



Sustainable Housing Work Team

June 5, 2013, 10am - noon

DHHS, Machias, ME

Agenda

Review Minutes of May 7 meeting.

1. Data Discussion

- Housing repair needs
 - Scope of Need vs. paucity of funding to address it
 - Amount and cost relative to available funds
- Cost of housing repairs in past and types of repairs
- Cost-harm/cost-benefit” analysis regarding low quality housing ... the impact of the status quo, and how the expense of upgrade stacks up with the savings and benefits it would bring
- Type and quality of typical heating systems for housing in Maine for households around or below median income

2. Health and Safety Issues Associated with Housing Conditions - survey of public/private community members who observe housing conditions

- a. Review/refine survey draft with Housing Advisory Committee
- b. Establish Survey timeframe

3. Discussion of policies/programs/solutions

4. Next Steps