



State of Maine Board of Corrections

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To: Board of Corrections

From: Kate Snyder

Date: August 25, 2011

Re: New Member Nominations and Confirmation to the Board of Corrections

Three new members will join the Board of Corrections in late-September.

Two of the three new members will result from three nominations made to the Governor's Office by the Maine County Commissioners Association. The three nominations from MCCA are:

1. Aroostook County Administrator Douglas F. Beaulieu
2. York County Commissioner David E. Bowles
3. Kennebec County Administrator Robert Devlin

One of the three members will result from three nominations made to the Governor's Office by the Maine Sheriffs Association. The three nominations from the MSA are:

1. Oxford County Sheriff, Wayne Gallant
2. Knox County Jail Administrator, Major John Hinckley
3. TBRJ Jail Administrator, Mark Westrum

The Governor's Office plans to post their nominations to the Board of Corrections as early as August 30, 2011 and as late as September 12, 2011.

The Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety will hold a confirmation hearing, either during the week of September 19, 2011 or on Monday, September 26, 2011.

Senate confirmation of the nominations is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, September 27, 2011.

Swearing in for the new Board of Corrections members is scheduled for Wednesday, September 28, 2011 at the 1:00pm Business Meeting.

