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Dear Friends,

On behalf of the people of Maine, I write this letter in honor of the 52nd Annual Professional Municipal Clerks Week.

The Office of the Professional Municipal Clerk, a time honored and vital part of local government throughout the world, is the oldest among public servants. The Office provides the professional link between citizens, the local governing bodies, and agencies of government at other levels, serving as the information center on functions of local government and community. In this important role, they have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all.

Professional Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the quality of local government through participation in professional development such as education programs, seminars, and workshops. With this expensive training, Clerks often become leaders in their fields of governance and their communities.

As Governor, I am proud to have such dedicated public servants performing vital services in communities across our state. I encourage all Maine people to recognize and appreciate the exemplary professionalism of our clerks who, particularly during this challenging past year, kept our state and its many local governments functioning at the highest standard.

Sincerely,

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