



JUNE IS NATIONAL HOMEOWNERSHIP MONTH!

The real estate industry in Maine accounted for \$15.7 billion or 18.6% of Maine's gross state product in 2022. [Click Here for more economic impact information](#)

LOCAL REALTOR® OF THE YEAR ANNOUNCED:

Congratulations to this recently announced 2023 local REALTOR® of the Year!

-Androscoggin Valley Council of the Mountains to Shore Board of REALTORS®: [Sarah Foster](#) (Meservier & Associates; Auburn)

WE NEED YOU NEXT WEEK!

There will be lots of activity in the Maine Senate and House over the next three weeks, MAR continues to track and work several high priority bills that have not reached their final resolutions. There have been 2,009 legislative bills printed this session, and MAR is tracking 412 of those bills with 24 noted as our highest priorities. Housing and real estate have been a major focus at the Maine State House!



MAR will be launching a Call for Action on Monday regarding [LD 804 "An Act to Increase the Time Period for Notice to Terminate a Tenancy at Will."](#)

Be watching for the notice and please take action!

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ELECTION DAY, JUNE 13:

Many Maine cities and towns have election day on Tuesday, June 13 to decide municipal races and other local matters. Please exercise your right to vote – your vote is your voice!

WHERE DO I VOTE?

To find your voting location: [Click Here](#)

NOT REGISTERED TO VOTE?

There is no cut-off date for registering to vote in person at your town office or city hall.

HEY PORTLAND VOTERS FIXRENTCONTROL.COM

If you're a City of Portland voter, please "Vote YES on A" to fix Portland's rent control laws.

[Learn more about the fix and find your voting location here](#)



The Greater Portland Board of REALTORS®, Maine Association of REALTORS®, Maine Commercial Association of REALTORS®, and the National Association of REALTORS® have provided financial and grassroots support for this ballot initiative.

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK:

[Bookmark this link for the latest economic outlook from NAR](#)

OMBUDS SERVICES AVAILABLE:

Ombuds are trained REALTOR® members from Maine who are familiar with the Code of Ethics and have volunteered to provide confidential, third-party assistance to REALTORS® and the public to help resolve misunderstandings and disputes during a real estate transaction. For more information: [Click Here](#)



MAINE REALTOR MAGAZINE:

The summer issue of Maine REALTOR® magazine will be mailed soon to your "Communication Preference" address on file at the Maine Association of REALTORS®. See below for instructions on how to update your information. The default communication preference is your office address.

COMMUNICATION PREFERENCE:

To update your "Communication Preference" in the MAR membership system:

- 1) Login to the [Maine Association of REALTORS® RAMCO portal link](#)
- 2) Help info is on the side of the portal sign-in screen.

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3) Click on the “Update Your Member Profile” in the blue box (upper left)

4) Note the five sections on the left to update (Main, Home Address, Mailing Address, Personal, **Communication Preference**)

5) Update your information in each section and be sure to click on Save at the bottom of each section.

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