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# STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON MARINE RESOURCES

TO: Senator Catherine E. Breen, Senate Chair

Representative Teresa Pierce, House Chair

Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs

FROM: Senator David Miramant, Senate Chair DM/LLC

Representative Joyce ("Jay") McCreight, House Chair JM/LLC

Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources

DATE: March 24, 2021

RE: Recommendations on the Governor's Proposed Biennial Budget, LD 221, An Act

Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State

Government, General Fund and Other Funds and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending

June 30, 2021, June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2023

On March 17, 2021 the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources met to review the items in the Governor's proposed biennial budget that are under the committee's jurisdiction. On March 23, 2021, the committee voted on all items. The attached report-back template indicates the votes of those present at that meeting.

#### **INITIATIVES**

The committee unanimously voted to move **IN** all budget initiatives under the committee's jurisdiction.

#### LANGUAGE

The committee unanimously voted to move **IN** all language under the committee jurisdiction.

#### **NEW INITIATIVES** - voted IN (10-2)

In addition to taking votes on the initiatives and language, the committee voted  $\underline{10} - \underline{2}$  to recommend new staff positions in the Department of Marine Resources be approve and funded and two frozen positions be funded as explained below.

## Public Service Manager I position

This position will provide additional resources to the Department's licensing and oversight of the State's growing aquaculture industry which as of 2020 had 707 active limited purpose aquaculture licenses, 63 active experimental aquaculture leases, 105 active standard leases and 84 pending lease applications. This position is in addition to the two positions added to this program in the biennial budget. The positions in the biennial budget, one Resource Management Coordinator and a part-time paralegal, provide additional

capacity with regard to the Department's ability to hold hearings on lease applications and stay current with the increasing workload in this program, but still leaves the Department with insufficient staff to oversee this growth industry.

The committee recommends a new Public Service Manager I position be approved and funded to serve as the aquaculture administrator. The administrator will fulfill a coordinating function to oversee the administrative work which is significant and diverse. The Administrator will also oversee the scheduling of hearings, manage the work of the paralegals, and ensure all legal requirements pertaining to the lease application and administration process are properly followed. In so doing, the administrator will provide relief to the hearing officers, allowing those staff to devote more time to their work of reviewing lease applications, conducting hearings and drafting decisions.

Work Title	FY 2022	FY 2023
Public Service Manager I	\$107,168	\$112,312
Total	\$107,168	\$112,312

## Marine Resource Scientist III position and Public Service Coordinator II position

The Committee is aware that one of the biggest challenges facing Maine's \$1.5 billion lobster industry is the situation regarding the decline in the population of North Atlantic right whales. The Department has dedicated significant existing staff resources to providing accurate information about Maine's lobster industry and developing proposals to reduce risk to whales. However, with the publication of the Biological Opinion, it is clear that the industry is facing catastrophic reductions over the next decade unless the State can provide the necessary information to mitigate the impacts. A new Marine Resource Scientist III will allow the Department to conduct acoustical work to document the actual use of the Gulf of Maine by right whales and to better determine what management actions would be most beneficial. A Public Service Coordinator II will provide necessary policy support on Endangered Species issues, perform necessary analyses and support the Department's efforts in arenas such as the Take Reduction Team.

Work Title	FY 2022	FY 2023
Marine Resource Specialist III	\$107,676	\$113, 958
Public Service Coordinator II	\$116,866	\$122,550
Total	\$224,542	\$236,508

## Marine Resource Scientist II position

One new Marine Resource Scientist II position within the Bureau of Marine Science in response to the increase in white sharks in the waters off Maine's coast and along Maine's beaches.

During the summer of 2020, Maine experienced its first fatal shark attack in state waters. Since that time, the Department has been partnering with scientists in Massachusetts to document the presence of white sharks tagged in Massachusetts off the coast of Maine. This work has revealed that the use of Maine waters by white sharks is more significant than previously understood. The additional position will permit the Department to conduct its own tagging work as well as support the right whale acoustical work during the time of year when a focus on sharks is not necessary.

Work Title	FY 2022	FY 2023
Marine Resource Scientist II	\$94,134	\$98,847
Total	\$94,134	\$98,847

## 2 Marine Patrol Officer positions

Currently two Marine Patrol Officer positions are frozen due to lack of funding. Use of General Funds to support these 2 positions would provide a full complement of Marine Patrol officers to ensure the protection and conservation of Maine's marine resources and the safety of the public.

Work Title	FY 2022	FY 2023
Marine Patrol Officer	\$98,471	\$103,042
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Total	\$196,942	\$206,084

Thank you for considering our input on the biennial budget. We are available to answer any questions that you may have.

