastal issues (e.g., marine pollution); help coastal communities with organizing and public involvement in the planning process; and sponsor "Teaching in the Out-of-doors" workshops held at the Maine Audubon Society's Newman Sanctuary in Georgetown.
resources: See initital UMCES listing.

UMCES - Cumberland County
96 Falmouth Street, USM
Portland, ME 04103

contact: Douglas G. Babkirk
phone: 207/780-4205

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current marine projects: Organizational assistance (in communications and research) to Maine harbormasters and shellfish harvesters.
resources: Staff to assist groups in organizing, running effective meetings, solving problems, and connecting with University researchers; marine education publications for youth and adults.

UMCES - Hancock County
Boggy Brook Road, RFD 5
Ellsworth, ME 04605

contact: Ben Baxter
phone: 207/667-8212

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current marine projects: Clam survey; work with shore harvesters; sea urchin roe study.
resources: Shoreharvester's Newsletter, one staff person for marine issues.

UMCES - Kennebec County
125 State Street
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Ira Ellis, Extension Agent
phone: 207/622-7546

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current projects: Work with a group of citizens on public policy issues of the Kennebec River and its watershed; formation of the Kennebec River Council (KRIC) which currently has a funding proposal to conduct an economic feasibility study of the River's anadromous fisheries.
resources: A booklet entitled "The Fisheries Resources of the Kennebec River."

UMCES - Knox/Lincoln Counties
375 Main Street
Rockland, ME 04841

contact: Leslie C. Hyde, C. Herbert Annis, Extension Agents
phone: 207/594-2104

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current projects: St. George River Land Trust; coastal growth management; shellfish management (shellfish professional to join staff in 1988); 4-H Earth Connections School Program designed to immerse grades K-8 children in the natural environment (includes forests, freshwater, and marine); Tanglewood 4-H summer camp offers youths a marine focus.
resources: Videotapes; pamphlets; newsletters; courses; workshops; reference library; and referral to other agencies and groups.

UMCES - Penobscot County/
Penobscot County 4-H
Court House Annex, 105 Hammond St.
Bangor, ME 04401

contact: Beth Parks
phone: 207/942-7396

goals: To provide out-of-school, learning-by-doing educational activities for boys and girls aged 9-19.
current marine programs: A one-week summer camp is periodically offered in Brooksville, using an ecosystem approach to teach youngsters about environmental interdependence.

UMCES - Waldo County
RFD 2, Box 641
Belfast, ME 04915

contact: William Weber
phone: 207/342-5971

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current project: Natural resource inventory workshops.
resources: See initial UMCES listing.

UMCES - York County
Court House Annex
Alfred, ME 04002

contact: Eileen Conlon, Leanna Preston
phone: 207/324-2814

goals: See initial UMCES listing.
current marine projects: Vaughn's Island Camping Program, teaching young people about the marine environment; Earth Connections, an environmental education program for youth; and organizational assistance to community groups through the community development program.
resources: Curriculum materials; audio-visual materials; and educational and organizational assistance.

Educational and Research Organizations

Abnaki Girl Scout Council
141 North Main Street
Brewer, ME 04412

contact: Jo Stevens, Executive Director
phone: 207/989-7474

***goals*:** An informal, educational program designed to meet the needs and interests of girls
***current marine programs*:** Girl Scouts are involved in beach cleanups during Coastweek, and do marine study activities at Girl Scout day and residential camps. In outdoor activities, Girl Scouts are encouraged to use resources wisely and to protect and improve the world around them.
***resources*:** Girl Scout handbooks and UMWELT, a booklet (designed by a Girl Scout volunteer) of marine-related activities to be done with girls aged 5-12.

Acadia Institute of Oceanography
Seal Harbor, ME 04675

contact: George Hahn

No further information provided.

Allied Whale
College of the Atlantic
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

contact: Steve Katona, Judy Beard
phone: 207/288-5644

***goals*:** Research and education dealing with marine mammals, particularly whales.
current programs: Curate North Atlantic Humpback Whale Fluke Catalogue; curate North Atlantic Finback Whale Catalogue; run Mt. Desert Rock Marine Research Station; and conduct general research on migrations, populations, and life histories of whales, porpoises, and seals.
***resources*:** Slide show for rent ($12 for one week); speakers available by arrangement; and Whales-on-Wheels outreach program (see listing for the Natural History Museum at COA).

Association for Research
on the Gulf of Maine (ARGO - Maine)
c/o Bigelow Laboratories, McKown Point
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME

contact: David Townsend
phone: 207/633-2173

***goals*:** A consortium of academic, private, and governmental organizations dedicated to promoting and coordinating marine research on the Gulf of Maine
***current programs*:** Research using the 80-foot vessel, R/V ARGO MAINE, and periodic conferences.
***resources*:** The R/V ARGO MAINE, and other research facilities of consortium members.

Atlantic Center for the Environment
39 South Main Street
Ipswich, MA 01938

contact: Brent Mitchell, Kathleen Blanchard, Tom Horn
phone: (for T. Horn) 802/457-2818
phone: 508/356-0038

***goals*:** To promote resource management through year-round education, and policy and research programs in Atlantic Canada, Eastern Quebec, and Northern New England (using an intern workforce).
***current marine programs*:** Marine bird conservation project; seabird research, information, and education; shorebird surveys and related environmental projects; Ocean Horizons Youth Camps (in Newfoundland); and a US/UK Countryside Stewardship Seminar in 1987 (involving Washington County, ME).
***resources*:** Educational poster series -- Atlantic Naturalist, Alcids of the North Atlantic, and one planned on Sandy Beach Ecology; Journal -- Nexus, quarterly on natural resource issues, many of them marine; workshops -- occasionally on coastal issues; inter-regional exchange and policy program.

Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences
McKown Point
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME 04575

contact: Jennifer W. Logan
phone: 207/633-2173

***goals*:** A private, nonprofit facility that seeks to undertake basic research on the biological, chemical, and physical processes that determine ocean productivity; to contribute to studies of the ocean atmosphere system in relation to global climate and environmental changes; and to provide information for developing rational means for conserving and managing living resources of coastal seas.
***current projects*:** An ecological characterization of intertidal resources at Acadia National Park ; a study of phytoplankton in the Gulf of Maine (which produce sulfur compounds that precede acid rain; and numerous fisheries-related studies.
***resources*:** Bigelow Laboratory Associates, a membership program; a summer lecture series; the joint Bigelow Lab/DMR Marine Research Library (contact P. Shephard-Lupo at the phone number listed above); workshops sponsored by the Center for Marine Phytoplankton Research and the Flow Cytometry/Sorting Facility; the biannual Lab Log newsletter.

Bowdoin College Environmental Studies Program
Bowdoin College
Brunswick, ME 04011

contact: Becky Koulouris

goals: To demonstrate the global scope and local impact of selected environmental issues and provide students with a broad range of integrated, analytical skills.
current programs: Double major (with another discipline) and minor A.B. programs; and independent study projects with environmental and marine organizations.
resources: Bethel Point Marine Research Station; resource room with environmental periodicals; and an environmental lecture series.

Chewonki Foundation
RR 2, Box 1200
Wiscasset, ME 04578

contact: Tim Ellis, Don Hudson
phone: 207/882-7323

goals: A nonprofit educational institution offering programs that encourage participants to gain a sense of community, and heighten their interest in and understanding of the natural world.
current marine programs: (1) "Fins and Flippers" -- a classroom presentation in which students learn about marine mammals while assembling a 16-foot Pilot Whale skeleton; (2) Mariner Program -- two 3.5-week cruises in traditional open sailing boats along Maine's coast from Wiscasset to Jonesport. Cruises involve natural history and coastal issues education; and (3) Maine Coast Semester -- a semester option for gifted 11th grade students, with a strong component of coastal issues and natural history.
resources: Five-day residential environmental education programs; ten outreach natural history presentations for classrooms; boys' summer camp (of 225); co-ed wilderness trips for teens; family wilderness trips for all ages; and a 400-acre peninsula on Montsweag Bay, with cabins, some dorm facilities, a large dining area, and a natural history center.

College of the Atlantic
Environmental Education Program
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

contact: Peter Corcoran
phone: 207/288-5015

No further information provided.

Friedman Field Station
of Suffolk University
PO Box 41A
Edmunds, ME 04628

contact: Carl Merrill, R. Lester Seeley
phone: 207/726-4749

goals: To educate students through field-oriented courses and programs, and to enhance their understanding and appreciation of coastal areas.
current programs: Undergraduate courses in ecology, marine biology, and scuba; Elderhostel programs focusing on marine ecology, marine pollution, and coastal folklore; marine science field experience for teens; and special cooperative high school programs in marine science.
resources: Three fully-equipped classrooms, laboratory, seawater circulating system, holding tanks, housing/dining facilities, small library, and two Boston Whalers.

Gulf of Maine Marine Education
Association (GOMMEA)
Box 2652
South Portland, ME 04106

contact: Persis Plaisted, President or Mary Cerullo, Secretary
phone: 603/868-2623 or 207/284-4512

goals: An organization of classroom teachers, museum curators, resource specialists in public agencies and universities and marine educators who share their knowledge of the Gulf of Maine.
current projects: Marine education workshops, and an annual conference in the fall.
resources: Quarterly newsletter, "The Gulf Stream"; marine curriculum materials; part of a national network of 800 marine educators (the National Marine Educator's Association).

Hardwood Island Biological Station
Mount Desert, ME 04660
winter address: Maine Island Ecology, Academy of Natural Sciences, Nineteenth and the Parkway, Philadelphia, PA 19103

contact: C.W. Eliot Paine
phone: none

goals: The Academy of Natural Sciences sponsors "Maine Island Ecology," a three-week summer program for qualified high school students (grades 10-12).
current program: Two three-week sessions that include instruction in marine ecology, and introduction to the natural history and cultural heritage of Maine's coast.
resources: Large laboratory, two dorm houses, and a 500-volume library.

Hurricane Island Outward Bound School
Box 429, Mechanic Street
Rockland, ME 04841

contact: Philip Chin, Carole Ryden
phone: 207/594-5548

goals: To provide challenging activities that bring out the best in people, and to pull individuals together as a team, learning by experience.
current programs: Sailing and sea kayaking courses (highlighting marine life and island environments), based in Penobscot Bay, for ages 15 and over. Courses are held from May to October, and last from one week to three months.
resources: Videos, speakers, brochures, and a schedule of courses.

Institute for Quaternary Studies
University of Maine at Orono, 304 Boardman Hall
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Harold W. Borns, Jr.

No further information provided.

Ira C. Darling Center
Walpole, ME 04573

contact: Dr. Les Watling, Director
phone: 207/563-3146

goals: Serving as the University of Maine's marine laboratory, the Center is committed to marine research, teaching, and interaction with public school science teachers.
current projects: Research on aquaculture hatchery techniques; benthic marine ecology; coastal geomorphology; shellfish genetics; saltmarshes; lobster-rearing; submersible work in the Gulf of Maine; DBP toxicity and degradation; and more.
resources: Laboratories and limited dorm facilities may be used by visiting investigators; fleet of small boats; extensive library and reprint collection; and an aquaculture building.

Kennebec Girl Scout Council
PO Box 206
Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107

contact: Kathy Zielinski

No further information provided.

Land and Water Resources Center
11 Coburn Hall, University of Maine at Orono
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Sherman Hasbrouck
phone: 207/581-1490

goals: To provide leadership and focus to research efforts dealing with terrestrial and freshwater resources; and to help in the application and transfer of these research results.
current marine projects: The Center is preparing an informational digest entitled "Access to Coastal and Inland Water; the Public Use of Private Land."
resources: Informational digests related to both land and water resources. A slide program on the state's natural resources is available. A Directory of Maine's Natural Resource Organizations is also available (for $2).

Landing School of Boatbuilding and Design
P.O. Box 1490
Kennebunkport, ME 04046

contact: John Burgess, Judy McMahon
phone: 207/985-7976

goals: To prepare students for employment in the marine industry as designers, builders, or repairers of recreational and commercial watercraft.
current programs: Yacht and commercial boat design; traditional wooden boatbuilding.
resources: Slideshow/presentations and demonstrations on wooden boat construction and techniques.

L.L. Bean Community Classes
L.L. Bean Inc.
Freeport, ME 04033

contact: Michael Perry

No further information provided.

Maine Environmental Education Association
c/o Chewonki Foundation
Wiscasset, ME 04578

contact: Don Hudson

No further information provided.

Maine Maritime Academy
Castine, ME 04420

contact: Loren Mitchell, PR Director
phone: 207/326-4311

goals: A college specializing in ocean- and marine-oriented programs at the undergraduate and graduate level, with emphasis on engineering, transportation, management, and ocean science.
current projects: MMA owns and operates the 80-foot, steel-hulled oceanographic research vessel ARGO MAINE and is a member of the Association for Research on the Gulf of Maine.
resources: MMA's waterfront is suited to provide laboratory support for some research operations. There is also a Maine Maritime Conference Center that can provide lodging, meals, and meeting space for scientific gatherings.

Maine Science Teachers Association
c/o Van Buren High School
Box 241
Van Buren, ME 04785

contact: Earl Coombs

No further information provided.

Marine Law Institute
University of Southern Maine
246 Deering Avenue
Portland, ME 04102

contact: Alison Reiser

No further information provided.

Migratory Fish Research Institute
University of Maine at Orono, 254 Hitchner Hall
Orono, ME 04469

No further information provided.

Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory
PO Box 35, Old Bar Harbor Road
Salisbury Cove, ME 04672

contact: Dr. Donald A. McCrimmon, Associate Director
phone: 207/288-3605

goals: An independent research facility studying diverse aspects of comparative marine molecular physiology and toxicology.
current projects: Membrane toxicity studies that probe the impact of heavy metals on cell membrane and transport processes; proposal submitted to sample fish populations and pollutant levels in fresh and marine waters of Mount Desert Island.
resources: Printed materials describing the lab are available upon request. Tours of the facilities can be arranged with ample advance notice. Administrative staff are available to address civic groups concerning the laboratory and its research.

Mr. & Mrs. Fish
SMVTI, Fort Road
South Portland, ME 04106

contact: Jeff Sandler
phone: 207/799-6234

goals: To excite and educate school children, teachers, and the general public about our ocean resources.
current program: Mr. & Mrs. Fish costume themselves as a variety of sea creatures, humorously acting out life as it is in the sea. Programs are geared for elementary-age students and their families.
resources: Based at SMVTI in South Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Fish sometimes host groups in their building. More often, they offer in-school presentations, and evening family programs for communities.

National Audubon Society (Expeditions)
RFD 1, Box 149B
Lubec, ME 04652

contact: Libby Sciacchitano
phone: 207/733-8811 or 203/364-0522

goals: To train environmental educators who will be able to train others to value all life, particularly marine life.
current programs: Full-year expeditions that are consensus communities, studying various subjects as they travel. One course focuses on the interdependencies of marine ecology.

The Natural History Museum at COA
College of the Atlantic, Route 3
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

contact: Vicki Nichols
phone: 207/288-5015

goals: To instill a conservation ethic, improve scientific education, enhance scientific knowledge, and provide a resource for exploring natural history.
current programs: Whales-on-Wheels and the Naugahyde Whale (marine-oriented outreach programs for schools); marine exhibit preparation and interpretation; involvement in Coastweek and Sea Grant.
resources: Whales-on-Wheels -- a hands-on exhibit of a 20-foot Minke whale skeleton where participants assemble the bones; Naugahyde Whale -- a 10-foot-long foam and fabric replica of a Pilot whale; Natural History Museum tours; outdoor nature activities; evening natural history lecture series in July/August; summer field studies for children entering grades 4, 5, and 6.

