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## **Trove, An Artisan Boutique, Adds New Destination to Downtown Searsport, Maine**

SEARSPORT, Maine – Trove, a locally owned artisan boutique and gift shop, is excited to announce its official opening in historic downtown Searsport. Inspired by the artistry and beauty of Maine, Trove features a carefully curated collection of one-of-a-kind contemporary and functional handcrafted goods for everyday living. It is quickly becoming a popular downtown destination.

Joining Owner Laura Brown for the ribbon-cutting ceremony on Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup> was Dorothy Havey, Director of the Belfast Area Chamber of Commerce, Searsport Selectmen Mark Bradshaw and Sandra Otis-Anderson, Artist Peter Walls, Lin Calista, Historic Preservation Commission Member, along with friends and family.

Trove's mission is to elevate the perception of handmade goods in the retail marketplace by showcasing the best work of mostly Maine-based artists and designers. Each item is created with the highest standards of quality and care. Inventory is continually evolving to include pottery and glassware, artwork, unique jewelry, distinctive leather items, baskets, exclusive handwoven textiles, eclectic linens, and more.

"The collective talent featured at Trove is extraordinary," said Laura Brown. "The charm of our historic location in downtown Searsport compliments our fresh and contemporary goods."

Trove, located at 36 Main Street in Searsport, is open Wednesday – Friday from 11 am to 6 pm, Saturdays from 11 am to 5 pm, and Sunday's 11 am to 3 pm. [Subscribe to our newsletter](#) and be notified of upcoming events that will feature our artists throughout the year.

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Belfast Area Chamber Executive Director Dorothy Havey with Trove owner Laura Brown