## MAINE LOBSTER MARKETING COLLABORATIVE

## **Lobster Promotion Fund 0701**

Initiative: BASELINE BUDGET

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS  All Other  OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	History 2019-20 \$2,686,000 \$2,686,000	History 2020-21 \$2,686,000 \$2,686,000	<b>2021-22</b> \$2,686,000 \$2,686,000	<b>2022-23</b> \$2,686,000 \$2,686,000
LOBSTER PROMOTION FUND 0701 PROGRAM SUMMARY				
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000

## MAINE LOBSTER MARKETING COLLABORATIVE

DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2021-22	2022-23
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$2,686,000	\$2,686,000

## MARINE RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

#### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: BASELINE BUDGET

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	15.000	15.000	15.000	15.000
Personal Services	\$1,571,394	\$1,580,336	\$1,655,700	\$1,689,637
All Other	\$590,528	\$590,528	\$590,528	\$590,528
Capital Expenditures	\$679,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$2,840,922	\$2,170,864	\$2,246,228	\$2,280,165
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History <b>2019-20</b>	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	22.000	22.000	22.000	22.000
POSITIONS - FTE COUNT	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000
Personal Services	\$1,663,684	\$1,677,241	\$1,715,939	\$1,746,033
All Other	\$745,474	\$756,934	\$757,275	\$757,308
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$2,409,158	\$2,434,175	\$2,473,214	\$2,503,341
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History <b>2019-20</b>	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	13.000	13.000	13.000	13.000
Personal Services	\$1,306,183	\$1,336,871	\$1,384,868	\$1,418,244
All Other	\$844,397	\$870,787	\$873,406	\$873,385
Capital Expenditures	\$155,250	\$879,750	\$0	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$2,305,830	\$3,087,408	\$2,258,274	\$2,291,629

#### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Transfers and reallocates the cost of one Marine Resource Scientist IV position from 100% General Fund to 42% General Fund and 58% Other Special Revenue Funds within the same program and reallocates the cost of one Marine Resource Scientist II position from 100% Other Special Revenue Funds to 72% General Fund and 28% Other Special Revenue Funds within the same program and adjusts related All Other costs.

Ref. #: 2046	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
GENERAL FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				(\$3,468)	(\$799)
GENERAL FUND TOTAL				(\$3,468)	(\$799)
Ref. #: 2048	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		

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OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$3,468	\$799
All Other			-	\$163	\$38
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL				\$3,631	\$837
Justification: This initiative will align work effort with appropriate the state of	riate funding.				
Bureau of Marine Science 0027					
Initiative: Reorganizes one Marine Resource Spe All Other to Personal Services to fund the reorga		Marine Resource Scientis	t I position and	transfers	
Ref. #: 2049	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$19,728	\$7,008
All Other				\$926	\$329
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL			13	\$20,654	\$7,337
Justification: This is a management-initiated reorganization ap reclassified this position from a Marine Resource effective date for this reorganization was January	Specialist II range 19	to a Marine Resource Sc	ientist I range 2	3. The	
Bureau of Marine Science 0027					
Initiative: Reclassifies one Marine Resource Tec All Other to Personal Services to fund the reclass		Marine Resource Specialis	t II position and	transfers	
Ref. #: 2051	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:	-	
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$637	\$742
All Other				\$30	\$38
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL			-	\$667	\$780
Ref. #: 2052	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:	Ű <del></del>	
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$638	\$742
All Other				\$30	\$38

This is an employee-initiated reclass approved by the Bureau of Human Resources. The audit results reclassified this position from a Marine Resource Technician range 14 to a Marine Resource Specialist II range 19. The effective date for this reclass was February 2020 and this initiative also funds the retroactive payment.

#### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Reallocates one Marine Resource Scientist III position from 70% Other Special Revenue Funds and 30% Federal Expenditures Fund to 56% Other Special Revenue Funds and 44% Federal Expenditures Fund and adjusts related All Other costs within the same program.

Committee Vote: \\Z -Ref. #: 2053 2021-22 2022-23 FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND \$17,792 \$17,951 Personal Services \$835 \$843 All Other FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL \$18,627 \$18,794 Committee Vote: AFA Vote: Ref. #: 2054 OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS 2021-22 2022-23 (\$17,792)(\$17,951)Personal Services (\$835)All Other (\$843)OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL (\$18,794)(\$18,627)

### Justification:

Ref. #: 2055

This initiative will align work effort with appropriate funding.

### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Transfers and reallocates one Marine Resource Specialist II position from 100% Other Special Revenue Funds to 65% Federal Expenditures Fund and 35% Other Special Revenue Funds and adjusts related All Other costs within the same program.