National Audubon Society - Research and Sanctuaries
winter: 159 Sapsucker Woods Road, Ithaca, NY 14850
summer: Keene Neck Rd., Medomak, ME 04551

contact: Stephen Kress
phone: 607/257-7308 (Sept.-May)
207/529-5828 (June-August)

goals: To protect the Maine coast's seabird nesting islands, conduct research that has conservation value for managing seabirds and to educate the general public about Maine's marine ecology.
current projects: Protection of ten important seabird nesting islands; research and management programs to restore populatons of Atlantic puffins, Artic, roseate, and common terns on four islands; resident Maine Coast Ecology classes on Hog Island; and seabird/wildlife boat trips from Boothbay Harbor to New Harbor.
resources: Egg Rock Update (annual newsletter of the National Audubon Society); Puffin Project which reviews research and sanctuary activities in Maine; brochure on the Audubon Camp in Maine listing current courses of Instruction (available from National Audubon Camp in Maine, 613 Riverside Road, Greenwich, CT 06830; 203/869-5272).

Northeast Marine Education Project
206 Shibles Hall, College of Education
University of Maine
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Michael Brody
phone: 207/581-2434

goals: To develop, evaluate, and disseminate marine education curriculum materials and conduct marine-related educational research activities.
current programs: Northern New England Marine Educational Curriculum Materials; assessment of student knowledge related to the Gulf of Maine; Teacher Inservice Activities; Marine Education Summer Institute.
resources: Printed curriculum materials and video tapes; research reports; teacher inservice programs.

Pine Tree Boy Scout Council
125 Auburn
Portland, ME 04103

No further information provided.

The Quoddy Tides Foundation
123 Water St.
Eastport, ME 04631

contact: John Pike Grady,
Mrs. Winafred B. French
phone: 207/853-4806

current programs: Marine Library; aquarium with local marine animals; a "touch me" tank (note: open only during summer)
resources: Small scholarship to the Marine Trades Center in Eastport (WCVTI).

Restoration of Atlantic Salmon in America, Inc. (RASA)
PO Box 164
Hancock, NH 03449

contact: Richard A. Buck, Chairman
phone: 603/563-8051

goals: To help conserve and restore Atlantic salmon in the rivers and waters of North America, and as far offshore as the stocks may range.
current projects: The RASA chairman currently serves as a limited states' commisioner to the North Atlantic Conservation Organization, the operating mechanism of the new Atlantic salmon treaty.
resources: Service as a voluntary consultant in work towards Atlantic salmon conservation and restoration; work with federal/state agencies, private organizations, and individuals.

The Rockport Apprenticeshop
PO Box 539, Sea Street
Rockport, ME 04856

contact: Karen Van Allsburg, Missy Hatch
phone: 207/236-6071

goals: To perpetuate maritime skills, training youth through and for boatbuilding and seamanship; documentation of past and present boats, methods, and maritime culture.
current projects: Exchange project with Norway (Norwegian boatbuilders will come to Maine and apprentices will go there); building a French gig to be presented to young French by young Americans; and summer classes.
resources: "The Apprentice" (journal); lecture series throughout the winter; library; summer courses; boat plans; line drawings; small craft prints; monographs; books for purchase.

Sea Grant College Program
University of Maine
30 Coburn Hall, UMO
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Kathleen Lignell, Communications Coordinator
phone: 207/581-1440

goals: The Sea Grant Program is a statewide cooperative effort in marine research, education, and advisory service activities that focus on the coastal and marine opportunities of the Gulf of Maine.
current projects: Maine's Sea Grant program conducts research on fisheries management and development (e.g., aquaculture and lobster behavior); changes in the coastal environment (e.g., coastal erosion, and tide patterns); and industrial and commercial development (e.g., port development and marine recreation).
resources: Researchers, Marine Advisory Program personnel, and marine science educators are available as speakers; communications office has a directory of the booklets available, plus brochures, posters, reports, books, videotapes, and other materials. The Sea Grant Communications Office disseminates scientific and technical information from Sea Grant research, and responds to informational requests.

Shoals Marine Laboratory
winter: G-14 Stimson Hall, Cornell University,
Ithaca, NY 14853
summer: PO Box 88, Portsmouth, NH 03801 (located on Appledore Island, Isles of Shoals)

contact: John B. Heiser, Christine C. Bogdanowicz
phone: 607/255-3717 (summer)

goals: The Shoals Marine Laboratory was founded as a cooperative venture between Cornell Univeristy and the University of New Hampshire that strives to provide quality marine education to college undergraduates and beginning graduate students
current programs: Offer credit courses in a wide range of marine subjects (e.g., field marine science, marine vertebrates, coastal and oceanic law & policy; wetlands resources; underwater archaelogy; adaptations of marine organisms; and marine microbial ecology). Offers non-credit courses for families and adults on subjects such as nature photography, island bird study, and marine mammals. Ongoing research projects include cormorant colony dynamics, and sea urchin/codium interactions.
resources: Library; laboratory space (for 60); three dormitories; a compressed air system for scuba divers; two Boston Whalers, a 19-foot sailboat, and the R/V John M. Kingsbury.

Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute - Marine Science Department
Fort Road
South Portland, ME 04106

contact: Robert E. Goode
phone: 207/799-7303

goals: To provide two-year, Applied Science Associates Degrees and Diplomas.
current programs: Programs in Nautical Science, Marine Engineering, and Applied Marine Biology and Oceanography.
resources: 144-foot research/training ship; equipped laboratories for biology, oceanography, and chemistry; various small craft; and a pier that can accommodate ships under 200 feet.

Stone Environmental School
PO Box 165
Ocean Park, ME 04063

contact: Duane Bond, Executive Director
phone: 207/934-4064

goals: A nonprofit organization committed to stimulating personal growth through exploration of various natural areas.
current programs: Residential and day programs offering classes in ocean study, saltmarshes, stream and pond investigations, and other areas.
resources: Location near Saco Bay with 190 acres of saltmarsh and 150 acres of diverse forest; winterized dorm facilites.

University of Maine
Center for Marine Studies
14 Coburn Hall, UMO
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Dr. Robert Wall, Director
phone: 207/581-1435

goals: To provide leadership in developing research programs, with an emphasis on the Gulf of Maine, its coastal zone, and other related cold-water regions.
current projects: Research on the Gulf of Maine, and graduate studies. Contact for information on specific projects.
resources: The Center provides direction for the Joint Institutional Sea Grant Program and the Ira C. Darling Center in Walpole (see separate listing).

University of Maine at Machias
9 O'Brien Avenue
Machias, ME 04654

contact: Brian F. Beal, M. Gayle Kraus
phone: 207/255-3313, ext. 289

goals: To serve the educational and cultural needs of the people in Downeast Maine.
current marine programs: UMM is involved with two marine community outreach programs serving in a technical advisory role for the Cutler Marine Lobster Hatchery and the Beals Island Regional Shellfish Hatchery.
resources: Geographic proximity to every type of marine ecosystem that occurs in Maine.

University of Southern Maine
Gulf of Maine Course
96 Falmouth Street
Portland, ME 04103

contact: Michael Hamilton, Dept. of Political Science
phone: 207/780-4190

goals: To provide high-quality education for persons in Maine.
current program: "The Gulf of Maine" (COR 116) is an interdisciplinary, undergraduate course offered in the spring semester for 3 credits. It examines the competing demands and management policies for use of the ocean and coastal resources in the Gulf, in the context of relations with Canada. Special and nontraditional students are welcome.
resources: A course syllabus and listing of readings are available from the contact person listed above. A book of compiled readings is available from the USM bookstore (in Portland). The anthology is titled Core Readings: The Gulf of Maine (edited by Jill Bubier, Irwin Novak, and Michael Hamilton).

Washington County Vocational Technical Institute - Marine Trades Center
Deep Cove, Eastport, ME 04631

contact: Thomas Duym, Division Head, MTC
phone: 207/853-2518

goals: To successfully train people for Maine's marine industry.
current programs: Boatbuilding (two-year program); marine painting (one-year program). There will soon be a one-year Marine Mechanics' program. An aquaculture program is planned for the future.
resources: Library; waterfront facilities; Travelift crane.

West Quoddy Biological Research Station
PO Box 9
Lubec, ME 04652

contact: Dorothy R. Spero, Director
phone: 207/733-8895

goals: To provide a facility for quality field research and the development and exchange of ideas that will lead to better human understanding of, and respect for, the natural world. To promote research, education, and wildlife rehabilitation of the West Quoddy/Bay of Fundy region.
current projects: Studies on the indigenous and migratory species, with emphasis on marine mammals; programs for rescue and rehabilitation of injured/orphaned marine wildlife (with the intent to release recovered animals); and educational programs to provide and inform the public of the area's natural resources.

White River Salmon Association
PO Box 177
White River Junction, VT 05001

contact: Andrew Stout, President
phone: 802/296-2644

goals: To support the Cooperative (state/federal) Atlantic Salmon Restoration Program, as well as implementing scientific and educational programs for enhancing the restoration effort in the White River.
current projects: Work with habitat surveys and population estimates to determine the growth, available nursery units, and holding pools, as well as enhancing the survival rate in fresh and marine environments.
resources: Telephone contact; published documents upon request.

WoodenBoat School
PO Box 78, Naskeag Road
Brooklin, ME 04616

contact: Ben Ellison, Karen Jackson
phone: 207/359-4651

goals: To teach wooden boat construction, seamanship, and related crafts to both amateur and professional boatbuilders, sailors, and interested individuals.
current programs: One- and two-week courses in boatbuilding, seamanship, and related subjects.
resources: Free catalog with complete description of the more than fifty courses; 44-acre campus with three shops, waterfront facilities, and a dormitory.

Environmental Organizations

Casco Bay Greens
535 Ocean Ave.
Portland, ME 04103

contact: Ronald Feintech

No further information provided.

Casco Bay Island Development Association, Inc.
P.O. Box 62
Peaks Island, ME 04108

contact: Jean Dyer, President or Gretchen Hall, Secretary
phone: 207/766-3381

goals: To be a voice for the community of Casco Bay Islands, expressing concern for the ecology of Casco Bay and the economic health of the fishing industry.
current programs: An advocacy program to clean up the discharge of sewage into Casco Bay; May 1988 conference on Casco Bay involving state and municipal agencies, and private and non-profit groups.
resources: The knowledge of what it means to live on (and, in the case of some CBIDA members, make a living on) the islands of Casco Bay.

Center for Coastal Studies
Box 826
Provincetown, MA 02657

No further information provided.

Conservation Law Foundation of New England, Inc. (CLF)
3 Joy Street
Boston, MA 02108

contact: Paul Hauge, Emily Bateson
phone: 617/742-2540

goals: The use of law to further the protection and wise management of all of New England's natural resources.
current marine projects: Clean Water Act enforcement actions; NPDES permit challenge on Great Diamond Island in Casco Bay; Study of pollution in Casco Bay
resources: Legal action in court and agency proceedings; studies on toxic contamination of fish/shellfish and on the economic impacts of shellfish closures.

Damariscotta River Association
Box 134
Walpole, ME 04573

contact: Rebecca Brown
phone: 207/644-8154

goals: To educate on issues related to preserving the critical natural resources of the Damariscotta River watershed.
current projects: Land conservation trust; seminar series; and a "River watch" program to ensure compliance with shoreland zoning restrictions.

Earth First!
c/o Gulf of Maine Books
61 Main Street
Brunswick, ME 04011

contact: Gary Lawless

No further information provided.

Environmental Law Institute
University of Maine
246 Deering Avenue
Portland, ME 04102

No further information provided.

Maine Association of Conservation Commissions
74 Main Street
Yarmouth, ME 04096

contact: Bill Seretta

No further information provided.

Maine Audubon Society
118 U.S. Route One, Gilsland Farm
Falmouth, ME 04105

contact: Marine Program Director or
Bill Hancock, Public Information
phone: 207/781-2330

goals: To promote the wise use of Maine's environment through research, education, and advocacy.
current programs: Shorebird habitat restoration and protection; shellfish management and public aquaculture; pollution abatement advocacy; wetland protection advocacy; Sea Fair, an annual marine education festival held during Coastweek (early October).
resources: Information on coastal sanctuaries; Scarborough Marsh Nature Center (open to the public from mid-June to Labor Day; school programs for K-12 during May and June); Mast Landing Nature Day Camp has a two-week "Wonders of Water" session for children in grades 3-5; Habitat, a journal published seven times/year, covers some marine topics; a Teacher's Resource Center offers marine and environmental curriculum for teachers of K-12; and field trips, many of them along the coast.

Maine Audubon - Downeast Chapter
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

contact: Nina Gormley

No further information provided.

Maine Audubon - Penobscot Chapter
125 North Main Street
Orono, ME 04473

contact: Alice Kelley

No further information provided.

Maine Audubon - Schoodic Chapter
RFD 1, Box 149A
Lubec, ME 04652

contact: Nancy Nielson

No further information provided.

Maine Coast Heritage Trust
167 Park Row, Brunswick, ME 04011
PO Box 426, Northeast Harbor, ME 04662

contact: James J. Espy, Jr., President
207/729-7366 (Brunswick)
phone: 207/276-5156 (NE Harbor.)

goals: To protect land that is essential to the character of Maine, particularly along its coastline and on its islands.
current programs: Ongoing programs to assist landowners who wish to voluntarily conserve important coastal lands, and programs to assist communities and local land trusts in conserving important local land resources.
resources: Nine employees in two offices who provide direct assistance and drafting to landowners, land trusts, and policy makers. Special expertise in negotiating conservation easements and in negotiating the acquisition of protected lands.

Maine Green Party
RFD 2, Box 245
Gardiner, ME 04345

contact: Alan Philbrook

No further information provided.

Merrymeeting Audubon Society
A Chapter of National Audubon
RFD 3, Box 2710
Wiscasset, ME 04578

contact: Tom Gardiner

No further information provided.

Merrymeeting Greens
RFD 1, Box 73
Bowdoinham, ME 04008

contact: John Rensenbrink

No further information provided.

Mid-Coast Audubon Society
A Chapter of National Audubon
Box 862
Rockland, ME 04841

contact: C.W. Provost, President
phone: 207/354-6817

goals: To understand and preserve Maine's natural environment along the coast through education, demonstration, publications, and leadership.
current projects: Audubon Adventures (for grades 3-6); 3-4 scholarships to the National Audubon Ecology Camp; Audubon Explorers' summer program (for ages 10-15); adult education courses; 15 coastal and marine field trips; ecology workshops; management of two coastal wildlife refuges; and construction of cavity nest boxes.
resources: Library with five films and VHS environmental programs for loan; 20 slide-illustrated programs on a wide range of nature subjects with presenters, speakers' bureau, and naturalists/field trip leaders available; monthly programs open to public; and a bi-monthly newsletter.

National Audubon Society
Northeast Regional Office
RR 1, Box 171
Sharon, CT 06069

No further information provided.

Natural Resources Council of Maine
271 State Street
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Beth Nagusky, Staff Attorney
phone: 207/622-3101

goals: The Council is a non-profit, independent citizen's organization dedicated to protecting Maine's environment through a program of advocacy, education, and legal defense.
current marine projects: The Council is involved in a variety of advocacy efforts including protection of marine resources and marine-based industry, and work on coastal growth management. It has been active on issues such as overboard discharge, wetlands, sand dunes, and offshore oil development.
resources: A monthly newsletter, Maine Environment.

