



## MAINE STATEWIDE HOMELESS COUNCIL

Agenda –March 14, 2023

Join Zoom Meeting

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### *Membership*

*Shawn Yardley, Chair*

*MaineHousing*

*Maine Dept. of Health Human Services  
Office of Behavioral Health*

*Office of Child & Family Services*

*Maine Department of Corrections*

*Maine Bureau of Veterans Services*

*Representatives from*

*Region I: Cheryl Harkins*

*Donna Yellen*

*Emily Flinkstrom*

*Region II: Cullen Ryan*

*Donna Kelley*

*Katie Spencer White*

*Region III: Tracey Hair*

*Boyd Kronholm*

*David McCluskey*

**9:30-9:40:** Welcome, Moment of Silence, Approval of Minutes and Call for Other Business

**9:40-10:00:** Questions and Answer Session on Updates

**10:00-11:00:** Breakout Sessions and Group Discussion

What do you see as your role within SHC?

- Representing your Region/Hub?
- Representing your Agency?
- Representing/Advocating for the people you serve?

What do you see at the role of the SHC?

- To keep everyone informed?
- To hear what is happening across the state?
- To advocate for policy changes/resources?

**11:00-12:00:** Breakout Sessions and Group Discussion

Why do you attend SHC?

- Here to present info?
- Here to listen to others?
- Here for open discussion?

How should the SHC arrive at decisions?

- Vote of the official members?
- Vote of all those in attendance?
  - Does a vote need to be unanimous?
  - A Super Majority (more than 70%)?
  - A Simple Majority (more than 50%)?

**12:00 -12:30:** Other Business and Agenda Setting

*Purpose: Statewide Homeless Council serves as an advisory committee to the Governor, the Legislature, the Maine State Housing Authority, the Maine Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), the Maine Department of Corrections (DOC), and the Maine Bureau of Veteran's Affairs (MBVA) on homeless matters and oversees the Maine Plan to End and Prevent Homelessness.*