Committee Vote: FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND 2021-22 2022-23 POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT 1.000 1.000 Personal Services \$42,057 \$43,973 All Other \$1,974 \$2,064 FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL \$46,037 \$44,031

AFA Vote:

Ref. #: 2056	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS  POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT  Personal Services  All Other				2021-22 (1.000) (\$42,057) (\$1,974)	2022-23 (1.000) (\$43,973) (\$2,064)
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL				(\$44,031)	(\$46,037)
Justification: This initiative will align work effort with appropri	ate funding.				
Bureau of Marine Science 0027					
Initiative: Reallocates one Marine Resource Special Fund to 50% Other Special Revenue Funds, 25% I Other costs within the same program.  Ref. #: 2057		Fund and 25% General F		s related All	
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FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$19,391	\$20,374
All Other				\$910	\$956
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL				\$20,301	\$21,330
Ref. #: 2058	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				(\$19,391)	(\$20,374)
All Other				(\$911)	(\$957)
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL				(\$20,302)	(\$21,331)
Justification:					
This initiative will align work effort with appropri	ate funding.				

## **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Reallocates one Marine Resource Technician position from 50% Federal Expenditures Fund and 50% Other Special Revenue Funds to 100% Federal Expenditures Fund and adjusts related All Other costs within the same program.

Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:	
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FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND			2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services	* * .		\$35,852	\$37,463
All Other			\$1,683	\$1,759
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL		n	\$37,535	\$39,222
Ref. #: 2061	Committee Vote: 12-0	AFA Vote:		•
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS			2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services			(\$35,852)	(\$37,463)
All Other			(\$1,683)	(\$1,759)
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL		-	(\$37,535)	(\$39,222)

This initiative will align work effort with appropriate funding.

#### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Continues one Marine Resource Scientist I position previously continued by Financial Order 001096 F1 and provides funding for related All Other costs to identify, document and test experimental lobster fishing gear modifications to reduce the risk of entanglement for endangered North Atlantic right whales.

Ref. #: 2062 Committee Vote:

FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$88,577	\$92,762
All Other	\$4,158	\$4,354
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$92,735	\$97,116

#### Justification:

This position serves as the lead coordinator for Maine Department of Marine Resources (DMR) projects totaling over \$1 million in grant funds to identify, document, and test experimental lobster fishing gear modifications to reduce the risk of entanglement for endangered North Atlantic right whales. Additionally, this position will participate in other projects, including acoustic monitoring of right whales in Maine state waters. This is a 100% federally funded position that has direct effect on federal regulations that are mandated through the Atlantic Large Whale Take Reduction Plan. Federal funding has already been obtained to continue this position to test vessel tracking systems on lobster vessels. This position is required to meet Maine DMRs obligations under the NOAA Section 6 Species Recovery Grants to States, Maine Outdoor Heritage Fund, NOAA Cooperative Agreement for Protected Resources, and Atlantic State Marine Fisheries Commission funding agreements. This intiative continues a position that was continued by financial order in fiscal year 2020-21.

**Bureau of Marine Science 0027** 

Initiative: Reduces funding for the rent on the Department of Marine Resources facility in Bangor. AFA Vote: Committee Vote: Ref. #: 2063 GENERAL FUND 2021-22 2022-23 (\$30,000)(\$30,000)All Other GENERAL FUND TOTAL (\$30,000)(\$30,000)Justification: This initiative will reduce funding for rent on the Department of Marine Resources' Bangor facility office in fiscal year 2021-22. **Bureau of Marine Science 0027** Initiative: Transfers 19 positions and related All Other from the Bureau of Marine Science program to the Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat program. Position detail is on file in the Bureau of the Budget. Committee Vote: \\Z AFA Vote: Ref. #: 2064 **GENERAL FUND** 2021-22 2022-23 POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT (2.000)(2.000)(\$365,347)(\$375,812)Personal Services GENERAL FUND TOTAL (\$375,812)(\$365,347) Committee Vote: Ref. #: 2065 FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND 2021-22 2022-23 (10.000)(10.000)POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT (2.000)(2.000)POSITIONS - FTE COUNT Personal Services (\$970,422)(\$1,000,139)(\$837,397)(\$836,002)All Other FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL (\$1,837,536)(\$1,806,424) Ref. #: 2066 2021-22 2022-23 OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT (1.000)(1.000)Personal Services (\$136,984) (\$137,950)

All Other

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL

(\$98,592)

(\$235,576)

(\$98,423)

(\$236,373)

The Maine Department of Marine Resources (DMR) is proposing to re-establish the Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat Bureau within DMR, currently the Division of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat, to re-structure of the department in a manner that makes a clear distinction between policy, science, public health, sea run fisheries and patrol functions. Sea run fisheries activities are unique and require specific organizational capacities. The program has grown to include additional activities, responsibilities, and staff in the last three years and the sea run fisheries staff are now more involved in senior leadership roles including providing technical and management support to the Governor's Office, Maine DMR Commissioner's Office, and other intrastate, interstate, and international bodies. The distinction as a Bureau will best support high priority DMR activities and more accurately reflect the existing roles and responsibilities within the Department. Re-establishment of the Bureau of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat will increase our ability to continue engagement of sea run fisheries at a senior level.

#### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Provides funding for approved reclassifications for 4 Marine Resource Scientist II positions to Marine Resource Scientist III positions, 2 Marine Resource Specialist II positions to Marine Resource Scientist II positions, one Marine Resource Scientist III position to a Marine Resource Scientist IV position, one Marine Resource Scientist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist II position, and 2 Conservation Aide positions to Marine Resource Specialist II positions.

Ref. #: 2067	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
GENERAL FUND Personal Services				<b>2021-22</b> \$27,572	<b>2022-23</b> \$20,731
GENERAL FUND TOTAL				\$27,572	\$20,731
Ref. #: 2068	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				<b>2021-22</b> \$53,363	<b>2022-23</b> \$41,959
Personal Services All Other				\$1,249	\$1,970
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL			-	\$54,612	\$43,929
Ref. #: 2069	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$5,232	\$3,870
All Other				\$115	\$182
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL			-	\$5,347	\$4,052

#### Justification:

This initiative reclassifies various positions effective December 2, 2020, as approved by Human Resources.

Initiative: Provides funding for approved reclassifications for one Marine Resource Scientist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist IV position, 3 Marine Resource Scientist I positions to Marine Resource Scientist II positions and one Conservation Aide position to a Marine Resource Specialist I position.

	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote	:	
GENERAL FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$3,753	\$1,042
GENERAL FUND TOTAL			-	\$3,753	\$1,042
Ref. #: 2071	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote	::	
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$31,335	\$23,459
All Other				\$928	\$1,101
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	at 2 2			\$32,263	\$24,560
Bureau of Marine Science 0027	- j				
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This initiative reclassifies various positions as approved by Human Resources.

#### **Bureau of Marine Science 0027**

Initiative: Transfers and reallocates the cost of one Marine Resource Scientist II position from 75% Federal Expenditures Fund and 25% General Fund in the Bureau of Marine Science program to 100% General Fund in the Bureau of Policy and Management program.

Ref. #: 2074	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
GENERAL FUND Personal Services				<b>2021-22</b> (\$24,666)	<b>2022-23</b> (\$25,674)
GENERAL FUND TOTAL				(\$24,666)	(\$25,674)
Ref. #: 2075	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT				(1.000)	(1.000)
Personal Services				(\$74,000)	(\$77,020)
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL				(\$74,000)	(\$77,020)

## Justification:

This transfer will align the cost of the position to better reflect work being performed.

## BUREAU OF MARINE SCIENCE 0027 PROGRAM SUMMARY

GENERAL FUND		History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT		15.000	15.000	13.000	13.000
Personal Services		\$1,571,394	\$1,580,336	\$1,294,772	\$1,311,058
All Other		\$590,528	\$590,528	\$560,528	\$560,528
Capital Expenditures		\$679,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	10.1	\$2,840,922	\$2,170,864	\$1,855,300	\$1,871,586
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND		History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT		22.000	22.000	13.000	13.000
POSITIONS - FTE COUNT		2.000	2.000	0.000	0.000
Personal Services		\$1,663,684	\$1,677,241	\$969,651	\$953,361
All Other		\$745,474	\$756,934	(\$66,787)	(\$66,732)
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL		\$2,409,158	\$2,434,175	\$902,864	\$886,629
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS		History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT		13.000	13.000	11.000	11.000
Personal Services		\$1,306,183	\$1,336,871	\$1,161,858	\$1,172,952
All Other		\$844,397	\$870,787	\$770,645	\$769,926
Capital Expenditures		\$155,250	\$879,750	\$0	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL		\$2,305,830	\$3,087,408	\$1,932,503	\$1,942,878

## **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: BASELINE BUDGET

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	9.000	9.000	9.000	9.000
Personal Services	\$930,075	\$937,376	\$1,033,890	\$1,043,711
All Other	\$1,246,775	\$1,299,287	\$1,299,287	\$1,299,287
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$2,176,850	\$2,236,663	\$2,333,177	\$2,342,998
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	7.000	7.000	7.000	7.000
Personal Services	\$622,739	\$632,536	\$655,708	\$667,110
All Other	\$1,100,992	\$1,100,992	\$1,100,992	\$1,100,992
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$1,723,731	\$1,733,528	\$1,756,700	\$1,768,102
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	21.000	21.000	21.000	21.000
Personal Services	\$1,973,771	\$2,013,947	\$2,088,013	\$2,135,735
All Other	\$1,047,252	\$1,047,252	\$1,047,310	\$1,047,310
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$3,021,023	\$3,061,199	\$3,135,323	\$3,183,045

## **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Reorganizes one Public Service Coordinator II position to a Public Service Manager II position and transfers All Other to Personal Services to fund the reorganization.