New England Interstate Water Pollution Control Commission
85 Merrimac Street
Boston, MA 02116

contact: Ronald Poltak
phone: 617/367-8522

goals: To provide guidance and assistance to the New England states in protecting surface and groundwater resources.
current programs: Technical assistance in wetlands protection; underground storage tank program; groundwater protection program; and assistance in the development of a state revolving loan program under the Federal Water Quality Act.
resources: Publications, slide shows, video cassettes, and films on underground storage tanks, groundwater protection, acid precipitation, and wastewater treatment plant operation; a quarterly newsletter on regional and national water-related issues.

Northeast Audubon Society
PO Box 896
Presque Isle, ME 04769

contact: Steve Selva

No further information provided.

Outdoor Ethics Guild
General Delivery
Bucks Harbor, ME 04618

contact: Bruce Bandurski

No further information provided.

Pemaquid Watershed Association
PO Box 552
Damariscotta, ME 04543

contact: Mac Rogers, Doris Balant
phone: 207/529-5395 or 563-1216

goals: To protect and enhance the beauty of ponds and streams that make up the Pemaquid waterway by guarding against pollution and helping preserve the watershed's environmental health. PWA is also a land trust (see listing in Appendix G).

Prouts Neck Audubon Society
PO Box 3147
Prouts Neck, ME 04074

contact: Mrs. Charles Lee,
Mr. G. A. Rockefeller
phone: 207/883-2676

goals: To protect the coastal islands of Bluff and Stratton, and their bird populations.
current project: Reintroduction of common terns and petrels.
resources: Note -- this Audubon chapter is active only in summer months (during the birds' breeding season).

Saco River Corridor Commission
PO Box 283
Cornish, ME 04020

contact: Margaret Roy

No further information provided.

Save Our Environment
349 Evans Street
South Portland, ME 04106

contact: Gene Gendron

No further information provided.

Sheepscot Valley Conservation Association, Inc.
P.O. Box 125
Alna, ME 04535

contact: Nicholas Barth
phone: 207/586-6455

goals: To protect, preserve, and enhance the natural and cultural resources and ecological balance of the Sheepscot River watershed area.
current projects: Land trust; natural resource and cultural inventory of the lower Sheepscot River watershed. Natural resource inventory of the Lower Dyer River watershed.
resources: Results of the inventories; SVCA newsletter.

Sierra Club (Maine Chapter)
RR 2, Box 98A
Freeport, ME 04032

contact: Joan B. Saxe
phone: 207/865-3648

goals: Grassroots organizing to protect the environment, promote awareness, protect wildlife and the wilderness.
current marine projects: (1) Protect the marine habitats and wetlands of Sears Island; (2) help obtain funds for Rachel Carson Wildlife Preserve; and (3) work on the annual coastal cleanup.
resources: 1,500 Maine members devoted to environmental issues.

Straight Bay Association
RFD 1, Box 149A
Lubec, ME 04652

contact: Nancy L. Nielsen
phone: 207/733-2194

goals: To further an appreciation of the Cobscook Bay area as it exists and to promote occupations and ways of life that are compatible with the bay's environment and culture.
current projects: Newsletter; support of educational programs in local schools; coordination of coastal information for members and the public.
resources: Library on tidal power issues; speakers.

The Nature Conservancy:
Maine Chapter
P.O. Box 338, 122 Main Street
Topsham, ME 04086

contact: Barbara Vickery, John Albright
phone: 207/729-5181

***goals*:** To identify and protect the full array of natural diversity, specifically rare and endangered plant, animal, and natural communities.
***current programs*:** Maintenance of 36 island preserves (17 of which are open for careful day use); field trip program (five boat trips offered in 1988).
resources: Brochure on use of the Nature Conservancy island preserves; a guidebook to Preserves, called Maine Forever; a Heritage Program data base on the locations of rare and endangered species (land-based ones -- does not include marine flora/fauna).

The Wildlife Society
Hedin Hall, Box 1298
Bangor, ME 04401

contact: Alan G. Clark

No further information provided.

York County Audubon Society
A Chapter of National Audubon
Brifham Road
Eliot, ME 03903

contact: Edison Pike

No further information provided.

Marine Trade Organizations

Maine Aquaculture Association
PO Box 535
Damariscotta, ME 04543

contact: Richard Clime, Brian Tarbox
phone: 207/563-8168 or 829-5567

***goals*:** To promote aquaculture.
***current projects*:** To promote aquaculture among state legislators; to promote programs to preserve coastal access for marine-dependent uses (particularly food production); and to provide information concerning technical advances to our constituents.
resources: Speakers, slideshows, etc.

Maine Fishermen's Cooperative Association
53 Ocean View Ave.
South Portland, ME 04106

contact: Arthur J. Odlin
phone: 207/799-5981

***goals*:** To represent Maine fishermen in work with federal, state, and local governments to establish fishery policies and promote conservation.
current projects: Work with the New England Fishery Management Council in a program of conservation engineering.

Maine Fishermen's Wives' Association
Suite 278, 295 Forest Avenue
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Terry Jordan, President or
Vicki Hopkins, Vice President
phone: 207/772-6062 (Jordan)
207/797-9317 (Hopkins)

goals: To promote greater understanding of the fishing industry, and to develop more recognition for the fishermen and their products.
***resources*:** No resources are available at present; however, plans are underway for a central information office in Portland that would provide written materials.

Maine Harbor Masters Association
Marine Trade Center, Portland Fish Pier, Suite 203
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Alfred Trefry, III
phone: 207/772-4777

No further information provided.

Maine Import*Export Lobster Dealer's Association
PO Box 235
Tenants Harbor, ME 04860

contact: Peter Larsen, President
phone: 207/372-6331

goals: To promote the conservation of stock and the economic well-being of Maine's lobster industry.
***current projects*:** Political lobbying to educate and promote a viable lobster fishing industry along Maine's coast, especially in the context of pressure from coastal development.

Maine Lobstermen's Association
Box 607
Damariscotta, ME 04543

contact: Ed Blackmore
phone: 207/563-5254

No further information provided.

Maine Marine Alliance
PO Box 189
South Freeport, ME 04078

contact: Arthur Brendze
phone: 207/967-5550

goals: To bring together all marine-related organizations to promote marine interests; lobby, educate, and inform the public and public officials about issues of importance to marine interests; and to provide mutual support and communication to members.

Maine Marine Trades Association
PO Box 189
South Freeport, ME 04078

contact: Walton A. Baker, Exec. Secretary
phone: 207/865-4575

goals: An association of boat-related businesses (e.g., boatyards, boatbuilders, marinas, sailmakers, yacht brokers, and marine product wholesalers) to promote and protect, through joint membership efforts, the marine businesses of Maine.
current projects: Identification of coastal sites suitable for water-dependent businesses (in cooperation with the Maine Coastal Program); ongoing review of legislation relating to marine and coastal Issues.

Maine Recreational Boaters Association
30 Exchange Street
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Richard Anderson, President
phone: 207/774-2458

Maine Sardine Council
PO Box 337, 470 N. Main Street
Brewer, ME 04412

contact: Jeff Kaelin, Executive Director
phone: 207/989-2180

goals: To promote, develop and stabilize the Maine Sardine Industry through promoting better methods of production, packing, merchandising, and advertising in the industry.
current projects: Operates the industry's quality control laboratory; represents the industry's interests before Congress, the Maine Legislature, and federal/state agencies; and promotes consumption of sardines.
resources: Information on the economic impact of Maine's sardine industry, as well as other sectors of Maine and New England's fishing industry; occasional modest grants for research that will benefit fisheries management in Maine.

Maine Science and Technology Board
One Memorial Circle
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Tish Tanski
phone: 207/622-6345

goals: To improve Maine's economic competitiveness through access to science and technology.
current marine projects: Technology development grant to the Maine Fishermen's Forum to develop hydroacoustical fish population survey technology and to analyze the effectiveness of square mesh nets.
resources: Grants are available for a range of industries: since 1986, marine and aquaculture projects have received 45 percent of available funding. Two or three "Centers of Innovation" may be developed in the future to provide more grants.

Maine Weirman's Association
Milbridge, ME 04658

contact: Bertram Crosby

No further information provided.

Maine Windjammer Association
PO Box 317
Rockport, ME 04856

contact: George Douglas, William Hines
phone: 1-800-624-6380

goals: To continue the golden age of sail and increase coastal tourism.
resources: Brochures on the windjammers and video tapes of windjammers sailing in Penobscot Bay.

Pound Keeper's Association
c/o Keene Narrow Lobster, Inc.
Keene Neck Road
Medomak, ME 04551

contact: Loyall Sewall

No further information provided.

Maritime History Museums/Historical Associations

Downeast Maritime Museum
P.O. Box 98
Eastport, ME 04631

contact: William Cook, Joyce Weber
phone: 207/726-5048 (Cook)
207/853-4239 (Weber)

goals: To educate the public through documentation and preservation of the Downeast and Maritime Region's unique natural and historical heritage.
current projects: Currently, a multi-faceted, regional marine/maritime museum and educational center is being established. By Summer 1988, there will be a few initial exhibits and community programs.

The Fishermen's Museum
Pemaquid Point, ME 04554

contact: Mrs. Mary Norton Orrick
phone: 207/677-2494 or 677-2676

resources: Displays of fishing techniques, past and present; charts; a lens like the one in the lighthouse; old photographs; boat models and half-models; wall-sized chart of the coast of Maine; and pictures of all Maine's lighthouses with a numbered key showing their locations on the chart.

Maine Archaeological Society
Department of Anthropology
University of Maine
Orono, ME 04469

No further information provided.

Maine Citizens for Historic Preservation
50 Danforth Street
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Aileen Agnew

No further information provided.

Maine Historic Preservation Commission
55 Capital Street, Station 65
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Arthur E. Spiess
phone: 207/289-2132

goals: To conduct a statewide survey of historic and archaeological resources and to protect these resources.
current projects: Coastal surveys for prehistoric and historic archaeological sites, including Native American shell-heaps, early colonial settlements, and shipwrecks. Analysis of prehistoric food animal remains (shellfish, fish, marine mammals, birds) from coastal shell-heaps.
resources: Historic and prehistoric site inventories, as well as architectural inventories; evolving state plan (2 volumes) establishing survey and protection priorities; early photograph archives; slide collections; bibliographies; file survey reports; published scientific studies.

Maine Historical Society
485 Congress Street
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Elizabeth J. Miller, Director
phone: 207/774-1822

goals: To collect, preserve, and teach the history of Maine.
resources: A library with over 60,000 volumes, including a wide range of marine topics (e.g., marine fauna, marine paintings, mariner's churches, marine disasters, and shipbuilding). Museum Collections (of over 5,000 items) including coastal maps, sketches and drawings of fishing vessels (all well-catalogued), and over 40 marine paintings.

Maine League of Historical Societies and Museums
Stone House
Phippsburg, ME 04562

contact: Dorris A. Isaacson

No further information provided.

Maine Maritime Museum
Washington Street
Bath, ME 04530

contact: Denis M. Thoet or Arthur Brendze
phone: 207/442-7401

goals: To preserve and promote Maine's maritime history, including seafaring, shipbuilding, fisheries, coastal trades, shore and island life, and social history.
current projects: "Lobstering and the Maine Coast" exhibit and publications; shipbuilding and small craft construction program at the Apprenticeshop; major new exhibit on maritime history to open in June 1989; Sherman Zwicker, 142-foot cod-fishing boat at shipyard with on-board exhibits.
resources: Exhibits; exhibit areas; videos on fisheries; boat construction; archives and library facilities; genealogies; publications; restored fishing vessel (circa 1830s); and special events.

Sailor's Memorial Museum at Grindle Point Lighthouse
West Side Road, Box 172
Islesboro, ME 04848

contact: Henry Hayden, Scott Rolerson
phone: 207/734-6719

goals: To evaluate, catalog, and properly display a collection of artifacts in this lighthouse museum.
resources: A collection of marine-related artifacts of this lighthouse's history. Grindle Point is one of the oldest lighthouses and keeper's quarters in Maine.

The Lighthouse Preservation Society
Box 736
Rockport, MA 01966

contact: James Hyland, Valerie Nelson
phone: 617/281-6336

goals: A non-profit organization (incorporated in Maine) that seeks to preserve and document American lighthouses.
current projects: Successful proposal for a $1 million federal bicentennial lighthouse fund (for repair of endangered lighthouses); information clearinghouse for local organizations that wish to restore their lights.
resources: Slide show lecture on lighthouse preservation; lighthouse travelling exhibit; a newsletter for members; and consultants for local lighthouse preservation organizations.

The Peary-MacMillan Arctic Museum
Hubbard Hall, Bowdoin College
Brunswick, ME 04011

contact: Dr. Susan A. Kaplan, Director
phone: 207/725-3289

goals: Education and research concerning the history of Arctic exploration, Arctic anthropology and ecology, and modern issues of Arctic economic development and sociology.
current marine projects: Staff research on the Maritime societies of Labrador and Alaska 1000 A.D. to the present, and the Scandinavian North Atlantic islands, 800 A.D. to the present.
resources: Artifact collections and a photographic archive, covering mostly Arctic topics, but with some photographs of coastal Maine. The Special Collections Division of the Hawthorne-Longfellow Library at Bowdoin College contains the personal papers and photographs of Donald B. MacMillan and Robert Bartlett, both renowned Arctic explorers and sea captains.

Penobscot Marine Museum
Church Street
Searsport, ME 04974

contact: Janice Kasper
phone: 207/548-2529

goals: To help educate the people of Maine about their maritime heritage and the history of Searsport, a town which -- a century ago -- produced one-tenth of all deep-water shipmasters. The museum's seven buildings contain many varied exhibits related to the area's maritime past.
current programs: On exhibit at the museum are navigational instruments, ship models, a diorama about the Penobscot expedition, ship construction tools, and a small craft exhibit. The museum also offers a diverse collection of marine paintings, an exhibit on the "Challenge of Down Easters" and a 5,000-volume library.
resources: Year-round educational programming (both in-school and on-site museum programs); special programs; slide presentations; travelling programs; films and videos; and an educatonal brochure. Lectures and film series are presented at the museum year-round.

Shore Village Museum
104 Limerick Street
Rockland, ME 04841

contact: Ken Black, Robert N. Davis
phone: 207/594-4950

goals: To display artifacts concerning the Coast Guard, Civil War, and the City of Rockland in historical times.
current programs: The museum offers the largest collection of lighthouse lenses on display anywhere in the United States. The Coast Guard Collection includes many marine-related objects.
resources: Speakers are available for programs concerning lighthouses and museum-related subjects.

U.S. Lighthouse Society
964 Cherry Street
San Francisco, CA 94131

contact: Wayne Wheeler, Tanja Rabbitt
phone: 415/585-1303

goals: To coordinate lighthouse preservation efforts through research and communications; to maintain a research library and photo archives of lighthouses and aids to navigation; to establish a national lighthouse museum and a national fog signal museum; and to conduct regional tours of lighthouses.
current projects: Regional lighthouse tours (Maine, October 1987); restoring a lightship; hosting the U.S. Lighthouse Service Bicentennial (Fall 1989, Newport, RI), and publishing a quarterly magazine.
resources: Comprehensive research library and photo archives; speakers bureau; and help in conducting research for local groups.

