



# MAINE STATEWIDE HOMELESS COUNCIL

## Members only Agenda –January 14th, 2025

### 9:30-12:30

#### *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: Emily Flinkstrom*

*Cheryl Harkins*

*Donna Yellen*

*Region II: Donna Kelley*

*Cullen Ryan*

*Katie Spencer White*

*Region III: Boyd Kronholm*

*David McCluskey*

*This LINK is for non-participatory participants, if you are a member of this committee, you will have your own individualized link:*

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*Meeting ID: 252 633 575 241 Passcode: VJ2oN6mn*

#### *Agenda Items:*

- **Introduction/Meeting Minutes Approval/Moment of Silence**
- **Additional Agenda Items**
- **Appointments – Gov. & Leg. w/ Greg Payne**
- **White Paper – Plan for Distribution/Sharing**
  - **Homeless bills submitted for 132<sup>nd</sup> Legislative Session and strategies for success**
- **Hub Updates w/ Tara & Amy from MaineHousing**
- **Capacity Updates of Shelter & Warming Shelters**
  - **Strategies / Next Steps**
- **Goals for 2025 – Open Discussion**

*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.*