



Maine Permanent Commission on
THE STATUS OF WOMEN

Maine Permanent Commission on the Status of Women (MePCSW)

Meeting Agenda

June 8th, 2026

9:00 – 2:30 P.M.

Facilitator: Samantha Lott Hale, MePCSW Chair

Arrival and Welcome 1. <u>“Leave it at the door” activity</u> and mingling/breakfast/coffee (Sam lead) 2. Welcome and Introductions 3. Embodiment activity (Keita lead)	9:00-10:00
Old Business and Public Comment 1. Decision Point: Review, discuss, and approve April meeting minutes 2. Decision Point: Review, discuss, vote on MePCSW Member Handbook 3. Any members of the public may introduce themselves and speak for 3 minutes	10:00-10:15am
Strategic Plan Review 1. <u>Presentation:</u> Review of mission statement and MePCSW vision statements. Review of activities and outcomes from strategic plan a. What are some of our successes to celebrate from the past year? How can we build on these? b. Where do we need to adjust timelines, structures, and expectations? c. Where were we lacking capacity? 2. Decision Point: Where do we need to course correct and update the strategic plan and work plans? 3. <u>Activity:</u> discuss and establish guiding principles	10:15am – 11:15am
Stretch break!	11:15-11:25am
2026 Report and Data Dashboard 1. Update on 2026 status of women and girls report and data dashboard development	11:25am-12pm

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Share draft data visualizations and process documents from the dashboard b. Discuss early report draft <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Decision Point: Do these resources align with the MePCSW strategic goals and align with your vision for our work? ii. What changes, adjustments, or other types of information would strengthen the report? 	
<p>Lunch</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Record short form videos from Commissioners about the work of the MePCSW and the importance of supporting women and girls 	<p>12-1pm</p>
<p>2026 Report and Data Dashboard – Framing and Focus Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Activity:</u> Mapping the story arc of a Maine woman’s journey in 2026 (Rebecca lead) 	<p>1-1:30pm</p>
<p>Committee Work Time and Report Outs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Committees break out for work time <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <u>Research and Reporting Committee</u> – integrate feedback from the day, discuss next steps for report development b. <u>Community Outreach Committee</u> – continue planning outreach events, discuss long-term strategy c. <u>Policy and Legislation Committee</u> – use feedback and information from the day to consider policy recommendations for report, strategize for next biennium 2. Report back to the large group 	<p>1:30-2:20pm</p>
<p>Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Closing remarks 2. Closing activity (led by Keita) 	<p>2:20-2:30pm</p>