

**Commission on Fatherhood Issues**  
**October 10, 2002 -- Cross State Office Bldg., Rm. #208**  
**Agenda**

- 9:00 a.m. Review meeting agenda and expectations.**  
*Sen. McAlevee, Rep. Simpson, Commission Members & Staff*
- ◆ Review meeting agenda and discuss Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> meeting summary
- 9:15 a.m. Overview of recent statutory changes related to parental rights & responsibilities.**  
*Peggy Reinsch, Office of Policy & Legal Analysis*
- ◆ Shared primary residential care (i.e., so-called "presumption of joint custody")
  - ◆ Protection from abuse (PFA) orders, including willful misuse of PFA process
- 9:45 a.m. Non-Custodial Parent Outreach and Investigation Project (NCPOIP).**  
*Jessica Maurer, Dept. of Attorney General; Alan Robitaille, Dept. of Attorney General; Diane Friese, Muskie School; Scott Vafiades, NCPIOIP; George Shaler, Muskie School*
- ◆ Scope of project goals, including findings, conclusions and recommendations
- 10:45 a.m. The Gender Project.**  
*Aileen Fortune, University of Maine Cooperative Extension, York County Office*
- ◆ Research and program initiatives re: gender socialization and equity issues
- 11:30 a.m. Public comment.**
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch.** (Members may order & pick up lunch from the Cross Café)
- 1:00 p.m. Boys to Men Conference.**  
*Lane Gregory and Darrel Fort, Conference Steering Committee Members*
- ◆ History of the conference and the network of agencies that support the conference
- 2:00 p.m. Break.**
- 2:15 p.m. Commission work session and planning.**  
*Commission Members & Staff*
- ◆ Discuss findings and propose preliminary conclusions and recommendations
  - ◆ Review work plan and discuss next steps
- 3:30 p.m. Public comment.**
- 4:00 p.m. Adjournment.**