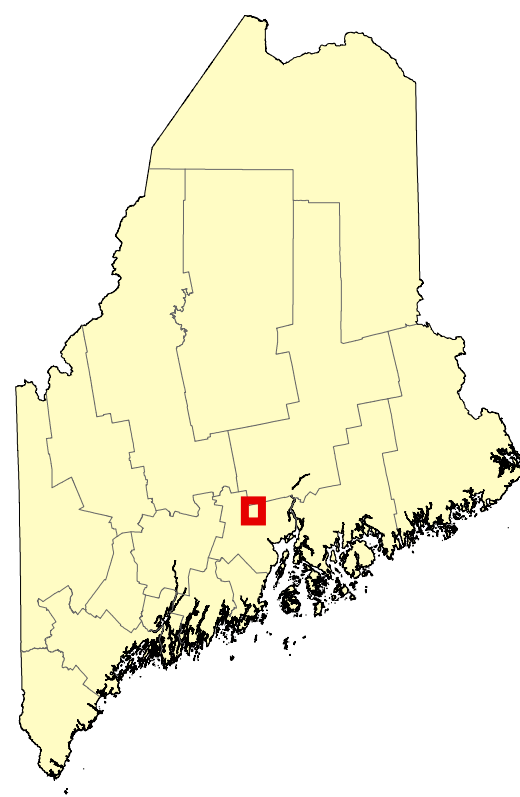


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## High Value Plant & Animal Habitats Jackson

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 **Town of Interest**

 **Organized Towns**

 **Developed**

Impervious surfaces such as roads and  
buildings.

### Rare or Endangered Wildlife\*

 **Endangered,  
Threatened, or  
Special Concern  
Species**

Mapped observations of rare wildlife  
species.

### Significant Wildlife Habitat

 **Significant  
Vernal Pools**

Surveyed pool depressions used for  
breeding by amphibians and other  
indicator species and that portion of the  
critical terrestrial habitat within 250 ft of  
the spring or fall high water mark.

 **Deer Wintering  
Area**

Forested area possibly used by deer for  
shelter during periods of deep snow and  
cold temperatures.

 **Inland  
Waterfowl and  
Wading Bird  
Habitats**

Breeding, migrating/staging, or wintering  
areas for inland waterfowl or breeding,  
feeding, loafing, migrating, or roosting  
areas for wading birds.

*\*Species and habitat labels are provided within and proximate to the  
town of interest.*

Contact the **Environmental Review** Team at the Maine Department of  
Inland Fisheries and Wildlife for information on fisheries, wildlife, and  
critical habitat resources related to potential development activities and  
regulatory processes. [IFWEnvironmentalreview@maine.gov](mailto:IFWEnvironmentalreview@maine.gov)

TOWN BOUNDARIES - ME Office of GIS (2021)  
HYDROLOGY - U.S. Geological Survey National  
Hydrography Dataset(2016)  
DEVELOPED - NOAA Coastal Change Analysis  
Program (C-CAP) (2022)

RARE, ESSENTIAL & SIGNIFICANT WILDLIFE  
HABITATS - ME Office of GIS, ME Dep. of Inland  
Fisheries & Wildlife (2024)  
RARE NATURAL COMMUNITIES & PLANTS - ME  
Natural Areas Pgm (2024)



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