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I represent other interested parties

Hear me

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I was not granted party- in-interest status, I do not attend meetings,

I do not speak into microphones, I have no numbers or calculations.

Hear me though , just the same.

I speak from the place where the fresh water meets the sea.

I AM...

The gull who laughs at you while you enjoy your picnic,

The fish you never see but you hope are always swimming, and the lobster you know so well.

I am the loon and that soothing voice. I am the breeze that fills your sails on Penobscot Bay.

I am the tree that shades your walk. I am the quiet that comforts you after the day's work.

I am your smiling neighbor , I am the friendly visitor. I am the slippery seal smiling at you.

I am the quiet road home. I am your grandchild, not yet born.

Listen now,

I ask you to keep our place safe. This place safe. The place where we

fly, laugh , work,

play, fish, grow, walk,

swim, sail, breathe.

When the child sits on your knee, I hope you can tell them the story of how you preserved this place .

If we are growing Fish on Land

And the mighty, Tall Coastal Trees

Fall not by a stormy Seabreeze

But instead by chainsaw...

I ask you,

Where will the Night Singing Coyotes Roam?

How will they

Sing?

Eat ?

Live?

The world is turning inside-out-upside -down!

The night sky is watching and wonders...

What comes next?

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