Parks/Sanctuaries

Acadia National Park
PO Box 177
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

contact: Lois Winter, Deb Wade
phone: 207/288-3338

goals: To preserve the scenery, wildlife, and natural and historic objects of Acadia's parklands for the enjoyment of present and future generations.
current programs: An ongoing, interpretive program schedule offering up to 120 programs on Acadia's cultural and natural history each week; a resource management and science program designed to monitor and protect Park resources.
resources: Publications (list available on request); AV materials (15-minute orientation to park on 16 mm film available for free loan); regularly scheduled program of interpretive activities; environmental education programs for kids grades 3-6; other special interpretive programs are presented, as staffing permits; and internships and volunteer work experiences are available.

Petit Manan National Wildlife Refuge
PO Box 279
Milbridge, ME 04658

contact: Thomas Goettel, Refuge Manager
phone: 207/546-2124

goals: To preserve and manage habitat for migratory birds and endangered species; environmental education.
current projects: Colonial seabird management programs on Petit Manan and Seal Islands; bald eagle environmental education programs; interpretive displays and hiking trails on Petit Manan Point, Steuben.
resources: Small library and two boats.

Rachel Carson National Wildlife Refuge
RR2, Box 751
Wells, ME 04090

contact: Andrew French, Refuge Manager
phone: 207/646-9226

goals: To give the public access to a protected estuary and opportunity for birdwatching, nature study, wildlife photography, picnicking, and hiking.
current programs: The 3,200-acre refuge is made up of nine separate divisions that are located along the coast between Kittery and Cape Elizabeth, with more refuge lands still being acquired. Only at the refuge headquarters in Wells are there visitor facilities (e.g., parking, exhibits, and information). There is also a one-mile-long, wheelchair-accessible, interpretive nature trail at Wells that allows visitors to experience a portion of the estuarine ecosystem.
resources: Bird lists; trail guide; refuge brochures; and general U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service publications. The refuge is open sunrise to sunset, year-round.

Wells National Estuarine Research Reserve
PO Box 1559
Wells, ME 04090

contact: James T. List
phone: 207/646-4521

***goals*:** To provide a setting for long-term estuarine research, provide a place where people can learn about the cultural and natural history of estuarine areas, and allow low-intensity recreational activities.
***current projects*:** Two research projects: a study of pollution and disease in eelgrasses and a study of whether life-history strategies or habitat availability determine critical habitats. The Reserve has docents who conduct educational programs for scheduled groups of schoolchildren, scouts, clubs, civic groups, and the general public.
***resources*:** An interpretive visitors' center is being constructed, with classroom facilities and a research lab. There are several miles of trails and three interpretive overlooks available for public use on the more than 1,600 acres of estuary and upland.

For a listing of state parks along the coast, please see Appendix B.

Planning/Municipal Assistance

Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments
70 Court Street
Auburn, ME 04210

contact: John Jaworski, Director

No further information available.

Cumberland County Soil & Water Conservation District
587 Spring Street
Westbrook, ME 04092

contact: Jody Smith, Resource Conservationist or Betty Farley, Office Manager
phone: 207/856-6108

goals: To help conserve soil, water, and related resources.
current projects: Urban Conservation Program -- technical assistance to municipalities and others in the area of erosion/sediment control and stormwater management.
resources: Cumberland County Soil Survey; Soil Interpretation Records; aerial photographs; Soil Conservation Service standards and specifications; technical publications; other soils-related information.

Down East Resource Conservation & Development Organization
PO Box 210
Cherryfield, ME 04622

contact: Dana Nelson, Coordinator
phone: 207/546-2368

goals: To provide local leadership for developing and carrying out a plan of orderly conservation, improvement, development, and wise use of natural resources.
current marine projects: Milbridge Medical Center - bank stabilization; Seal Cove access ramp; Hancock Town Wharf reconstruction; Cherryfield boat access sites on Narraguagus River; Lubec Coast Guard Facility Use -- established marine research station.
resources: USDA - Soil Conservation Service; 19 council members representing 14 sponsoring agencies and units of government; office facility, including conference room, in Cherryfield; established resource committees dealing with agriculture, community support, fisheries and wildlife, forest resources, marine resources, peat resources, and tourism.

Eastern Maine Development Corporation/ Penobscot Valley Council of Governments
10 Franklin Street
Bangor, ME 04401

contact: Don Meagher, Director or Betsy Bass, Coastal Coordinator
phone: 207/942-6389

goals: To provide technical assistance, community development assistance, and planning expertise to local governments and businesses; and to assist in public infrastructure and business development programs.
current marine projects: Assistance to various communities for breakwater, fish pier, port and marina development; work on coastal zone management, shoreland zoning, public access, harbor management, and maritime activity zones.
resources: Technical assistance in planning, community development, and drafting and administering land use management ordinances; assistance gaining access to state and federal grants; library resources; and map inventory and cartographic services.

Eastern Mid-coast Planning Commission
9 Water Street
Rockland, ME 04841

contact: Patricia A. Jennings, Director or
Tom Ford, Coastal Coordinator
phone: 207/594-2299

goals: To promote and assist towns within the Commission's district in wise land use.
current programs: Full-time coastal coordinator provides direct technical assistance to coastal community planning boards and local officials; Technical assistance is also given for comprehensive plans, mapping, and comprehensive ordinances.
resources: Resource library with current publications, periodicals, comprehensive plans, and ordinances; full-time staff providing direct technical assistance; newsletter; basic training workshops for planning boards; ordinances and comprehensive plans on computer disks; **discanted (??)** computerized mapping project; grant writing; and community development.

Greater Portland Council of Governments
233 Oxford Street
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Kathleen Leyden, Director of Community Planning Services or
Steven Butler, Coastal Coordinator
phone: 207/774-9891

goals: To provide technical assistance to Greater Portland communities in the areas of coastal resource protection, land use, and growth management.
current marine projects: Workshop series on coastal and related planning issues; administering technical assistance through the Maine Coastal Program; developing a program on Casco Bay harbor management.
resources: Library of materials from the Maine Coastal Program; staff of 5 land planners, 2 environmental planners, and research staff; clearinghouse on coastal issues, coastal land planning/programs; Greater Portland Data Service.

Hancock County Regional Planning Commission
69 Main Street
Ellsworth, ME 04605

contact: James A. Drew, Director or
Elizabeth Hooper, Coastal Coordinator
phone: 207/667-7131

goals: To advise and assist Hancock County communities with local planning issues and problems.
current marine projects: Gouldsboro Access Study; Mount Desert's Comprehensive Harbor and Waterfront Study; Stonington's Comprehensive Plan; and Tremont's Waterfront Strategy and Action Plan.
resources: Data storage; bi-monthly newsletter; library; informational reports; model ordinances; and training video tapes.

Hancock County Soil & Water Conservation District
Federal Building, 41 Main Street
Ellsworth, ME 04605

contact: Daniel Schmidt
phone: 207/667-8663

goals: To provide resource conservation planning, technical assistance, information, and education to cooperators, schools, local governments, and individuals.
current marine projects: Coastal shoreline stabilization project in Lamoine; erosion control and water quality conservation practices; erosion and sediment control plan reviews.
resources: Shoreline stabilization designs; critical area seeding plans; district conservationist; land use planning; and soil surveys.

Kennebec County Soil & Water Conservation District
Federal Building, Room 408-C
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Barbara Arms
phone: 207/622-8250

No further information provided.

Knox-Lincoln Soil & Water Conservation District
Route One
Waldoboro, ME 04572

contact: Trudy Soucy
phone: 207/832-4292

No further information provided.

Maine Association of Planners (MAP)
c/o Maine Department of Economic and Community Development, Station 130
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Sherry Hanson
phone: 207/289-3154

goals: To improve the standards and quality of planning, provide for the professional development of members, and promote public understanding of the role of sound planning.
current projects: MAP is concerned with the proper use of all environmental resources. Two of its activities affect coastal issues: (1) efforts to promote public awareness of and participation in sound planning and (2) review and comment on legislative initiatives that affect planning.
resources: Workshops on planning practices, tools, emerging issues, and legislative agendas; a bimonthly newsletter and an annual membership directory to aid members in locating others with common interests, training, etc.; and an annual meeting held each June on the Maine coast.

Maine Municipal Association
Community Drive
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Kay Rand, Rebecca Warren Seele
phone: 207/623-8428

goals: To strengthen the quality of local governments in Maine.
current marine projects: Assistance to towns in developing zoning ordinances; local code enforcement; and legal affairs.
resources: Legal, advisory, and technical services; directory of resources.

Mid-Coast Resource Utilization Consortium
US Route 1, Box 12
Waldoboro, ME 04572

contact: Dawn Genes
phone: 207/832-5348

goals: To demonstrate the feasibility of a large-scale fish by-product composting operation in the mid-coastal area.
current projects: Demonstration of compost production, crop response, and potting mix potential.
resources: Reports on compost processing and data, compostable by-products in the mid-coastal area, and market surveys; and speakers.

Penobscot County Soil & Water Conservation District
89 Hillside Avenue
Bangor, ME 04401

contact: Roberta Fleming
phone: 207/6622

No further information provided.

Southern Kennebec Planning & Development Commission
125 State Street
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Sue Burns

No further information provided.

Southern Maine Regional Planning Commission
2 School Street, PO Box Q
Sanford, ME 04073

contact: Madge Baker, Director or
Caroline Eliot, Coastal Coordinator
phone: 207/324-2952

goals: To provide professional planning services to all municipalities within our geographic boundaries.
current marine projects: One full-time coastal coordinator works with twelve coastal communities to emphasize improved administration and enforcement of the subdivision law and mandatory shoreland zoning.
resources: Library with reports, studies, and data on coastal issues; videos on growth management issues.

Time & Tide Resource Conservation & Development Area
US Route 1, Box 12
Waldoboro, ME 04572

contact: Dawn Genes
phone: 207/832-5348

goals: To improve the social and economic environment through management and use of natural resources.
current projects: Growth management seminars; drafting model erosion and sediment control ordinanaces.
resources: Assistance with organizing public activities, grant writing, and networking with other organizations and agencies.

Waldo County Soil & Water Conservation District
PO Box 364
Belfast, ME 04915

contact: Evelyn Weggler
phone: 207/338-2320

No further information provided.

Washington County Regional Planning Commission
63 Main Street
Machias, ME 04654

contact: L.C. Nick Greer, Director
Glenn Avery, Coastal Coordinator
phone: 207/255-8686

goals: To provide planning assistance and advisory services to municipalities; preparation of area-wide plans.
current marine projects: Shoreland zoning; subdivision and harbor management planning; water-access planning and grant preparation.
resources: Staff of four persons.

Washington County Soil & Water Conservation District
PO Box 121
Machias, ME 04654

contact: Nathan Pennell, District Manager
phone: 207/255-3995

***goals*:** To help protect and produce resources and improve economic development.
***current projects*:** Erosion control; water quality protection; approved wasted disposal; critical habitat protection; and central planning and development.
***resources*:** Project planning assistance; project evaluation and review; coordination and assistance with other local, state, federal agencies; information referral; and services of the Soil Conservation Service.

York County Soil & Water Conservation District
PO Box 392
Sanford, ME 04073

contact: Betty Wildes
phone: 207/324-7015

No further information provided.

State Agencies

Critical Areas Program
Maine State Planning Office
184 State Street, Station 38
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Hank Tyler, Trish DeHond
phone: 207/289-3261

goals: To identify, document, and coordinate the conservation of natural areas and rare plants in Maine; and to compile the Register of Critical Areas, an Official List of Endangered Plants, and a list of Heritage Coastal Areas.
current marine projects: Inventories of Critical Areas and Natural Areas on the Maine coast, including a recent survey of cobble beaches in Penobscot Bay, and significant bedrock features from Pemaquid to Calais.
resources: Listing of Critical Areas for the Maine coast; 88 planning reports; 112 botanical fact sheets; The Landowner's Options; 30 educational brochures; and 6 maps of natural areas and critical areas along Maine's coast.

Finance Authority of Maine (FAME)
83 Western Avenue, PO Box 949
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Karen Lazareth
phone: 207/623-3263

goals: To provide financial services that assist the establishment and growth of Maine businesses.
current marine projects: Long-term fixed or variable-rate financing for seafood processors; loan guarantees for fixed assets and working capital needs; direct loans for occupational safety improvements; grants for research and applied technology; and export financing.

Maine Coastal Program
Maine State Planning Office
184 State Street, Station 38
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: David Keeley, Director or
Flis Schauffler, Communications Coordinator
phone: 207/289-3261

goals: To achieve an appropriate balance between conservation and development in the coastal area; to help preserve the ecological integrity of coastal waters and the Gulf of Maine; and to encourage cooperative state/municipal management of coastal resources.
current projects: Support for municipal construction of waterfront parks and boating facilities along the coast; work to ensure the continuation of working waterfronts and shoreline access for the public; a "Heritage Coastal Areas" program; technical assistance and land use planning for coastal towns (see listing for the Department of Economic and Community Development); and coordination of Coastweek events.
resources: Technical assistance and land-use planning (through several state agencies and seven coastal councils); publications (on municipal planning, public access, and general information on a range of coastal issues); two travelling displays; Coastweek information; slideshows (on coastal resources, growth management, and marine plastics) and a growing educational video/film library of marine-related films.
departmental divisions: see Figure A (page 39).

Maine Department of Conservation (DOC)
Station 22
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Marshall Wiebe, Public Information
phone: 207/289-4900

***goals*:** To promote the wise use of Maine's natural resources and fulfill other responsibilities as defined by the state.
***current marine programs*:** (1) Management of coastal state parks and historic sites; (2) provision of coastal access for boats; (3) management of coastal educational facility with programs (Wolf Neck Woods, Freeport); (4) Managment of state-owned submerged lands (see listing for Bureau of Public Lands); (5) Planning/zoning for certain coastal islands; (6) Marine geology investigations and mapping; (8) Administration of Coastal Island Registry (see listing for Bureau of Public Lands); and (9) Forest fire and insect protection and forest management assistance.
***resources*:** (a partial listing) "Your Islands on the Coast" (free flyer), "Outdoors in Maine" (free flyer), "Rules and Regulations for State Parks and Memorials" (free), "Maine's Public Facilities for Boats Program" (free), and Coastal Marine Geologic Environmental maps.
departmental divisions: (see Figure B, page 40). Bureau of Parks and Recreation; Bureau of Public Lands; Land Use Regulation Commission; Maine Geological Survey; and the Maine Forest Service.

DOC/Bureau of Public Lands
State House Station 22
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Carol Holden
phone: 207/289-3061

***goals*:** To provide multiple use management for all of the state's public lands, including submerged lands that are held in trust for the benefit of the public.
***current marine programs*:** Submerged Lands Program -- Manage submerged lands for public benefit including fishing, fowling, navigation, and recreation. The Bureau is authorized to grant leases for dredging, filling, erection of permanent structures, and installation of cables and pipelines on submerged lands owned by the state. Coastal Island Registry -- Review titles to determine private-versus-state ownership; and maintain maps and records identifying all islands. Island Recreation Program -- Manage program to provide public with dispersed recreational opportunities on state-owned islands.
***resources*:** Knowledge of state ownership in tidal waters and great ponds; assistance in processing applications that involve these resources; grant leases for appropriate use of state-owned submerged lands; official maps with island registry numbers for all coastal islands; records of state versus private ownership; and natural resource information on islands managed by BPL.

