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CITY OF CARIBOU  
25 HIGH STREET  
CARIBOU, ME 04736

RE: Caribou, Aroostook River Bridge #5572, 027278.00

Dear Property Owner:

The Maine Department of Transportation is conducting an on-demand public meeting for the proposed bridge deck replacement of Aroostook River Bridge (#5572) - Rte 161 over the Aroostook River, located 0.14 of a mile east of Route 1.

Because your property is adjacent to or close to the proposed improvement, you are specifically invited to view the on-demand public meeting. A link to this and other meetings can be seen at any time at [bit.ly/mainedot-meetings](http://bit.ly/mainedot-meetings).

The on-demand meeting will consist of information describing the proposed project. Comments and any other input will be accepted through the website from December 17, 2025 through January 9, 2026 or by contacting me at [mark.parlin@maine.gov](mailto:mark.parlin@maine.gov).

Sincerely,

Mark Parlin  
Project Manager, Urban & Federal Bridge Program  
Maine Dept of Transportation  
24 Child Street  
Augusta, ME 04333  
207-624-3449

Enclosure



## Notice of Formal On-Demand PUBLIC MEETING Caribou

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### Aroostook River Bridge (#5572) Carrying Route 161 (Fort Street) over the Aroostook River

MaineDOT invites and encourages you to attend an on-demand public meeting to provide information about the proposed project. This can be viewed at any time during the formal comment period and allows for online comments and questions that will be answered by MaineDOT staff. The formal comment period will last from December 17, 2025 to January 9, 2026.

Questions, comments, or inquiries can be made at the on-demand meeting or directed to the Project Manager below.

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Access to this and all other active meeting presentations is available on our Public Meetings Page located at [bit.ly/mainedot-meetings](https://bit.ly/mainedot-meetings). You can also access those meetings using the QR Code to the right.



For more information regarding MaineDOT Public Involvement, including meeting accessibility and available accommodations you may request for all types of meetings, please see the link to our Background Information page. [bit.ly/background-publicinvolvement](https://bit.ly/background-publicinvolvement).

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