Ref. #: 2118

Committee Vote:



AFA Vote:

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OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS		2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services		\$14,972	\$14,969
All Other		\$703	\$703
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	L	\$15,675	\$15,672

#### Justification:

This is a management-initiated reorganization approved by the Bureau of Human Resources. The audit results reclassified this position from a Public Service Coordinator II to a Public Service Manager II range 33. The effective date for this reorganization was August 2020.

## **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Provides funding for central services increases.

Committee Vote:



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All Other

2021-22 \$166,951

2022-23 \$149,337

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL

\$166,951

\$149,337

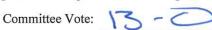
#### Justification:

This adjustment will cover the increased Central Services costs for the 2022-2023 biennium.

#### **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Provides funding for approved reclassifications for one Marine Resource Specialist I position to a Marine Resource Specialist II position, one Marine Resource Specialist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist I position, one Inventory and Property Specialist position to a Management Analyst II position, one Office Associate II position to an Accounting Associate II position and one Accounting Associate II position to a Management Analyst I position.

Ref. #: 2124



OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL

Personal Services

All Other

2021-22 2022-23

\$30,182

\$23,644 \$981 \$1,110

\$31,163

\$24,754

## Justification:

This initiative reclassifies various positions as approved by Human Resources.

#### **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Transfers one Resource Management Coordinator position from 100% Federal Expenditures Fund to 100% General Fund within the same program.

Ref. #: 2125



**GENERAL FUND** 

POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT

Personal Services

GENERAL FUND TOTAL



\$88,053

2021-22

\$88,053

1.000

\$92,105 \$92,105

2022-23

1.000

Ref. #: 2126

Committee Vote:



FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND

2021-22

2022-23

POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	(1.000)	(1.000)
Personal Services	(\$88,053)	(\$92,105)
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	(\$88,053)	(\$92,105)

The Aquaculture program supports and regulates a growing industry, farming marine species on land and within the coastal waters of Maine. Aquaculture is an important contributor to Maine's marine resource economy, contributing over \$88M in direct revenue in 2019. DMR has invested heavily in this program, doubling its staff since 2012 to meet the demand of industry growth, but the department cannot continue to support the cost.

#### **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Transfers and reallocates the cost of one Marine Resource Scientist II position from 75% Federal Expenditures Fund and 25% General Fund in the Bureau of Marine Science program to 100% General Fund in the Bureau of Policy and Management program.

Ref. #: 2127

Committee Vote: AFA Vote:

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$98,666	\$102,694
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$98,666	\$102,694

#### Justification:

This transfer will align the cost of the position to better reflect work being performed.

#### Bureau of Policy and Management 0258

Initiative: Provides funding for the approved reorganization of one Marine Resource Scientist II position to a Marine Resources Scientist III position effective September 27, 2019.

Ref. #: 2128

AFA Vote:

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GENERAL FUND		2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services		\$12,270	\$16,281
GENERAL FUND TOTAL		 \$12,270	\$16,281

#### Justification:

This is a management-initiated reorganization approved by the Bureau of Human Resources. The audit results reclassified this position from a Marine Resource Scientist II range 25 to a Marine Resource Scientist III range 28. The effective date for this reorganization is September 27, 2019.

#### **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Transfers one Marine Resource Scientist I position, one Marine Resource Scientist III position and one Resource Management Coordinator position from 100% Other Special Revenue Funds to 100% General Fund within the same program.

Ref. #: 2129	Committee Vote:	13-0	AFA Vote:		
GENERAL FUND				2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT				3.000	3.000
Personal Services				\$300,630	\$306,309
GENERAL FUND TOTAL			χ	\$300,630	\$306,309
Ref. #: 2130	Committee Vote:	13-0	AFA Vote:		<i>v</i> i
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT				(3.000)	(3.000)
Personal Services	- 16 4			(\$300,630)	(\$306,309)
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL			9	(\$300,630)	(\$306,309)
Justification: The Aquaculture program supports and regulates a	growing industry, fa	rming marine species on b	and and within	the	

The Aquaculture program supports and regulates a growing industry, farming marine species on land and within the coastal waters of Maine. Aquaculture is an important contributor to Maine's marine resource economy, contributing over \$88M in direct revenue in 2019. DMR has invested heavily in this program, doubling its staff since 2012 to meet the demand of industry growth, but the department cannot continue to support the cost.

## **Bureau of Policy and Management 0258**

Initiative: Establishes one Resource Management Coordinator position and one part-time Paralegal position to support aquaculture programs and provides funding for related All Other costs.

Ref. #: 2133

Committee Vote:

13-0

AFA Vote:

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1.500	1.500
Personal Services	\$137,692	\$143,950
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$137,692	\$143,950

#### Justification:

The Aquaculture program supports and regulates a growing industry, farming marine species on land and within the coastal waters of Maine. Aquaculture is an important contributor to Maine's marine resource economy, contributing over \$88M in direct revenue in 2019. These positions would help assist the hearings backlog and address limited purpose Aquaculture licenses.