DOC/Land Use Regulation Commission
State House Station 22
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: James St. Pierre
phone: 207/289-2631

***goals*:** Land use planning, zoning, permitting, and enforcement (growth management) in unorganized territories.
***current marine programs*:** Planning, zoning, and permitting activities in two townships, two plantations, and on over 300 islands.

DOC/Maine Geological Survey
State House Station 22
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Steve Dickson, Marine Geology Division
phone: 207/289-2801

goals: To conduct research and phsyical resource inventories of the offshore, nearshore, and estuarine areas of Maine and to provide technical services to other state agencies and public industry.
current marine projects: Map offshore and gravel resources; study the geologic history of saltmarshes, mud flats, and beaches; and evaluate the geologic stability of coastal beaches and bluffs.
resources: Coastal marine geologic environments maps (1:24,000 scale); coastal sand dune maps (1:4,800 scale); topographic maps of coastal lands (several scales); and aerial photographs of coastal regions.

Maine Department of Economic and Community Development
Station 130
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Office of Comprehensive Land Use Planning
phone: 207/289-3154

goals: To provide assistance to municipalities on land use planning, coastal management, and growth management.
current marine programs: The program administers two grant programs: local planning grants and waterfront action grants through the Maine Coastal Program, Community Development Block Grant Program, an the Land and Water Conservation Fund. In addition, the office administers the regional coastal coordinator program and provides technical assistance on coastal issues such as public access and working waterfronts.
resources: Handbooks and technical memoranda; municipal plans and ordinances; technical assistance; and grant programs.
departmental divisions: See Figure C (page 41).

Maine Department of Environmental Protection (DEP)
State House Station 17
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Director of Information and Education
phone: 207/289-7688

goals: The DEP administers environmental regulatory programs in Maine's organized townships.
current marine programs: DEP administers laws affecting coastal wetlands, sand dunes, overboard discharges of treated wastewater, oil pollution, and site location approval of major developments. Research is currently being done into contamination of heavy metals in sediments of coastal estuaries.
resources: (a partial listing) A directory entitled "Environmental Resources of Maine" (1988); citizen's guides to protecting lakes, coastal wetlands, and managing private sewage disposal. Pamphlets on "Clean Water: Our Precious Resource" and "The Air Around Us" and a monthly bulletin, EnvironNews. All publications are free.
departmental divisions: See Figure D (page 42).

Maine Department of Health Services/ Health and Engineering Division
State House Station 10
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Jeff Jenks
phone: 207/289-3826

goals: To conduct regulatory programs dealing with public health issues.
current marine projects: Regulating on-site subsurface wastewater disposal systems; regulating water quality supplied by public water companies; licensing restaurants, motels, and camping areas; and licensing scuba tank filling operations.

Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
Station 41, 284 State Street
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Paul Fournier
phone: 207/289-3371

goals: To ensure that all species of wildlife and aquatic resources in Maine are maintained and perpetuated for their intrinsic and ecological values, their economic contribution, and their recreational, scientific, and educational use by the people of Maine.
current marine projects: Species recovery work on threatened and endangered species (e.g., piping plovers and least terns); identification and management of significant habitats; and public education.
resources: (a partial listing) Maine Fish and Wildlife magazine; lake surveys (copies $0.50); free copies of hunting, fishing, trapping, and watercraft laws; "About Boating Safety" (free); and numerous U.S. Coast Guard boating safety pamphlets.
departmental divisions: See Figure E (page 43).

Maine Department of Marine Resources
State House Station 21
Augusta, ME 04333
Marine Resources Laboratory
and
McKown Point
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME 04575

contact: Lorraine Stubbs, Director, Marine Education
Lewis Flagg, Director, Anadromous Fish
Phillip Averill, Director, Fisheries Technology
Brian Marcotte, Director, Bureau of Marine Sciences
phone: 207/289-2291 (Augusta) or
633-5572 (W. Boothbay Harbor)

goals: (for the Marine Education Division) To increase public awareness of Maine's marine resources by providing curriculum materials, informational materials; demonstrations; teacher workshops; and in-service programs based upon Maine's marine resources.
current projects: Teacher workshops and courses dealing with marine education and the marine environment; talks, slideshows, and videos on using fish as food; in-classroom demonstration programs on fisheries techniques, marine organisms, and the fishing industry.
resources: Speakers; slide programs; video programs; and curriculum materials; booklets and pamphlets related to the marine environment
departmental divisions: See Figure F (page 44).

Maine Department of Transportation/Ports and Marine Transportation Division
State House Station 16
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Russ Spinney, Rob Elder
phone: 207/289-2841

goals: To plan, develop, and maintain marine infrastructure projects in the coastal zone.
current projects: Cargo ports in Eastport, Searsport, and Portland; fish piers; ferry services in Penobscot and Casco Bays; and navigational projects with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (e.g., Jonesport).
resources: Management planning, and marine engineering staff; 14 piers; 6 ferry vessels; Maine Port Authority; and other MDOT services.

Maine Emergency Management Agency/Department of Defense and Veterans' Services
Station 72
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: David Brown
phone: 207/289-4080

goals: Comprehensive emergency management planning and coordination of emergency response for wide-scale emergencies through state, county, and local Emergency Management Agencies.
current projects: Identification of specific hazards; development of emergency operations plans along functional lines; analysis of response capabilities; creation of resource listings; and training of response personnel.
resources: Emergency management planning, guidance and coordination services; publications regarding specific hazards, response activities, and recovery assistance; emergency planning training; radiological preparedness training; and training in the management of hazardous materials emergencies.

Maine State Commission on the Arts and Humanities/Department of Education and Cultural Services
Station 25
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Alden Wilson
phone: 207/289-2724

No further information provided.

Maine State Library
Cultural Building
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Reference staff
phone: 207/289-5600

goals: General library service and statewide library networking and support.
current marine programs: Collect all State of Maine-published documents and many relevant Federal ones; buy marine-related books and make them available; search services in national, online databases.
resources: Schedule: Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. 9-5; Thurs. 9-9; Sat./Sun. 12-5 (No weekend hours in summer).

Maine State Museum
State House Station 83
Augusta, ME 04333

contact: Paul E. Rivard, Director
phone: 207/289-2301

goals: To preserve and present the heritage and unique history of the State of Maine.
current marine projects: Exhibits: Natural history scene -- rocky coast and saltwater marsh; "The Age of Steam and Sail -- Selections from the Allie Ryan Maritime Collection"; "The Defence Story, 1779"; and shipbuilding, sailmaking, and fishing exhibits. Gallery Programs: tide pool specimens, lobstering, sailmaking, "Saving the Defence" Guided Tours: "Age of Steam and Sail," and "Defence Story."
resources: Open weekdays 9-5; Saturdays 10-4; Sundays 1-4.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Federal Building, Room 209
40 Western Avenue
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Jay Clement, Shawn Mahaney
phone: 207/622-8246

goals: To regulate (via a permit program) work in or affecting navigable waters and the discharge of dredged or fill material into all waters and wetlands.
current marine projects: Activities commonly requiring permits include piers, marinas, dredging, filling, moorings, aquaculture, temporary and permanent structures, and utility crossings.

