



## **Certification and Higher Education Committee**

### **Maine State Board of Education**

### **Minutes of the June 26, 2012 Meeting**

The Certification and Higher Education Committee held a meeting on Tuesday, June 26, 2012, at the Department of Education in Augusta. The following were present: Chair Nancy Perkins; Heidi Sampson (Board Members); Mark Cyr and Harry Osgood (DOE Staff) and Mary Becker, State Board Secretary Associate

Guest: Heather Perry, Superintendent, RSU #3

Nancy Perkins called the meeting to order at 9:10 AM.

Higher Education Updates (Harry Osgood)

- Chapter 114 Review: PURPOSE, STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES FOR THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF PREPARATION PROGRAMS FOR EDUCATION PERSONNEL: This Chapter contains the State Board of Education standards and procedures for the review and approval of preparation programs for education personnel.
  - The APA Public Hearing for Chapter 114 is scheduled for Friday, July 6, 2012.
- Upcoming Team Reviews are: Kaplan University, Augusta; Loyola University, New Orleans and St. Joseph's College, Standish.
- The College Transition working group report will be ready by the end of July.

Certification Update (Mark Cyr)

- The APA Public Hearing for Chapter 13 is scheduled for July 18.

Public Law 635 Stakeholder's Group (Nancy Perkins)

- The Committee has held two meetings with CTE people. The law has passed and the committee has been charged to come up with one alternative pathway.

The next Certification Committee meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 23, 2012 at 9:00 AM. The meeting will be held in room 541 of the Cross State Office Building.

#### Adjournment

The Certification Committee meeting adjourned at 11:41.