



**MaineHousing**  
Maine State Housing Authority

March 20, 2012

Paul R. LePage, Governor  
Office of the Governor  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Governor LePage:

I am writing to submit my resignation ending my term effective March 31, 2012 subject to the terms negotiated with MaineHousing Board Chair Peter Anastos and approved by the commissioners.

I have been privileged to serve as MaineHousing director for seven years. Now MaineHousing has a number of commissioners with different policy perspectives. These differences have led to substantial disagreement about how MaineHousing can best serve the interests of its clients and the people of Maine. In order to bring an end to the current rancor, the Board and I have concluded that it is in the best interests of the housing authority and the people of Maine to reach an agreement on an early end to my term.

I have been proud in my seven years to have worked with staff and board members to insulate 11,347 homes, help 6,814 Maine people buy their first home, build 2,942 affordable apartments for seniors and working Maine households, and become the first state housing authority to take positive steps to address climate change.

I have appreciated this opportunity to serve the people of Maine.

Sincerely,

Dale McCormick  
Director