State Planning Office

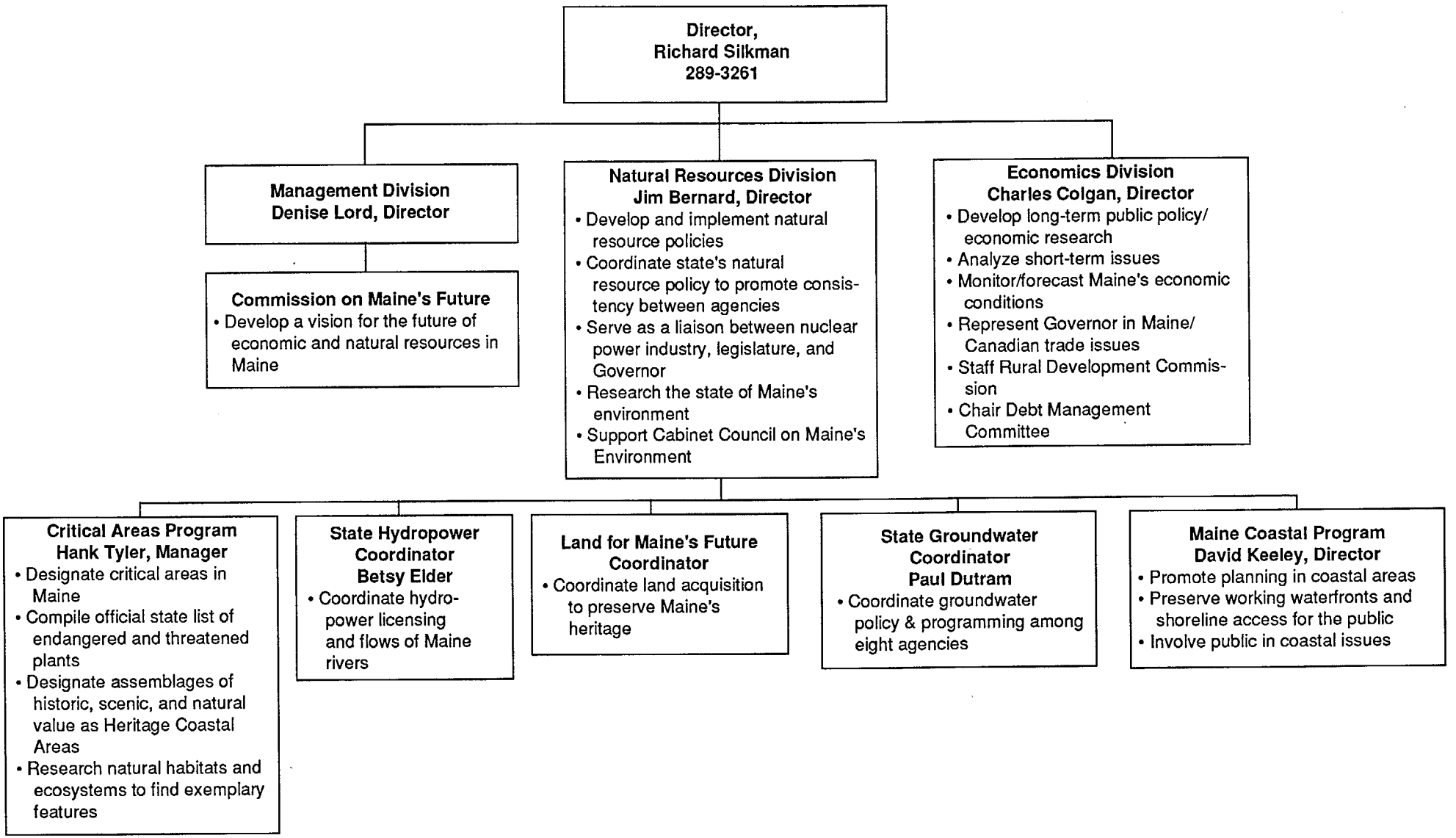


Figure A

Department of Conservation

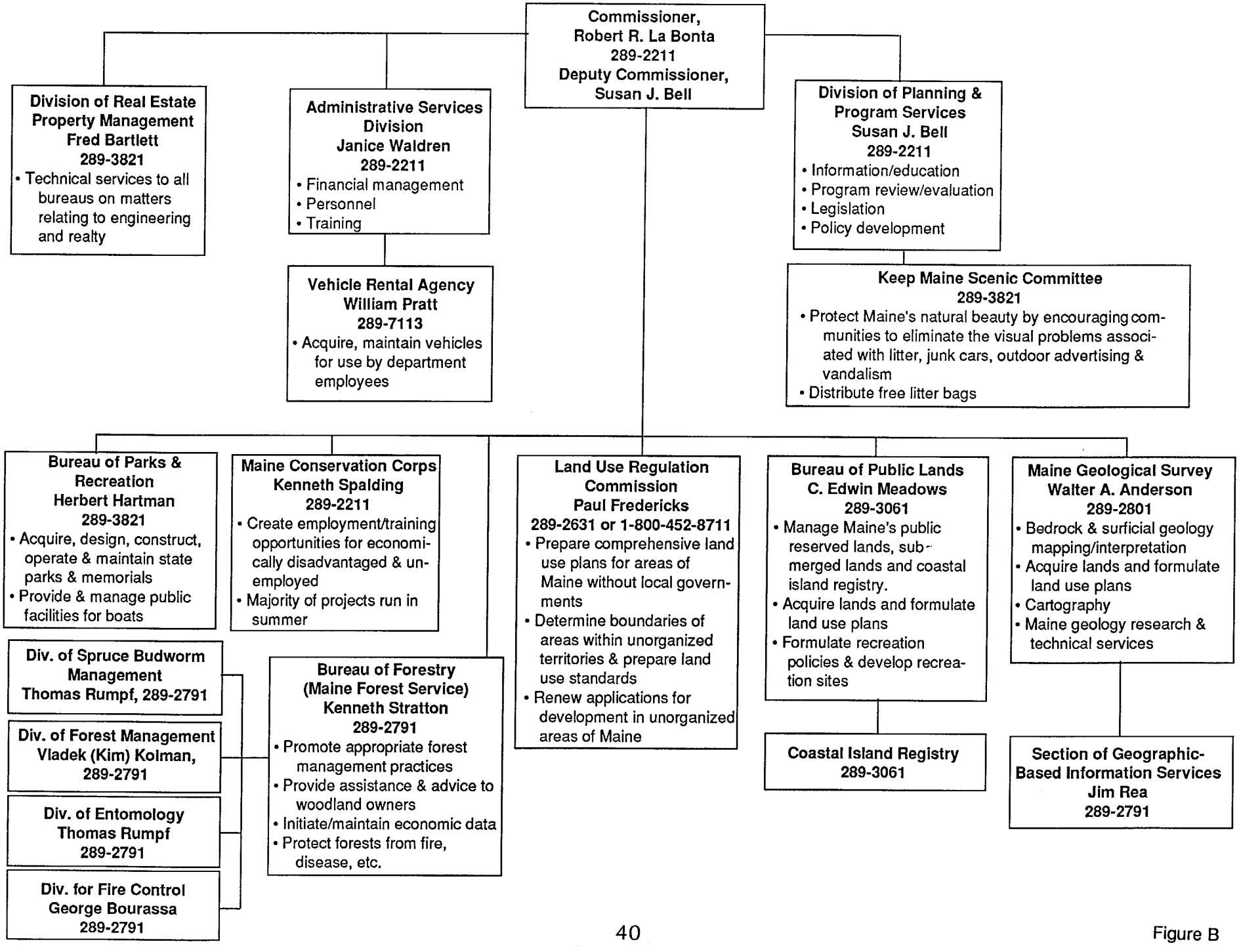


Figure B

Department of Economic and Community Development

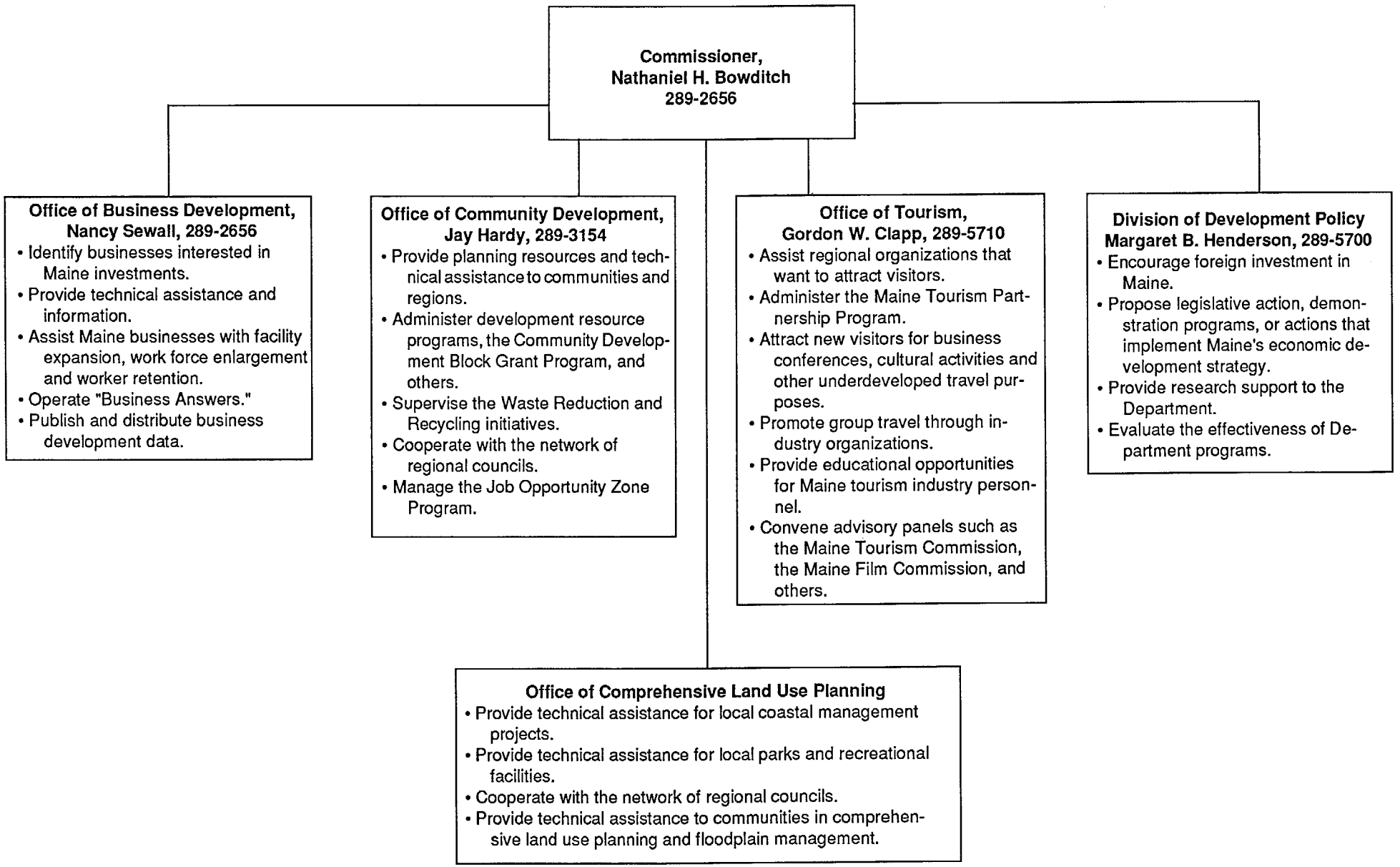
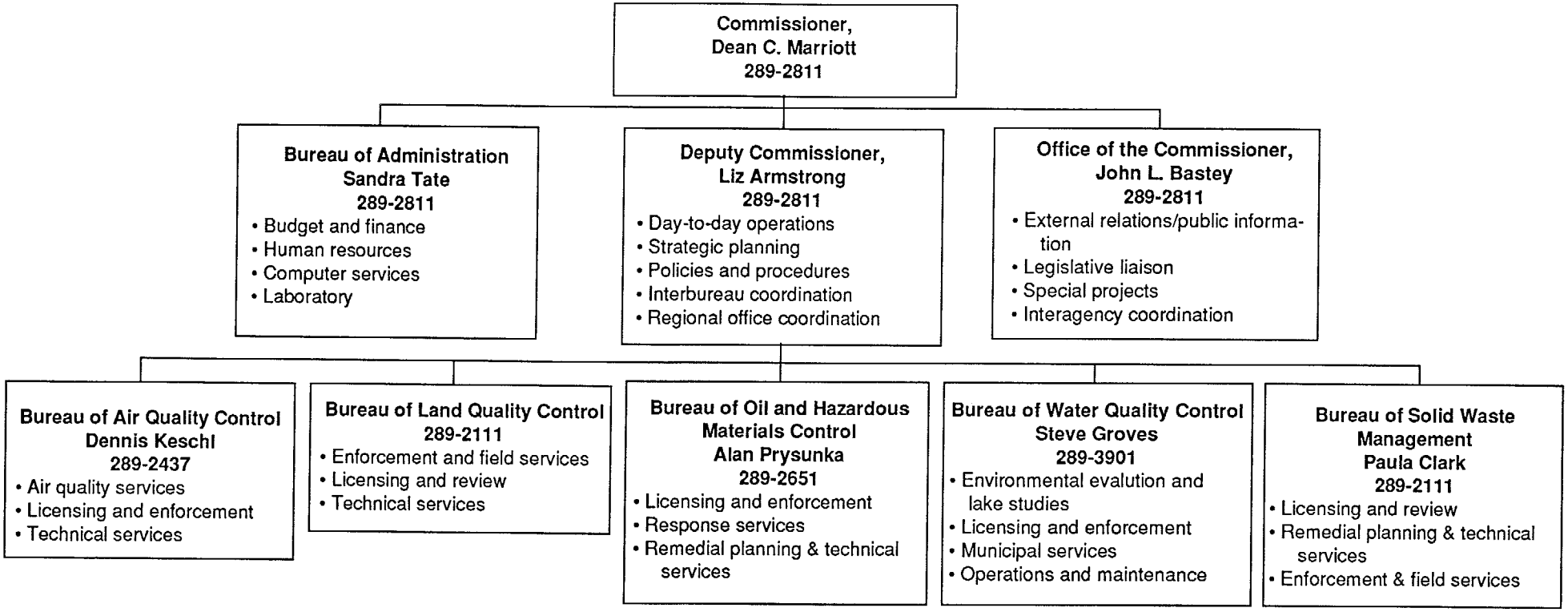


Figure C

Department of Environmental Protection



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Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

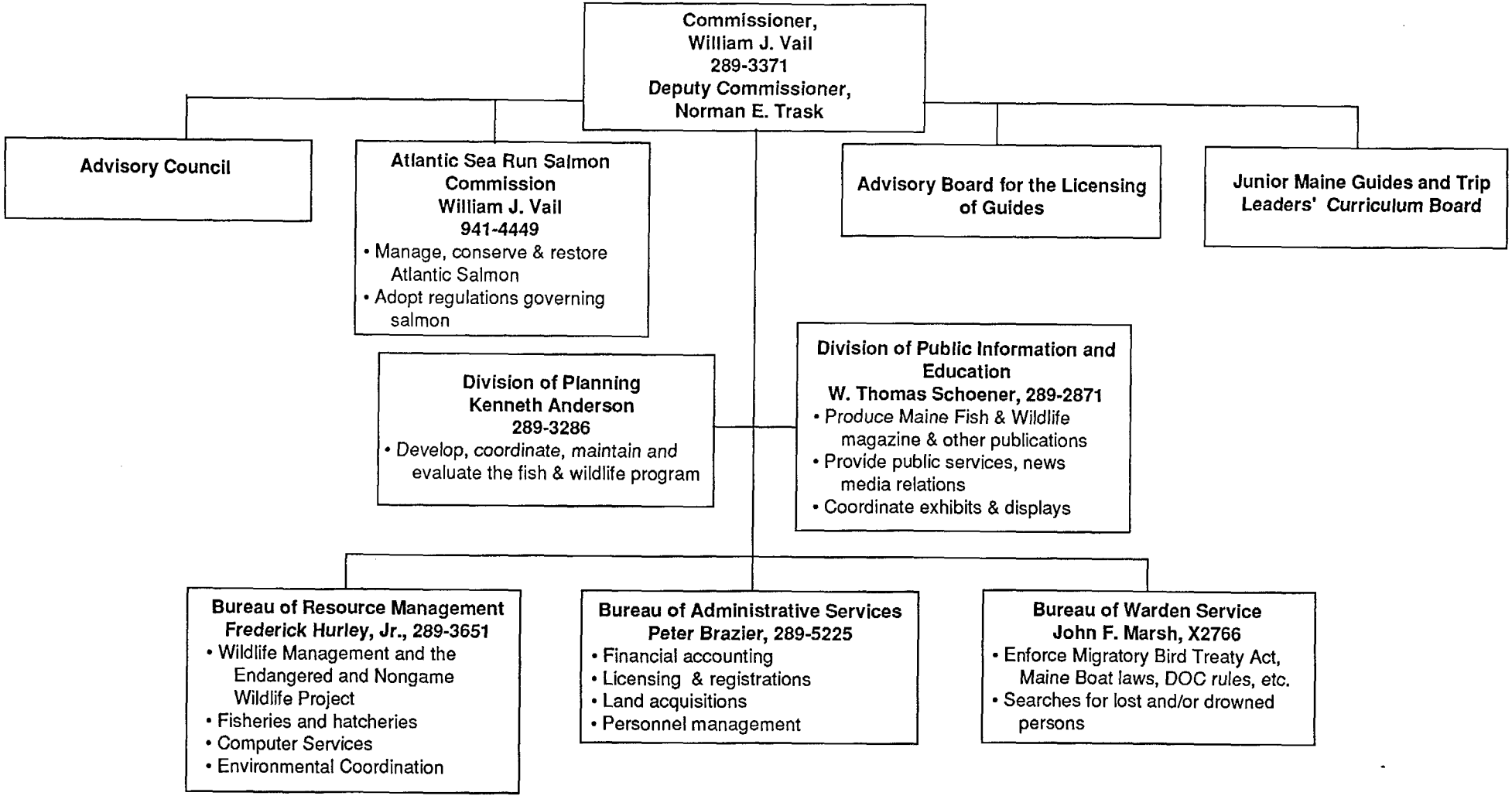

Figure E

Department of Marine Resources

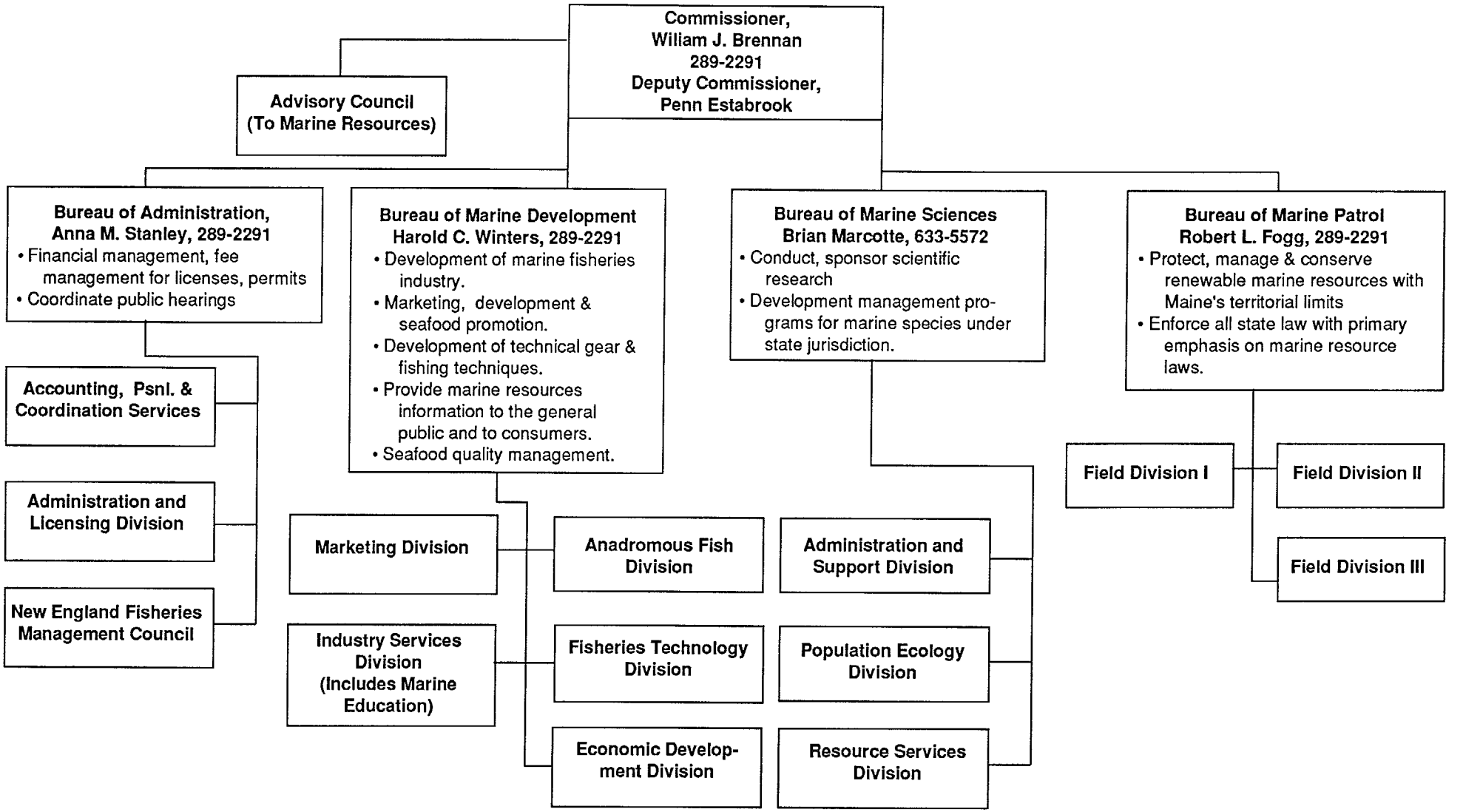

Figure F

Miscellaneous Organizations

Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (CIE)
22 Coburn Hall, University of Maine at Orono
Orono, ME 04469

contact: Ray Noddin, Marilyn Shottafer
phone: 207/581-1465

goals: To encourage the development of new businesses and the expansion of existing businesses through new products and processes resulting from innovation and invention.
current marine projects: Improved lobster band testing; student-designed components of a research vessel; student-designed hydrodynamic wing to lift scallops from the ocean bottom; and research and development on industrial deodorizer for fish odors.
resources: Faculty, students, CIE laboratory, CIE engineer.

Coastal Enterprises, Inc. (CEI)
Middle Street, PO Box 268
Wiscasset, ME 04578

contact: Ron Phillips, President
phone: 207/882-7552

goals: A private, non-profit community development corporation that seeks to expand employment opportunities for Maine residents by promoting the growth of small businesses and natural resource industries.
current marine projects: Investments in seafood processing and allied industries along the coast of Maine; management services for municipalities or private sector, such as the Boothbay Harbor Fish Pier; technical assistance in planning waterfront access for marine industries.
resources: An economic development strategy combining technical and financial assistance for starting up and expanding businesses that promise economic benefits to their communities. CEI is a licensed SBA 504 Certified Development Corporation, and is certified to assist in packaging FAME (see listing under state agencies) projects .

Friends of the Coast of Maine
Suite M, 465 Congress Street
Portland, ME 04101

contact: Paul Carter
phone: 207/775-1008

goals: To increase public knowledge of the unique resources, history, ecology, and economics of Maine's coast and islands.
current programs: "On the Coast of Maine," a MPBN radio program airing on Wednesdays at 6:40 AM (Portland FM 90.1; Calais 89.7; Bangor 90.9; Waterville 91.3; Presque Isle 106.1).
resources: Speaker; audio tapes; memberships.

