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## **By-Laws of the Maine Green Independent Party**

Adopted on June 6, 1999 at the  
Green Independent Party Convention, Unity, Maine

Amended at the Green Independent Party Conventions

on May 20, 2000 in Bangor;  
on May 19, 2001 in Portland;  
on June 23, 2002 in Brunswick;  
on June 7, 2003 in South China;  
on April 18th, 2004 in Lewiston;  
on June 25th, 2005 in Augusta;  
on May 19th, 2006 in Portland;  
on May 19th, 2007 in Bangor; and  
on May 18th, 2008 in Yarmouth

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## **ARTICLE IV**

### **Annual Convention**

The Party shall hold an Annual Convention, as specified under statute, for the purpose of:

- \_etting the goals of the Party;
- \_ Endorsing Candidates (as described in Article VIII);
- \_ **Electing members to the Board, and GIP Representatives to the Green Party of the United States;**
- \_ Passing a Party Platform every bi annual as required by statute.; and
- \_ Amending the Bylaws.

\_ The Convention will be open only to members of the Party as defined in Article I.