## BUREAU OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT 0258 PROGRAM SUMMARY

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	9.000	9.000	15.500	15.500
Personal Services	\$930,075	\$937,376	\$1,671,201	\$1,705,050
All Other	\$1,246,775	\$1,299,287	\$1,299,287	\$1,299,287
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$2,176,850	\$2,236,663	\$2,970,488	\$3,004,337
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	7.000	7.000	6.000	6.000
Personal Services	\$622,739	\$632,536	\$567,655	\$575,005
All Other	\$1,100,992	\$1,100,992	\$1,100,992	\$1,100,992
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$1,723,731	\$1,733,528	\$1,668,647	\$1,675,997
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	21.000	21.000	18.000	18.000
Personal Services	\$1,973,771	\$2,013,947	\$1,832,537	\$1,868,039
All Other	\$1,047,252	\$1,047,252	\$1,215,945	\$1,198,460
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$3,021,023	\$3,061,199	\$3,048,482	\$3,066,499

#### Bureau of Public Health Z154

Initiative: BASELINE BUDGET

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	18.000	18.000	18.000	18.000
Personal Services	\$1,373,127	\$1,408,918	\$1,489,986	\$1,534,099
All Other	\$425,460	\$425,460	\$425,460	\$425,460
Capital Expenditures	\$312,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$2,110,587	\$1,834,378	\$1,915,446	\$1,959,559
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$192,381	\$198,282	\$218,306	\$221,368
All Other	\$364,849	\$364,849	\$365,198	\$365,051
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$557,230	\$563,131	\$583,504	\$586,419
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	11.000	11.000	11.000	11.000
Personal Services	\$816,947	\$843,434	\$842,873	\$869,566
All Other	\$122,484	\$122,659	\$122,671	\$122,671
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$939,431	\$966,093	\$965,544	\$992,237

## Bureau of Public Health Z154

Initiative: Provides funding for approved reclassifications for 4 Marine Resource Scientist II positions to Marine Resource Scientist III positions, 2 Marine Resource Specialist II positions to Marine Resource Scientist II positions, one Marine Resource Scientist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist IV position, one Marine Resource Scientist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist II position and 2 Conservation Aide positions to Marine Resource Specialist II positions.

Ref. #: 2142	Committee Vote:	13-0	AFA Vote:		
GENERAL FUND Personal Services				<b>2021-22</b> \$12,322	<b>2022-23</b> \$5,865
GENERAL FUND TOTAL				\$12,322	\$5,865
Ref. #: 2143	Committee Vote:	(3-0	AFA Vote:		
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$7,416	\$4,101
All Other				(\$304)	(\$285)

\$7,112

\$3,816

#### Justification:

This initiative reclassifies various positions effective December 2, 2020, as approved by Human Resources.

#### Bureau of Public Health Z154

Initiative: Provides funding for approved reclassifications for one Marine Resource Scientist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist IV position, 3 Marine Resource Scientist I positions to Marine Resource Scientist II positions and one Conservation Aide position to a Marine Resource Specialist I position.

Ref. #: 2144

Committee Vote:

13-0

AFA Vote:

GENERAL FUND

Personal Services

\$16,166

2021-22

**2022-23** \$13,023

GENERAL FUND TOTAL

\$16,166

\$13,023

#### Justification:

This initiative reclassifies various positions effective in January 2020 and February 2020 as approved by Human Resources.

#### Bureau of Public Health Z154

Initiative: Provides funding for approved reclassifications for one Marine Resource Specialist I position to a Marine Resource Specialist II position, one Marine Resource Specialist II position to a Marine Resource Scientist I position, one Inventory and Property Specialist position to a Management Analyst II position, one Office Associate II position to an Accounting Associate II position and one Accounting Associate II position to a Management Analyst I position.

Ref. #: 2145

Committee Vote:



AFA Vote:

**GENERAL FUND** 

Personal Services

GENERAL FUND TOTAL

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\$3,280 \$3,640 \$3,280 \$3,640

Ref. #: 2146

Committee Vote:



AFA Vote:

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

Personal Services

All Other

**2021-22** \$720 \$34

2021-22

**2022-23** \$799 \$38

2022-23

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL

\$754

\$837

This initiative reclassifies various positions as approved by Human Resources.