Keep the Port in Portland
PO Box 8003
Portland, ME 04104

contact: Karen Sanford, Henri Gignoux
phone: 207/774-0134

goals: To promote healthy and diverse working waterfronts and prevent the loss of Portland's waterfront space to nonmarine uses.
current projects: Work with city officials and waterfront businesses to provide more commercial boat berthing in Portland Harbor and to improve the existing berths and related facilities.
resources: Information (collected over four years) relating to the regulatory and political bodies and processes that govern Portland's waterfront.

Maine Community Foundation
PO Box 148
Ellsworth, ME 04605

contact: Edward J. Kaelber

No further information provided.

Maine Development Foundation
One Memorial Circle
Augusta, ME 04330

contact: Henry Bourgeois, President
phone: 207/622-6345

***goals*:** To encourage partnerships among business, government, and education to strengthen the Maine economy through programs in economic education, policy analysis, and development.
***current marine projects*:** None presently.

Maine Humanities Council
PO Box 7202
Portland, ME 04101

No further information available.

Maine People's Alliance
PO Box 17534
Portland, ME 04104

contact: Arn Pearson

No further information provided.

Propeller Club
Box 68
Scarborough, ME 04074

contact: Alan J. Graves
phone: 207/799-8379

***goals*:** To promote the port of Portland, Maine.

U.S. Coast Guard Group
PO Box 5000
Southwest Harbor, ME 04679

contact: CWO_3 S.J. Sipniewski
phone: 207/244-5517

goals: To assist vessels in distress, suppress illegal activities, promote water safety, and mark navigable waterways.
current programs: Search and rescue; maritime law enforcement; marine environmental protection; fisheries conservation; aids to navigation; and boating safety.
resources: Aircraft from Cape Cod; medium and small cutter and small patrol craft in Rockland, Southwest Harbor, and Jonesport; buoy tenders and ice-breaking cutters in Rockland and Southwest Harbor; Coast Guard auxiliary in Rockland, Bangor, Castine, and Southwest Harbor.

Glossary of Common Acronyms

ARGO - ME --Association for Research on the Gulf of Maine
BPL -- Bureau of Public Lands (Department of Conservation)
BPR -- Bureau of Parks and Recreation (Department of Conservation)
CAP -- Critical Areas Program (Maine State Planning Office)
CIE -- Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (CIE)
CLF -- Conservation Law Foundation of New England, Inc.
COA - College of the Atlantic
COG -- Council of Governments
CZMA -- Coastal Zone Management Act (federal, 1972)
DEP -- Department of Environmental Protection
DIFW -- Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
DMR -- Maine Department of Marine Resources
DOC -- Maine Department of Conservation
DOT -- Maine Department of Transportation
EPA (or USEPA) -- United States Environmental Protection Agency
FAME -- Finance Authority of Maine
GOMMEA -- Gulf of Maine Marine Education Association
KRIC -- Kennebec River Council
LURC -- Land Use Regulation Commission (Department of Conservation)
MAA -- Maine Aquaculture Association
MAP -- Maine Association of Planners
MAS -- Maine Audubon Society
MCHT -- Maine Coast Heritage Trust
MCP -- Maine Coastal Program (State Planning Office)
MDI -- Mount Desert Island
MEEA -- Maine Environmental Education Association
MFWA -- Maine Fishermen's Wives Association
MGS -- Maine Geological Survey (Department of Conservation)
MHPC -- Maine Historic Preservation Commission
MMA -- Maine Municipal Association, Maine Maritime Academy, or Maine Marine Alliance
MPA -- Maine People's Alliance
MMTA -- Maine Marine Trade Association
NOAA -- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NRCM -- Natural Resources Council of Maine
RASA -- Restoration of Atlantic Salmon in America, Inc.
RC&DA -- Resource Conservation and Development Area
RPC -- Regional Planning Commission
S&WCD -- Soil and Water Conservation District
SMVTI -- Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute
SPO -- Maine State Planning Office
TNC -- The Nature Conservancy
UMA -- University of Maine at Augusta
UMCES -- University of Maine Cooperative Extension Service
UMM -- University of Maine at Machias
UMO -- University of Maine at Orono
USCG -- United States Coast Guard
USFWS -- United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS -- United States Geological Survey
USM -- University of Maine at Portland/Gorham
WAG -- Waterfront Action Grant
WCVTI -- Washington County Vocational Technical Institute

Appendix A ----- Publications Along the Coast

Magazines and Monthly Newspapers

Commercial Fisheries News, PO Box 37, Stonington, ME 04681 Ed.: Robin Alden
Down East, Box 679, Camden, ME 04843 Ed.: David Thomas 594-9544
Habitat, Journal of the Maine Audubon Society, 118 U.S. Route One, Falmouth, ME 04105 Ed.: Bill Hancock 781-2330
Maine Boats and Harbors, 101 Mechanic Street, Camden, ME, 04083. Ed.: John Hanson 236-8622
Maine Coastal News, PO Box 447, Brewer, ME 04412 Ed.: Jon B. Johansen
Maine Today, 154 Middle Street, Portland, ME 04101 Ed.: Mike Bergstein 775-4339
The Maine Progressive, PO Box 110, Stillwater, ME 04489 Ed.: Selma Sternlieb
National Fisherman; 21 Elm Street, Camden, ME 04843 Ed.: James W. Fullilove 236-4342
Salt Magazine, PO Box 1400, Kennebunkport, ME 04046 Ed.: Pamela Wood 967-3311
WoodenBoat, Naskeag Point, Brooklin, ME 04616 Ed.: Maynard Bray

Non-Daily Newspapers

Bar Harbor Times, PO Box 68, Bar Harbor, ME 04609 Ed.: Steve Kloehn 288-3311
Coastal Journal, PO Box 575, Bath, ME 04530 Ed: Joan Grant 443-6241
The Republican Journal, PO Box 327, Belfast, ME 04915 Ed.: Michael Crowley 338-3333
The Waldo County Independent, PO Box 228, Belfast, ME 04915 Ed.: Jay Davis 338-5100
The Weekly Packet, PO Box 646, Blue Hill, ME 04614 Ed.: Ellen Booraem 374-5643
The Boothbay Register, PO Box 357, Boothbay, ME 04538 Ed.: Mary D. Brewer 633-4620
The Pejepscot Cryer, 145 Maine Street, Brunswick, ME 04011 Ed.: Verdi L. Tripp 725-2811
Bucksport Free Press, PO Box 340, Bucksport, ME 04416 Ed.: Philip W. Buxton 469-3231
The Calais Advertiser, PO Box 391, Calais, ME 04619 Ed.: Ferguson Calder 454-3561
Saint Croix Courier, PO Box 477, Calais, ME 04619 Ed.: Nelson Wyatt 454-7677
Camden Herald, PO Box 248, Camden, ME 04843 Ed.: Sally Murdock 236-8511
Castine Patriot, PO Box 205, Castine, ME 04421 Ed.: Lee Witting 326-4383
Lincoln County News, PO Box 36, Damariscotta, ME 04543 Ed.: Abby Roberts 563-3171
The Quoddy Tides: PO Box 213, Eastport, ME 04631 Ed.: Mrs. Winifred French 853-4806
The Ellsworth American, PO Box 509, Ellsworth, ME 04605 Ed.: James Russell Wiggins 667-2576
Freeport Bulletin, PO Box 506, Freeport, ME 04032 Ed.: Irving Richardson 865-6361
Kennebec Observer, 228 Water Street, Gardiner, ME 04345 Ed.: Bob Steele 582-5113
The Maine Paper, PO Box 71, Hallowell, ME 04347
York County Coast Star, PO Box 979, Kennebunk, ME, 04043 Ed.: Jerry Turner 985-2961
The Tourist News, Box 473, Kennebunkport, ME 04046
Machias County-wide, PO Box 190, Machias, ME 04654
Machias Valley News and Observer, PO Box 357, Machias, ME 04654 Ed.: Nancy Hayward 255-6561
The Merrymeeting Standard, 41 Main Street, Richmond, ME 04347 Ed.: Wallace Sinclair 737-8535
The Courier-Gazette, 1 Park Drive, Rockland, ME 04841 Ed.: Mike McGuire 594-4401
Island Ad-Vantages, PO Box 36, Stonington, ME 04681 Ed.: Nathaniel Barrows 367-2200
Maine Sunday Telegram, 390 Congress Street, PO Box 1460, Portland, ME 04104 775-5811
Maine Times, 41 Main Street, Topsham, ME 04086 Ed.: Mathew Storin 729-0126
York Weekly, PO Box 7, York, ME 03909 363-4343

Daily Newspapers

Kennebec Journal, 274 Western Avenue, Augusta, ME 04330 Ed.: J. Scott Gibson 623-3811
Bangor Daily News, PO Box 1329, 491 Main Street, Bangor, ME 04401 Mng. Ed.: V. Paul Reynolds 942-4881
Journal Tribune, Alfred Road, PO Box 627, Biddeford, ME 04005 Mng. Ed.: Robert Melville 282-1535
The Times-Record, Industry Road, PO Box 10, Brunswick, ME 04011 729-3311
Foster Daily Democrat, 333 Central Avenue, Dover, NH 03820 603/742-4455
Evening Express, 390 Congress Street, PO Box 1460, Portland, ME 04104 Mng. Ed.: Linda White 775-5811
Portland Press Herald, 390 Congress Street, PO Box 1460, Portland, ME 04104 Mng. Ed.: Warren Watson 775-5811
Portsmouth Herald, 111 Maplewood Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801 603/436-1000

Coastal Radio Programs

"Seafood Soundings": Raquel D. Boehmer, Lobster Cove Road, Monhegan Island, ME 04852
A brief discussion of seafood cuisine every Monday at 6:40 AM on Maine public radio stations. A newsletter is also available.
"On the Coast of Maine": Paul Carter, Suite M, 465 Congress Street, Portland, ME 04101.
A brief historical tour of different sites along Maine's coast, aired every Wenesday morning at 6:40 AM on Maine public radio stations. Cassette tapes are also available.

Appendix B ----- State Parks Along the Coast

Camden Hills, Camden. 5,474 acres. Open May 15 to October 15.
Cobscook Bay, Dennysville. 888 acres. Open May 15 to October 30.
Crescent Beach, Cape Elizabeth. 243 acres. Open May 30 to September 30.
Ferry Beach, Saco. 117 acres. Open May 30 to September 15.
Fort Point (Fort Pownall), Stockton Springs. 154 acres. May 30 to Labor Day.
Lamoine, Lamoine. 55 acres. Open May 15 to October 15.
Moose Point, Searsport. 183 acres. Open May 30 to October 1.
Popham Beach, Phippsburg. 529 acres. Open May 1 to September 30.
Quoddy Head, Lubec. 481 acres. Open May 30 to October 15.
Reid, Georgetown. 766 acres. Open all year.
ScarboroughBeach, Scarborough. 5 acres. Open May 30 to Labor Day.
Two Lights, Cape Elizabeth. 40 acres. Open April 15 to December 1.
Warren Island, Islesboro. 70 acres. Open May 30 to September 15.
Wolf Neck Woods, Freeport. 233 acres. Open May 30 to Labor Day.

Appendix C ----- Historical Sites Along the Coast

Colonial Pemaquid (Fort William Henry), Bristol. Open May 30 to Labor Day.
Eagle Island, South Harpswell. Open June 20 to Labor Day.
Fort Edgecomb, North Edgecomb. Open May 30 to Labor Day.
Fort George, Castine. Open May 30 to Labor Day.
John Paul Jones, Kittery. Open all year.
Fort Knox, Prospect. Open May 1 to November 1.
Fort McClary, Kittery Point. Open May 30 to October 1.
Montpelier, Thomaston. Open May 30 to September 1.
Fort O'Brien (Fort Machias), Machiasport. Open May 30 to Labor Day.
Fort Popham, Popham Beach. Open May 30 to Labor Day.

Appendix D ----- Lighthouses

Baker Island Light, Cranberry Isles (1828/1855)
Bass Harbor Head Light, Tremont (1858)
Bear Island Light, Cranberry Isles (1839/1889)
Boon Island Light, York (1811/1855)
Burnt Island Light, Southport (1821)
Cape Elizabeth Light, Cape Elizabeth (1829/1874)
Cape Neddick Light, York (1879)
The Cuckolds, Southport (1892/1907)
Dice Head Light, Castine (1829/1937)
Egg Rock Light, Winter Harbor (1875)
Franklin Island Light, Friendship (1805/1855)
Great Duck Island Light, Frenchboro (1890)
GrindlePoint Light, Isleboro (1850/1875)
Halfway Rock Light, Portland (1871)
Hendricks Head Light, Southport (1825/1875)
Isle au Haut, Isle au Haut (1907)
Libby Island Light, Machiasport (1817)
Marshall Point Light, St. George (1823/1858)
Matinicus RockLight, Criehaven (1848)
Monhegan Island Light, Monhegan Plantation (1850)
Moose Peak Light, Jonesport (1827)
Mount Desert Rock Light, 20 miles off Mount Desert Island

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Nash Island Light, Addison (1838/1873)
Owls Head Light, Owls Head (1826)
Pemaquid Point Light, Bristol (1827)
Petit Manan Light, Milbridge (1817/1855)
Portland Head Light, Cape Elizabeth (1791)
Ram Island Light, Boothbay (1883)
Rockland Breakwater Light, Rockland (1888/1902)
Saddleback Ledge Light, Vinalhaven (1839)
Seguin Light, Georgetown (1795/1887)
Spring Point Ledge Light, South Portland (1897)
Squirrel Point Light, Arrowsic (1898)
Two Bush Island Light, Two Bush Island (1817)]
West Quoddy Head, Lubec (1808/1858)
Whitehead Light, St. George (1807/1852)
Wood Island Light, Biddeford (1808/1858)

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Appendix E ----- Boat Launching Sites on Saltwater/Tidal Rivers

Addison, Pleasant River
Augusta, Kennebec River
Bar Harbor, Frenchman Bay
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Biddeford, Saco River
Blue Hill, Blue Hill Harbor
Boothbay, Linekin Bay
Bowdoinham, Cathance River
Brewer, Penobscot River
Bristol, Pemaquid River
Brunswick, Buttermilk Cove
Brunswick, New Meadows River
Brunswick, Middle Bay
Calais, St. Croix River
Chelsea, Kennebec River
Cherryfield, Narraguagus River
Damariscotta, Damariscotta River
Edmunds Township, Cobscook Bay
Eliot, Piscataqua River
Ellsworth, Union River
Frankfort, Penobscot River
Gardiner, Kennebec River
Hallowell, Kennebec River
Hampden, Penobscot River
Jonesport, Chandler Bay
Lamoine, Frenchman Bay (2)
Lubec, Johnson Bay
Milbridge, Narraguagus River
Penobscot, North Bay and Bagaduce River
Perry, Passamaquoddy Bay
Portland, Casco Bay
Richmond, Kennebec River
Robbinston, St. Croix River
Rockland, Rockland Harbor
Rockport, Rockport Harbor
Saco, Saco River
St. George, Port Clyde
St. George, Tenants Harbor
Scarborough, Nonesuch River
Searsport, Searsport Harbor
South Orrington, Penobscot River
South Portland, Fore River
Stockton Springs, Stockton Harbor
Swans Island, Jericho Bay
Tremont, Seal Cove
Verona, Penobscot River
Vinalhaven, Isle au Haut Bay
Waldoboro, Medomak River
Westport Island, Sheepscot River

