

Blue Ribbon Commission To Study Emergency Medical Services in the State

Thursday, October 6, 2022

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location: State House, Room 228 (AFA Committee Room) (Hybrid Meeting)

The meeting will be livestreamed at the following link: <https://legislature.maine.gov/Audio/#228>

AGENDA

- 1:00 p.m. Introductions**
- 1:05 p.m. EMS Workforce Development in Maine**
Eric Wellman, Emergency Medical Services Project Director, Maine Community College System
Dennis Russell, Dean, United Ambulance Training Center, Education Department Manager & Community Paramedicine Manager
Glenn Mills, Deputy Director, Center for Workforce Research and Information, Department of Labor
- 1:45 p.m. Presentation on Community Paramedicine in Maine**
Karen Pearson, Policy Associate, Catherine Cutler Institute, University of Southern Maine
- 2:00 pm Presentation on Joint Fire & Ambulance Services**
Chris Baker, Deputy Chief, Old Town Fire Rescue (and commission member)
- 2:15 p.m. Update on Maine EMS Strategic Planning Process**
John Becknell, SafeTech Solutions
- 3:15 p.m. Discussion & Next Steps**
- 4:00 p.m. Adjourn**

Please note that times are approximate and subject to change

Additional information and materials are available on the Commission's webpage at:
<https://legislature.maine.gov/emergency-medical-services-study>