

Government Oversight Committee Ranking of Topics Being Considered for OPEGA's 2011 Work Plan

For Rankings 0 - 4: 0=not interested, 1=a little interested, 2=somewhat interested, 3=very interested, 4=extremely interested

Topic	Potential Expected Outcomes of a Review Based on Current Areas of Focus									Ranking (see 0-4 scale above)
	Positive Fiscal Impact*	Reduced Fraud Waste & Abuse	Improved Efficiency or Productivity	Improved Quality/Effectiveness	Improved Information & Communication	Improved Alignment w/Legislative Intent	Improved Compliance	Reduced Risk of Negative Outcomes		
Topics Currently Under Review or Being Actively Considered by Prior GOC										
1	Governor's Training Initiative				X		X			
2	Cooperative Agreements	X								
Topics Proposed by Current GOC at February 4, 2011 meeting										
3	BETR & BETE EcDev Programs					X	X			
4	BETR & TIF Overlap (EcDev Programs)	X				X	X			
5	Certificate of Need License					X				
6	Child Development Services (CDS)	X	X	X	X	X			X	
7	Consolidation of Prison Facilities					X				
8	Cost per Prisoner in Dept. of Corrections	X				X				
9	Cultural Agencies	X		X	X					
10	Customer Service at Maine Revenue Service				X	X				
11	DHHS Contracted Service Providers			X	X	X				
12	Efficiency Maine	X		X	X	X	X			
13	MaineCare: Enrollment Processes & Timeliness Claims Payments	X	X	X	X					
14	Maine Quality Forum	X				X				
15	Maine State Housing Authority			X		X	X			
16	Property Tax Assessment			X	X					
Topics On Deck that Appear Most Appropriate for Continued Consideration										
17	Beverage Container Recycling (Bottle Bill)		X	X	X		X	X		
18	Division of Financial and Personnel Services (DAFS Service Centers)			X	X	X				
19	Leased Office Space	X		X						
20	Long-term Care: Nursing Homes	X		X	X					
21	Medicaid Waiver - Mental Retardation	X		X	X	X			X	
22	Pharmaceuticals (Prescription Drugs and Medicaid Drug Rebate)	X	X							
23	Public Health Labs	X		X						
24	Revenue Collected through the Courts	X	X	X						
25	State Lottery	X	X	X						
26	State Publications	X		X				X		
27	Substance Abuse Treatment Programs in Prison System			X	X					
28	Tax Collection (income, sales, use, fuel, cigarette)	X	X							

Topics That Could Potentially Be Removed From On Deck										
29	Boat Launch Programs in DOC and IF&W	X		X						
30	Dirigo Health Program (Insurance)	X					X			
31	Economic Development Programs (individual or group)									
32	Personal Use of State Assets									
33	State Administration Staffing									
34	State Boards, Committees, Commissions and Councils									
35	Use of Federal USDA Funds Available for Food Stamp Employment & Training									

*Positive Fiscal Impact includes maximizing revenues, reducing costs or improving cash flow and cash management