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**Lewiston/Auburn Area Local Council Agenda**

**March 11, 2024, from 4-6 PM**

**Held at the Auburn Library and via Zoom.**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8938611710>

**To join by phone only, dial:**

**1-929- 205-6099. Meeting ID #893 861 1710**

**1. Welcome, Introductions, Attendance & Review Zoom Meeting**

**Guidelines**

A) Check In

**Attendees:**

**Staff:**

**Guests:**

B) Zoom Etiquette

C) **Establish Quorum**

**Quorum Established?** \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

\_\_\_\_\_ called the meeting to order at \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ chaired the meeting and \_\_\_\_\_ took the minutes.  
Forum Topic discussion: Homelessness and the Unhoused

**2. Review & Adopt Meeting Agenda and Previous Meeting Minutes**

(Vote)

A) Review and adopt current meeting agenda.

Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt this Meeting's Agenda. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (Yes/No) The Motion with \_\_\_\_\_ in favor of, \_\_\_\_\_ opposed to, and \_\_\_\_\_ abstentions.

Review and adopt 10/16/2023 minutes.

Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (Yes/No) The Motion with \_\_\_\_\_ in favor of, \_\_\_\_\_ opposed \_\_\_\_\_ to, and \_\_\_\_\_ abstentions.

Review and adopt 11/13/2023 minutes.

Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (Yes/No) The Motion with \_\_\_\_\_ in favor of, \_\_\_\_\_ opposed \_\_\_\_\_ to, and \_\_\_\_\_ abstentions.

Review and adopt 1/8/2024 minutes.

Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (Yes/No) The Motion with \_\_\_\_\_ in favor of, \_\_\_\_\_ opposed \_\_\_\_\_ to, and \_\_\_\_\_ abstentions.

	<p>Review and adopt 2/12/2024 minutes.</p> <p>Motion was made by _____ to adopt the meeting minutes from _____ . It was seconded by _____. Was there any discussion? (Yes/No) The Motion with _____ in favor of, _____ opposed _____ to, and _____ abstentions.</p>
<p><b>A</b></p>	<p><b><u>CCSM Reports:</u></b> (No Vote)</p> <p><b>Update from the CCSM Office</b></p> <p>A. We are preparing to hire a full-time Policy Specialist</p> <p><b>Issues Subcommittee Meeting Update</b></p> <p>Reviewed the following Issue Statements:</p> <p>Second Draft: Issues with Access to a Current BRAP Application.</p> <p>Concept Draft: Lack of DLS (Daily Living Supports) Services for those in need of the service in Maine.</p> <p>The next meeting is March 13, 2024 from 10a-12p via Zoom.</p> <p><b>Legislative Subcommittee Meeting Update</b></p> <p>The meeting for March was canceled.</p> <p>The next meeting is April 3, 2024 from 10a-12p via Zoom.</p> <p><b>SCC Board Meeting Report</b></p> <p>The next meeting is April 26, 2024 from 10a-2p in person and Via Zoom.</p>
<p><b>4.</b></p>	<p><b><u>Outreach:</u></b></p> <p>Rock and Talk at the Auburn Library.</p>

<b>5.</b>	<b><u>Discuss Current Issue Statement Work:</u></b> Second Draft: Issues with Access to a Current BRAP Application. Concept Draft: Lack of DLS (Daily Living Supports) Services for those in need of the service in Maine.
<b>6.</b>	<b><u>Follow Up Business:</u></b>
<b>7.</b>	<b><u>New Business:</u></b>
<b>8.</b>	<b><u>Community Updates and Announcements:</u></b> Hope Conference May 15, 2024.
<b>9.</b>	<b><u>Meeting Evaluation:</u></b> What went well? How can we improve our meetings?
<b>11</b>	<b><u>Next Meeting will be on:</u></b> Monday, April 8, 2024 from 4p-6p at the Auburn Public Library and via Zoom.



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Greater Lewiston/Auburn Local Council Minutes from March 11, 2024

Meeting Held at the Auburn Library and via Zoom

1. **Welcome, Introductions, Attendance & Meeting Guidelines**

**Attendees: Vickie, Ken, Grace, Josie & Peggy**

**Quorum Established?  X  Yes  N**



2. **Review & Adopt Meeting Agenda and Previous Meeting's Minutes:**

**A) Review and adopt current (3/11/2024) meeting agenda.**

→ Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt this Meeting's Agenda. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (No) The Motion with \_\_\_\_\_ in favor of, \_\_\_\_\_ opposed to, and \_\_\_\_\_ abstentions. Motion Passed.

**B) Review and adopt 10/16/2023 meeting minutes.**

→ Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ Ken \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_ 10/16/23 \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ Grace \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (No) The Motion with 3 in favor of, 0 opposed to, and 2 abstentions. Motion Passed.

**C) Review and adopt 11/13/2023 meeting minutes.**

→ Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ Grace \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_ 11/13/23 \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ Ken \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (No) The Motion with 3 in favor of, 0 opposed to, and 3 abstentions. Motion Passed.

**D) Review and adopt 1/8/2024 meeting minutes.**

→ Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ Ken \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_ 1/8/24 \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ Josie \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any discussion? (No) The Motion with 2 in favor of, 0 opposed to, and 3 abstentions. Motion Passed.

**E) Review and adopt 2/12/2024 meeting minutes.**

→ Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_ Josie \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt the meeting minutes from \_\_\_\_\_ 2/12/24 \_\_\_\_\_. It was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ Ken \_\_\_\_\_. Was there any



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*discussion? (No) The Motion with 2 in favor of, 0 opposed to, and 3 abstentions. Motion Passed.*



3. **CCSM Reports:** (No Vote)

**Update from the CCSM Office**

A. We are preparing to hire a full-time Policy Analyst.

**Issues Subcommittee Meeting Update**

Reviewed the following Issue Statements:

Second Draft: Issues with Access to a Current BRAP Application.

Concept Draft: Lack of DLS (Daily Living Supports) Services for those in need of the service in Maine.

Next meeting is March 13, 2024 from 1p-3p via Zoom.

**Legislative Subcommittee Meeting Update**

The meeting for March was canceled.

Next meeting is April 3, 2024 from 10a-12p via Zoom.

**SCC Board Meeting Report**

Next meeting is April 26, 2024 from 10a-2p in person and via Zoom.

4. **Outreach:**





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	A. Rock And Talk Auburn Library.
4.	<b><u>Discuss Current Issues Statement Work:</u></b>  Second Draft: Issues with Access to a Current BRAP Application.  Concept Draft: Lack of DLS (Daily Living Supports) Services for those in need of the service in Maine.  Forum discussion Housing and Unhoused Communities.
5.	<b><u>Follow Up Business:</u></b>
6.	<b><u>New Business:</u></b>
7.	<b><u>Community Updates and Announcements:</u></b>  Housing Rally at the State in House Augusta March 13, 2024.  Hope Conference May 15, 2024
8.	<b><u>Next Meeting will be on:</u></b>  Monday, April 8, 2024 from 4p-6p at the Auburn Public Library and via Zoom.