



**Consumer Council System of Maine**  
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**Bangor Local Council Agenda**

**March 26, 2024**

1.	<b><u>Welcome, Introductions, Review Meeting Guidelines, &amp; Housekeeping</u></b> <b><u>Attendance/Ice breaker:</u></b> <b><u>Staff:</u></b> <b><u>Guest:</u></b> <b><u>Establish Quorum: Y      N</u></b>
2	<b><u>Forum Discussion:</u></b> Housing and Unhoused Communities
3.	<b><u>Review &amp; Adopt Meeting Agenda and Previous Meeting's Minutes:</u></b> <i>(Vote)</i>  A) <i>Review and adopt the current meeting's agenda.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Motion to adopt made by:</i></li><li>• <i>2<sup>nd</sup> by:</i></li><li>• <i>Discussion:</i></li><li>• <i>Y____ N____ A_____</i></li></ul>



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	<p><b>B) Review and adopt meeting minutes from <i>February 27, 2024</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Motion to adopt made by:</i></li><li>• <i>2<sup>nd</sup> by:</i></li><li>• <i>Discussion:</i></li><li>• Y___ N___ A___</li></ul>
4.  Kandie	<p><b><u>New Business</u></b></p> <p>Discussion around who to reach out to when you have questions or concerns about the Council.</p>
5.  Kandie  Brian  John  Sarah	<p><b><u>CCSM Reports: (No Vote)</u></b></p> <p>A) <i>SCC Report this month.</i></p> <p>B) <i>Issues Subcommittee-Report</i></p> <p>C) <i>Legislative Subcommittee -Report</i></p> <p>D) <i>Office Update:</i></p>



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6.  All	<p><b><u>OUTREACH:</u></b></p> <p><i>*Intentional – Planned meeting/discussion)</i></p> <p><i>*Spontaneous -impulsive, spur of the moment)</i></p> <p><b>Where did you do CCSM outreach?</b></p>
7.  Kandie	<p><b><u>Discuss Current Issues Statement Work:</u></b></p> <p><b>A) Review rough draft of “Peer Support Option for Peers Dealing with DHHS for Family “Issue Statement.</b></p> <p><i>Future Issue Statement suggestions are: *The Rights of Recipients at providers offices being signed without seeing what is being signed.</i></p>
8.  All	<p><b><u>Follow Up Business:</u></b></p>
9.  Brian	<p><b><u>Future Agenda Items:</u></b></p> <p>Forum topic for April is Deep dive on: Housing and Unhoused Communities</p>
All	<p><b><u>Community Updates and Announcement:</u></b></p> <p><i>*Hope Confrence is coming up May 15<sup>th</sup>,2024</i></p>



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10. Assigned Tasks:	<u>Who?</u>	<u>When?</u>
<i>Pre-read all meeting materials and attend next month's LC Meeting</i>	<i>All</i>	<i>Monthly</i>
<i>Prepare Agenda and submit to Outreach Coordinator</i> <hr/> <i>Minutes, work with chair on minutes ,then send to Outreach Coordinator</i> <hr/> <i>Send out meeting documents to all Local Councilor Members</i>	<b>Kandie</b> <hr/> <b>Renee/John</b> <hr/> <b>Sarah /Brittney</b>	<i>Monthly</i>  <i>10 days after meeting</i> <hr/> <i>At least 15 days prior to the next meeting.</i>
11.  Brian <hr/> 12.  Kandie	<b><u>Evaluation, Recap:</u></b> <b>What went well?</b> <b>How can we improve our meetings?</b> <hr/> <b>Meeting Wrap Up:</b> Next meeting: <b>April 23,2024</b>	

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Local Council Business Minutes From

**March 26, 2024**

In person at Bangor Public Library and  
via Zoom Video Conferencing

Zoom Information

To join by video, click link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8938611710>

To join by phone only (no computer needed) Dial: 1-929- 205-6099

Enter Webinar / Meeting ID# when prompted: ID #893 861 1710

1.	<p><b>Welcome, Introductions, Attendance &amp; Review Zoom Meeting</b></p> <p><b>Guidelines:</b></p> <p><b>Check In &amp; Ice Breaker:</b></p> <p><b>Attendees:</b> Kandie, Brian      <b>ZOOM:</b></p> <p><b>Excused:</b> Renee      <b>Unexcused:</b> John</p> <p><b>Staff:</b> Sarah</p> <p><b>Quorum Established?</b> ___ Yes <u>X</u> No</p> <p><b>Meeting called to order:</b> 5:00 PM</p>
2.	<p><b>FORUM:</b> <i>Housing and Unhoused Communities</i></p> <p>Cost</p> <p>Credit check requirements</p>

	<p>Lack of housing stock</p> <p>Application fees</p> <p>Regulations</p> <p>Federal rules in housing limiting the number of stays</p> <p>Federal rules in housing that keep people with certain crimes out of housing</p>
3.	<p><b><u>Review &amp; Adopt Meeting Agenda and Previous Meeting's Minutes:</u></b></p> <p><i>(No votes due to no quorum meeting called at 6:00PM due to lack of attendance)</i></p> <p><b>A) Reviewed and adopted current meeting agenda.</b></p> <p><i>*Motion was made to adopt by: ____.</i></p> <p><i>*2nd by: ____.</i></p> <p><i>*Discussion:</i></p> <p><i>* Y____ N____ A__</i></p> <p><b>B) Review and adopt Minutes from <b>February 27, 2024</b> meeting.</b></p> <p><i>*Motion was made to adopt by: ____.</i></p> <p><i>*2nd by: ____.</i></p> <p><i>*Discussion: None</i></p> <p><i>* Y__N____A____</i></p>
4.	<p><b>New Business:</b> None</p>
5.	<p><b>A) CCSM Reports:</b> No report given</p> <p><b>B) Issues Committee Report:</b></p>

	<p><b>C) Legislative Report:</b></p> <p><b>D) Office Update:</b></p>
6.	<b>Outreach:</b>
7.	<b>Discuss Current Issues Statement Work:</b>
8.	<b>Follow Up Business:</b>
9.	<p><b>Community Updates and Announcements:</b></p> <p>Hope Conference May 15<sup>th</sup> ,2024</p>
10.	<p><b><u>Meeting Evaluation:</u></b></p> <p><b>What went well?</b></p> <p><b>How can we improve our meetings?</b></p>
11.	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Meeting Wrap Up:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Other Notes:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Next Meeting will be on:</u></b> April 23,2024, in person at Bangor Public Library AND via ZOOM</p>