## BUREAU OF PUBLIC HEALTH Z154 PROGRAM SUMMARY

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	18.000	18.000	18.000	18.000
Personal Services	\$1,373,127	\$1,408,918	\$1,521,754	\$1,556,627
All Other	\$425,460	\$425,460	\$425,460	\$425,460
Capital Expenditures	\$312,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$2,110,587	\$1,834,378	\$1,947,214	\$1,982,087
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$192,381	\$198,282	\$225,722	\$225,469
All Other	\$364,849	\$364,849	\$364,894	\$364,766
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$557,230	\$563,131	\$590,616	\$590,235
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	11.000	11.000	11.000	11.000
Personal Services	\$816,947	\$843,434	\$843,593	\$870,365
All Other	\$122,484	\$122,659	\$122,705	\$122,709
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$939,431	\$966,093	\$966,298	\$993,074

## Marine Patrol - Bureau of 0029

Initiative: BASELINE BUDGET

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	39.000	39.000	39.000	39.000
Personal Services	\$4,202,134	\$4,257,658	\$4,707,162	\$4,791,585
All Other	\$960,978	\$961,528	\$961,528	\$961,528
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$5,163,112	\$5,219,186	\$5,668,690	\$5,753,113
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	3.000	3.000	3.000	3.000
Personal Services	\$269,883	\$274,777	\$285,044	\$291,265
All Other	\$120,634	\$120,634	\$120,839	\$120,839
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$390,517	\$395,411	\$405,883	\$412,104
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	12.000	12.000	12.000	12.000
Personal Services	\$1,064,969	\$1,082,462	\$1,149,058	\$1,162,826
All Other	\$1,359,369	\$1,359,369	\$1,328,174	\$1,328,168
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$2,424,338	\$2,441,831	\$2,477,232	\$2,490,994

## Marine Patrol - Bureau of 0029

Initiative: Continues one Public Service Manager I position previously continued by Financial Order 001095 F1 and provides funding for related All Other costs to enhance the oversight and administration of the Bureau of Marine Patrol's special services division.

Ref. #: 2084	Committee Vote:	13-0	AFA Vote:		
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
Personal Services				\$54,675	\$55,095
All Other				\$2,566	\$2,586
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL				\$57,241	\$57,681
Ref. #: 2085	Committee Vote:	130	AFA Vote:		
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT				1.000	1.000
Personal Services				\$101,540	\$102,319
All Other				\$4,766	\$4,803

The Bureau of Marine Patrol's Special Services Division is supervised by a Commissioned Officer with the rank of Captain. The Captain's position within Marine Patrol is critically important to Bureau operations. The Captain supervises two Marine Mechanics, the agency's Pilot, and oversees all specialty teams including firearms, underwater recovery, whale disentanglement, honor guard, hovercraft, critical incident stress management, and maritime security. In addition to those critical functions, Marine Patrol's Captain manages the maintenance, repair, and replacement for a multi-million dollar fleet of vehicles and watercraft assets and is responsible for records management systems, internal affairs, risk management, training, and the ever evolving role of technology in law enforcement operations. The Captain works in coordination with the Chief and Deputy Chief of Marine Patrol to effectively and efficiently integrate special services initiatives within Bureau operations in a fiscally responsible manner. This intiative continues a position that was continued by financial order in fiscal year 2020-21.

## MARINE PATROL - BUREAU OF 0029 PROGRAM SUMMARY

GENERAL FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	39.000	39.000	39.000	39.000
Personal Services	\$4,202,134	\$4,257,658	\$4,707,162	\$4,791,585
All Other	\$960,978	\$961,528	\$961,528	\$961,528
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$5,163,112	\$5,219,186	\$5,668,690	\$5,753,113
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History <b>2019-20</b>	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	3.000	3.000	3.000	3.000
Personal Services	\$269,883	\$274,777	\$339,719	\$346,360
All Other	\$120,634	\$120,634	\$123,405	\$123,425
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$390,517	\$395,411	\$463,124	\$469,785
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OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	12.000	12.000	13.000	13.000
Personal Services	\$1,064,969	\$1,082,462	\$1,250,598	\$1,265,145
All Other	\$1,359,369	\$1,359,369	\$1,332,940	\$1,332,971
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$2,424,338	\$2,441,831	\$2,583,538	\$2,598,116

#### Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat Z295

Initiative: Continues one Marine Resource Scientist II position previously continued by Financial Order 001094 F1 and provides funding for related All Other costs to implement scientific and restoration projects focused on native diadromous or sea-run fish species in the State.

Ref. #: 2148	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT				1.000	1.000
Personal Services				\$98,448	\$103,271
All Other				\$4,622	\$4,848
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL			-	\$103,070	\$108,119

#### Justification:

This position serves as the coordinator for the "Salmon for Maine's Rivers" and statewide citizen science monitoring. The "Salmon for Maine's Rivers" program is funded by over \$1M in grant funding from NOAA Fisheries, USFWS, by multiple grants and cooperative agreements. The program's projects provide significant benefits to the State by leveraging unique partnerships to restore Atlantic salmon and monitor species such as rainbow smelt that are important cultural and economic species in the State. This initiative continues a position that was continued by financial order in fiscal year 2020-21. Without this position, Maine DMR cannot fulfill multiple grants and cooperative agreements and will not be able to restore thousands of Atlantic salmon and engage hundreds of constituents to monitor important marine resources for the State.

#### Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat Z295

Initiative: Continues one Biologist II position previously continued by Financial Order 001093 F1 and provides funding for related All Other costs to implement scientific and restoration projects focused on the federal Bay of Fundy aquatic connectivity project.

Ref. #: 2149	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:		
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND				2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT				1.000	1.000
Personal Services				\$96,118	\$100,930
All Other				\$4,512	\$4,738
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL			-	\$100,630	\$105,668

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#### Justification:

This position serves as the lead coordinator for Maine Department of Marine Resources (DMR) for the Bay of Fundy Connectivity Project, a \$30M/project that will provide increased fisheries resources and significant construction jobs to Washington County Maine, the focal area of the study. This is a 100% federally funded position that will be used to leverage significant additional funding for Maine DMR, the State of Maine, and for the enhancement of resources for the State. Filling this position is required to meet Maine DMR's obligations under the NRCS funding agreement. This initiative continues a position that was continued by financial order in fiscal year 2020-21.

Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat Z295

Initiative: Transfers 19 positions and related All Other from the Bureau of Marine Science program to the Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat program. Position detail is on file in the Bureau of the Budget.

Ref. #: 2150	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:	
GENERAL FUND  POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT  Personal Services			<b>2021-22</b> 3.000 \$365,348	<b>2022-23</b> 3.000 \$375,814
All Other			\$37,000	\$37,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL			\$402,348	\$412,814
Ref. #: 2151	Committee Vote:	2-0	AFA Vote:	
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND			2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT			9.000	9.000
POSITIONS - FTE COUNT			2.000	2.000
Personal Services			\$970,421	\$1,000,137
All Other			\$836,002	\$837,396
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL			\$1,806,423	\$1,837,533
Ref. #: 2152	Committee Vote:	12-0	AFA Vote:	*
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS			2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT			1.000	1.000
Personal Services			\$136,984	\$137,949
All Other			\$143,214	\$143,259
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL			\$280,198	\$281,208

#### Justification:

The Maine Department of Marine Resources (DMR) is proposing to re-establish the Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat Bureau within DMR, currently the Division of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat, to re-structure of the department in a manner that makes a clear distinction between policy, science, public health, sea run fisheries and patrol functions. Sea run fisheries activities are unique and require specific organizational capacities. The program has grown to include additional activities, responsibilities, and staff in the last three years and the sea run fisheries staff are now more involved in senior leadership roles including providing technical and management support to the Governor's Office, Maine DMR Commissioner's Office, and other intrastate, interstate, and international bodies. The distinction as a Bureau will best support high priority DMR activities and more accurately reflect the existing roles and responsibilities within the Department. Re-establishment of the Bureau of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat will increase our ability to continue engagement of sea run fisheries at a senior level.

## SEA RUN FISHERIES AND HABITAT Z295 PROGRAM SUMMARY

GENERAL FUND	History <b>2019-20</b>	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.000	0.000	3.000	3.000
Personal Services	\$0	\$0	\$365,348	\$375,814
All Other	\$0	\$0	\$37,000	\$37,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$402,348	\$412,814
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.000	0.000	11.000	11.000
POSITIONS - FTE COUNT	0.000	0.000	2.000	2.000
Personal Services	\$0	\$0	\$1,164,987	\$1,204,338
All Other	\$0	\$0	\$845,136	\$846,982
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$2,010,123	\$2,051,320
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OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	History 2019-20	History 2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.000	0.000	1.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$0	\$0	\$136,984	\$137,949
All Other	\$0	\$0	\$143,214	\$143,259
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$280,198	\$281,208

## MARINE RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	\$12,844,040	\$13,023,937
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	\$5,635,374	\$5,673,966
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$8,811,019	\$8,881,775
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$27,290,433	\$27,579,678

## **PART JJJ**

- Sec. JJJ-1. Establish Bureau of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat program. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Bureau of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat program is established within the Department of Marine Resources for the State funds used to manage and regulate the sea run fisheries and habitat resources of the State of Maine in terms of management, restoration, monitoring and resource utilization.
- **Sec. JJJ-2. Transfer balances.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, at the end of fiscal year 2020-21, the State Controller shall transfer, after the deduction of all allocations, financial commitments and other designated funds and any other transfer authorized by statute, any remaining balance in the Division of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat, Other Special Revenue Funds account to the Bureau of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat program, Other Special Revenue Funds account within the Department of Marine Resources.

#### PART JJJ

#### **SUMMARY**

This Part establishes the Bureau of Sea Run Fisheries and Habitat program in the Department of Marine Resources.

