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Senator Bill Diamond, Chair  
Representative Emily Ann Cain, Chair  
Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs  
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Dear Senator Diamond, Representative Cain, and Members of the Committee Appropriations and Financial Affairs:

We are pleased to submit for the Committee's review the Department of Health and Human Services annual financial report as required under MRS Title 22, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Section 3. The report includes community-based agencies that have contracted with the Department to provide services in fiscal year 2009.

In preparing this report, we attempt to format the information in such a way as to make the information as meaningful as possible. The funding for community-based services is identified by program area, by category of service, and by Region.

We hope that this report will serve as a useful reference tool as we jointly determine future funding priorities.

Sincerely,

Brenda M. Harvey  
Commissioner

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