Governor’s Economic Recovery Sub-committee
Infrastructure (Transportation, construction, broadband, and banking)

AGENDA
Thursday, 5/27/2020

Industry Sector Resource: Broadband
Peggy Schaeffer, Director and Nick Battista, Chair – ConnectMaine Authority

- Introductions
- Presentation

AGENDA
Friday, 5/28/2020

- Confirmation of weekly sub-committee meetings on Fridays from 9-10:00 a.m.
- Discussion of proposed dates/times for weekly Industry Sector Resource presentation
- Recap from 5/27/20 presentation
- Next presenter?
  - Todd Mason, President & CEO, Maine Credit Union
  - Maine Dept. of Transportation
  - Screening of Industry Sector Resources
    - William DeLong, Protective Security Advisor, Maine District, Dept. of Homeland Security
- Housekeeping
  - Protocol for shared documents

Six broad sectors of the economy will be highlighted by the committee’s work. For each sector, working groups will consider the following questions:

- What is the status of the industry right now?
- What (if anything) does this sector need to survive the current crisis?
- What are the stimulus opportunities?
  - How do we prepare this sector to thrive as envisioned by state’s 10-year economic development strategy?
- See committee charge here: https://www.maine.gov/future/initiatives/economy/economic-recovery-committee

How the work gets done
- The sub-committees will meet frequently to complete the first two steps in the workplan by mid-July: an assessment of the sector’s “vital signs” and recommendations to stabilize and support the sector in the immediate term. Sectors that have been less pummeled by the pandemic may start to work with a longer-term horizon, defining the elements of a bridge toward renewed growth.
- Sub-committees will include additional experts and voices as needed to complete their analysis