

Commission to Strengthen and Align the Services Provided to Maine's Veterans
First Meeting
Wednesday, October 7th, 2015
Room 437 State House – Augusta, Maine

A G E N D A

I. Welcome and Introductions

Review of Resolve 2015 chapter 48 – Commission's duties

II. Presentations

- A. Adria Horn – Director, Bureau of Veterans Services – Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management
Briefing: Who is BVS and what do they do?
Maine Veteran data and comparisons with other states

- B. Julie Rabinowitz - Maine Department of Labor
Briefing: Current Campaign "Hire 100 Veterans in 100 Days" and other MDoL programs specific to veterans

*****BREAK Noon – 1:00pm *****

- C. James Doherty – Veterans Health Administration, Togus.
Veterans Administration Mission and Efforts to Provide Health Care to Maine's Veterans

- D. Philip Black – Veterans Benefits Administration, Togus
Veterans Administration Mission and Efforts to Assist Veterans in Accessing their Benefits (such as - disability, education, employment)

III. Commission Discussion and Information Requests

IV. Adjourn

Next meeting date Wednesday October 21st, 2015 – 10:00am