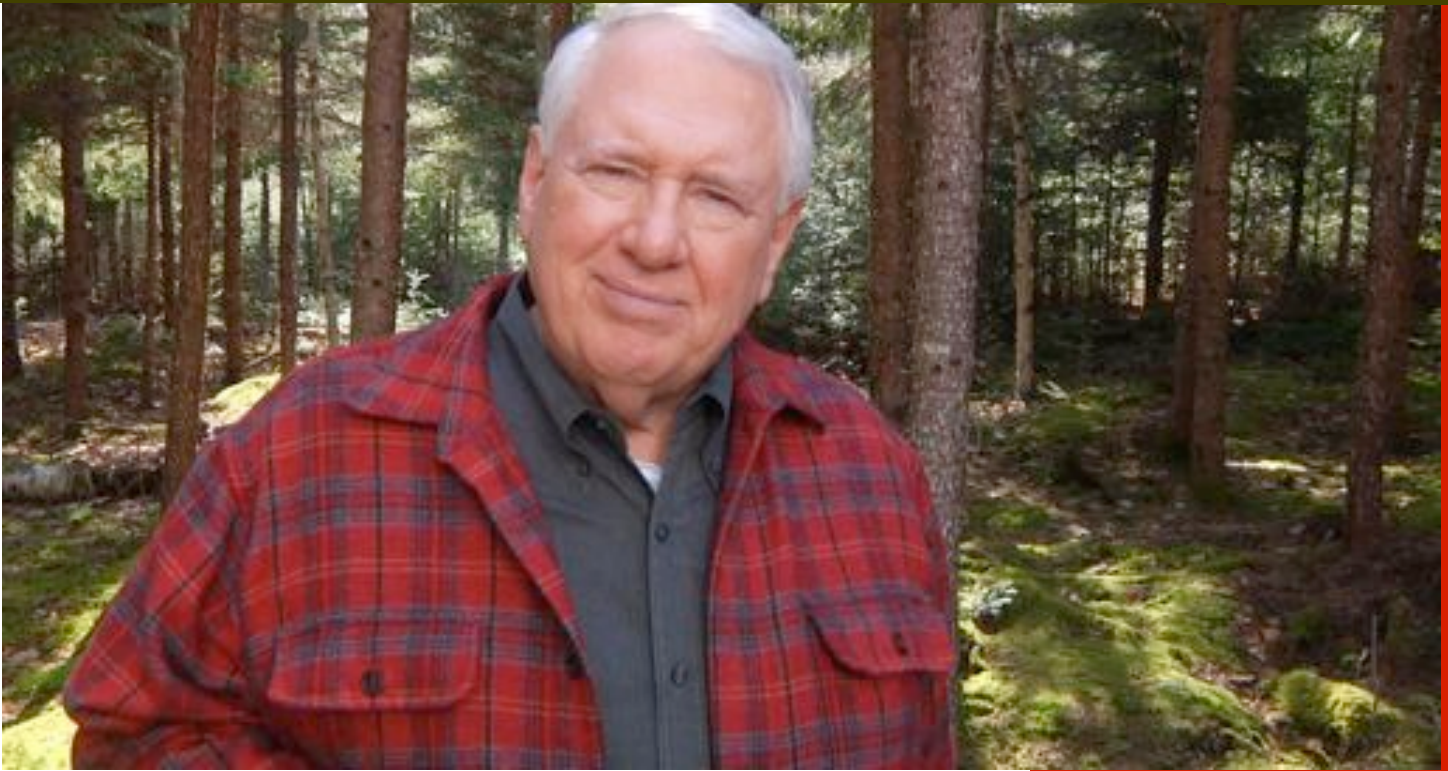


# Conservation Commissioner Beardsley Discusses Department Goals



**Dr. William Beardsley**, Commissioner of the Maine Department of Conservation, will talk on the direction of the LePage Administration, the Department of Conservation's role as part of the Administration, and the role of non-profit conservation organizations. Beardsley believes that Maine's economic vitality and conservation are not only interlinked, but can prosper together. The Commissioner also chairs the state panel that is studying the future of the Land Use Regulation Commission (LURC) in the 10 million acres of unorganized territory. The Commissioner's talk is co-sponsored by Maine Audubon and the Maine Chapter of the Appalachian Mountain Club. For more information email Education Chair John Mullens at [education@amcmaine.org](mailto:education@amcmaine.org) or Audubon Naturalist Holly Twining [htwining@maineaudubon.org](mailto:htwining@maineaudubon.org)

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