Appendix F ----- Historical Societies/Museums Along the Coast

Allie Ryan Maritime Collection, Castine, ME 04421
Bangor Historical Society, 159 Union Street, Bangor, Me 04401
Bar Harbor Historical Society, 34 Mt. Desert Street, Bar Harbor, ME 04609
Belfast Historical Society, Ivy House, Belfast, ME 04915
Belfast Museum, Inc., 66 Church Street, Belfast, ME 04915
Berwick Historical Society, Box 113, Berwick, ME 03901
Biddeford Historical Society, McArthur Library, 270 Main Street, Biddeford, ME 04005
Blue Hill Historical Society, Blue Hill, ME 04614
Boothbay Region Historical Society, McKown Point, Boothbay Harbor, ME 04538
Border Historical Society, Box 95, Eastport, ME, 04631
Brick Store Museum, 117 Maine Street, Kennebunk, ME 04043
Brooksville Historical Society, Brooksville, ME 04617
Bucksport Historical Society Museum, Main Street, Bucksport, ME 04416
Bustins Island Historical Society, Box 118, South Freeport, ME 04078
Camden Rockport Historical Society, Box 897, Camden, ME 04843
Cape Elizabeth Historical Society, Town Hall, Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107
Chapman Hall House Society, Damariscotta, ME 04543
Chapman Hall House, c/o Margaret Smith Inc., Gardiner, ME 04345
Cherryfield-Narraguagus Historical Society, Main Street, Cherryfield, ME 04622
Cumberland and Oxford Canal Assn., 36 Lester Drive, Portland, ME 04103
Cumberland Historical Society, Box 67, Cumberland, ME 04021
Cushing Historical Society, Driftwood Farm, Cushing, ME 04563
Deer Isle Stonington Historical Society, Deer Isle, ME 04627
East Machias Historical Society, PO Box 108, East Machias, ME 04630
Eastport Historical Society, RFD 1, Box 246, Franklin, ME 04634
Eliot Historical Society, PO Box 16, Eliot, ME 03903
Ellsworth Historical Society, Ellsworth, ME 04605
Falmouth Historical Society, 91 Leighton Road, West Falmouth, ME 04105
Farnsworth Art Museum, 19 Elm Street, Rockland, ME 04841
Freeport Historical Society, 45 Main Street, Freeport, ME 04032
Friendship Museum, Martin's Point Road, Friendship, ME 04547
Georges River Canal Assn, RFD 1, Box 28, Warren, ME 04864
Georgetown Historical Society, Box 411, Georgetown, ME 04548
Greater Portland Landmarks, 165 State Street, Portland, ME 04101
Hancock County Trustees, West Main Street, Ellsworth, ME 04605
Hancock Historical Society, Hancock, ME 04640
Harpswell Historical Society, RD 1, Box 833, Orrs Island, ME 04066
Historical Society - Town of Hancock, Hancock, ME 04640
Islesboro Historical Society, Islesboro, ME 04848
Kennebec Historical Society, Leighton Road, Augusta, ME 04330
Kennebunk Historical Society Museum, North Street, Kennebunk, ME 04046
Kennebunkport Historical Society, PO Box 1173, Kennebunkport, ME 04046
Kittery Historical and Naval Museum, Rogers Road, Kittery, ME 03904
Lamoine Historical Society, Box 157, RFD 2, Ellsworth, ME 04605
Lubec Historical Society, Lubec, ME 04652
Machiasport Historical Society, Machiasport, ME 04655
Millbridge Historical Society, Millbridge, ME 04658
Monhegan Museum, Lighthouse Hill, Monhegan Island, ME 04852
Mount Desert Island Historical Society Museum, Main Street, Somesville, ME 04660
Mount Mansell Historical Society, Box 7, Bass Harbor, ME 04653
Mussel Ridge Historical Society, Boz 83, Owls Head, ME 04854
North Haven Historical Society, Webster Road, North Haven, 04853
Ocean Park Historical Society, 72 Colby Ave, Ocean Park, ME 04063

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Old Berwick Historical Society, South Berwick, ME 03908
Old Orchard Beach Historical Society, 4 Portland Ave, Old Orchard Beach, ME 04064
Old Sardine Village Museum, County Road, Lubec, Maine 04652
Old York Historical Society, PO Box 4312, York, ME 03909
Owls Head Transportation Museum, Route 73, Knox County Airport, Owls Head, ME 04854
Pejepscot Historical Society, 159 Maine Street, Brunswick, ME 04011
Penobscot Historical Society, Route 1, Box 1, Penobscot, ME 04474
Phippsburg Historical Society, Star Route, Phippsburg, ME 04562
Roosevelt Campobello International Park, PO Box 97, Lubec, ME 04652
Saco Historical Society, 37 Casco Road, Old Orchard Beach, ME 04064
Sagadahoc Preservation , PO Box 322, Bath, ME 04530
Sailors' Memorial Museum and Lighthouse, Grindle Point, Islesboro, ME 04848
Saint Croix Historical Society, Homes Cottage, Main Street, Calais, ME 04619
Scarborough Historical Society, 18 Dresser Road, Scarborough, ME 04074
Searsport Historical Society, Searsport, ME 04974
South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Historical Society, PO Box 2623, South Portland, ME 04106
Stockton Springs Historical Society, PO Box 101, Stockton Springs, ME 04981
Sullivan/Sorrento Historical Society, Box 124, Ashville, ME 04607
Tremont Historical Society, Box 7, Bass Harbor, ME 04653
Vinalhaven Historical Society Museum, High Street, Vinalhaven, ME 04683
Waldoboro Historical Society Museum, Route 220, Waldoboro, ME 04572
Wells Ogunquit Historical Society, Blanchard Street, Moody, ME 04054
Wilson Museum, Perkins Street, Castine, ME 04421
Winter Harbor Historical Society, Grindstone Neck, Box 344, Winter Harbor, ME 04693
Yarmouth Historical Society, PO Box 107, Yarmouth, ME 04096
York Institute Museum, 375 Main Street, Saco, ME 04072

Appendix G ----- Land Trusts Along the Coast

Biddeford Pool Improvement Association, PO Box 254, Biddeford Pool, ME 04006. contact: Nancy Guignard (282-1691)
Blue Hill Heritage Trust, PO Box 222, Blue Hill, ME 04614. contact: Mrs. Jean Nickerson (567-3214)
Boothbay Region Land Trust, PO Box 93, East Boothbay, Maine 04544. contact: Lois E. Barge (633-2659)
Brunswick/Topsham Land Trust, PO Box 471, Topsham, ME 04086. contact: Jack Aley (729-7694)
Camden/Rockport Land Trust, PO Box 101, Rockport, ME 04856. contact: Polly Gates (236-2245)
Cape Elizabeth Land Trust, PO Box 265, Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107. contact: Nat Clifford (783-9104)
Castine Conservation Trust, Box 421, Castine, ME 04421. contact: Mrs. Margaret Booth (326-4644)
Cumberland Mainland and Islands Trust, PO Box 591, Cumberland, ME 04021. contact: Blanchard Bates (846-5716)
Cushing Island Conservation Corporation, Box 334 DTS, Portland, ME 04112. contact: Diane Nolan (772-8806)
Cutler Association, c/o Jasper Cates, Cutler, ME 04626. contact: Jasper Cates (259-3652)
Damariscotta Lake Association, RFD 1, Box 410, Nobleboro, ME 04555. contact: Art Davidson (563-1593)
Damariscotta River Association, Box 333, Damariscotta, ME 04543. contact: William Peterson (644-8287)
Eastport Land Trust, PO Box 30, Eastport, ME 04631. contact: Ms. Carol Bryan (853-4750)
Falmouth Conservation Trust, 40 Thornhurst Road, Falmouth, ME 04105. contact: Thomas Armstrong (283-3621)
Forest City Land Trust, 48 Free Street, Portland, ME 04101. contact: Thomas Jewell (774-2833)
Freeport Conservation Trust, RR1, Box 150, Freeport, ME 04032. contact: Andrew Cadot (774-2635)
Frenchmans Bay Conservancy, PO Box 606, Ellsworth, ME 04605. contact: Stephen Perrin (667-3636)
Georges River Land Trust, Box 239, South Thomaston, ME 04858. contact: Tino O'Brien (594-8043)
Great Works Regional Land Trust, PO Box 151, South Berwick, ME 03908. contact: Beverly Jones (676-3717)
Greater Lovell Land Trust, RR2, Box 391, Yarmouth, ME 04096. contact: Joan Irish (846-4271)
Harpswell Heritage Trust, c/o High Head Farm, South Harpswell, ME 04079. contact: William Locke (729-3667)
Isle au Haut Land Conservation Trust, c/o Frederick Eustis, PO Box 1422, Boston, MA 02104. contact: Frederick Eustis
Islesboro Islands Trust, PO Box 182, Islesboro, ME 04848. contact: Steve Miller (734-6907)
Kennebunkport Conservation Trust, PO Box 28, Cape Porpoise, ME 04014. contact: Thomas Bradbury (967-5673)
Kittery Land Trust, PO Box 159, Kittery, ME 03904. contact: Dean Bouffard, Esq. (439-6377)
Laudholm Trust, PO Box 1007, Wells, ME 04090. contact: Mort Mather (646-4521)
Lincolnville Land Trust, c/o Chris Osgood, 62 Congress Street, Belfast, ME 04915. contact: Chris Osgood (338-1155)
Mid-coast Audubon Society, PO Box 862, South Thomaston, ME 04858. contact: William Nickel (594-9011)
Monhegan Associates, Inc., Monhegan, ME 04852. contact: Karen Cabot (725-2166)
North Yarmouth Land Trust, 26 Memorial Highway, Cumberland Center, ME 04021. contact: (829-5348)
Oceanside Conservation Trust, 443 Congress Street, Room 309, Portland, ME 04101. contact: Diane Nolan (772-8806)
Oyster River Bog Association, 20 Green Street, Thomaston, ME 04861. contact: Karl Brooks (354-8717)
Pemaquid Watershed Association, RR1, Box 744, Damariscotta, ME 04543. contact: Albert Rogers (529-5395)
Phippsburg Land Trust, HCR 31, Box 508, Bath, ME 04530. contact: John Doane (443-1217)
Quoddy Regional Land Trust, Box 49, Whiting, ME 04691. contact: Alan Brooks (733-2194)
Ramanscho Land Preservation Trust, PO Box 1164, Kennebunk, ME 04043. contact: Orton Jackson (967-3753)
Scarborough Land Conservation Trust, c/o Wallace Fengler, Mitchell Hill Road, Scarborough, ME 04074. contact: Stephen Shannon (883-2330)
Sheepscot Valley Conservation Association, PO Box 125, Alna, ME 04535. contact: Nicholas Barth (586-6455)
South Portland Land Trust, PO Box 2312, South Portland, ME 04106. contact: Tom Blake (799-5723)
Stanwood Wildlife Sanctuary, Box 485, Ellsworth, ME 04605. contact: Richard Whitney (667-5244)
Vinalhaven Land Trust, c/o Bodine Ames, Chestnut Street, Vinalhaven, ME 04863. contact: Bodine Ames (863-4824)
York Land Trust, RFD1, Box 225A, York, ME 04909. contact: Lynn Eaton (363-4397)

Appendix H Information Services and Other Resource Listings

1) Tourist Information: Available free of charge from: Maine Publicity Bureau
97 Winthrop Street
Hallowell, ME 04347 289-2423

2) Red Tide Advisory Telephone Numbers:
New Hampshire to the Canadian Border: 207/289-2099
Piscataqua River to Kennebec River: 207/879-4399
Kennebec River to Penobscot RIver: 207/596-2264
Penobscot River to the Canadian Border: 207/289-2211

3) Directory of Natural Resources Organizations (updated annually)
Available for two dollars from: Land and Water Resources Center
11 Coburn Hall, UMO
Orono, ME 04469 (207/581-1490)

4) Environmental Resources Directory (1988)
Available free of charge from: Department of Environmental Protection
Office of Information and Education
State House Station 17
Augusta, ME 04333 (207/289-7688)

5) "Your Islands on the Coast": a flyer listing state-owned islands and guidelines for visiting them.
Available free of charge from: Bureau of Parks and Recreation, Department of Conservation
Station 22
Augusta, ME 04333 (207/289-4900)

6) "Outdoors in Maine": a flyer listing Maine's state parks, historical societies, public reserved lands, boat launching
sites, and snowmobile trails. Available free of charge from: Department of Conservation
Station 22
Augusta, ME 04333

7) "Coastal Choices: Deciding Our Future": a 32-page magazine with articles on 16 current coastal issues (e.g.,working waterfronts, aquaculture, and shoreline access). Available free of charge from: Maine Coastal Program (see address on title page of this guide).

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The Maine Coastal Program

In 1972, faced with burgeoning development along the nation's shores, the U.S. Congress enacted the Coastal Zone Management Act, which became the foundation for state's coastal programs. Unlike all other federal environmental legislation, the Act provides for a partnership among federal, state, and local government in cooperatively managing the nation's coastal resources.

Congress also took an unprecedented step by writing into law a provision that requires all federal activities in the coastal area to be consistent with the approved state program: no longer could the federal government perform or support activities that violated state laws. If a state has a federally approved program, the federal government cannot dredge, construct breakwaters, or federal housing, or conduct other activities that violate state laws.

In 1978, Maine implemented its coastal management program relying on 11 existing environmental and land use statutes (that pertain to air and water pollution, siting of large projects, construction in wetlands and along beaches, shoreland zoning, solid waste sites, and marine resources). The Maine Coastal Program (MCP) works in two distinct areas -- regulation, and planning and policy development.

Regulation

At the state level, three state agencies implement the Maine Coastal Program through regulations: the Department of Marine Resources oversees fisheries management; the Department of Conservation (DOC), through the Land Use Regulation Commission, regulates land use activities in the state's unorganized territories; and the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) oversees various laws ranging from local shoreland zoning to oil and hazardous waste control. At the local level, 144 coastal towns are responsible for reviewing all subdivisions and activities within 250 feet of fresh or saltwater.

The state laws that constitute the Maine Coastal Program were at the forefront of environmental protection when they were enacted in the 1970s. In the last 15 years, though, development pressures along the coast have increased significantly and the need for more comprehensive environmental and and use management legislation has become evident. The Program supports better licensing and enforcement of environmental laws, and informs Maine citizens so they can better comply with state and local statutes. The MCP continues to work with the Legislature, state agencies, municipalities, and others to strengthen implementation of these laws. In 1986, the Coastal Program developed a legislative initiative to improve state and local decisions affecting coastal resources. The initiative, which was supported by Legislators, the public, and local governments, was enacted into law and now provides a framework for coastal decision-making.

Planning and Policy Development

The MCP supports local and state agencies working on coastal issues and has funded more than 500 local planning projects along Maine's coast. At the local level, for example, the MCP has helped towns prepare comprehensive plans, regional shoreline-access studies, and groundwater-use strategies. At the state level, the MCP has funded coastal wildlife studies, helped licensing and permitting of state laws, and analyzed Maine's fish-pier needs. The Program has also sought to develop public policies on how coastal resources are used -- for example, where new cargo ports should be located, how Maine aquaculture should be developed, and how state and local decisions affecting the coast should be made.

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