

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
LR 2406 (LD Not Yet Assigned) Fiscal Year 2018-19 Emergency Supplemental Budget
HEARING SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 20, 2019

Morning Blocks: Separate Sign-up Sheets (Start Times are Approximate)

- 10:00 AM (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities & Technology):**
- Executive Department**
 - Public Advocate
 - Language Part G (Authorizes the Office of the Public Advocate to assess additional revenues for rate cases.)
 - Public Utilities Commission**
 - Cost Recovery Fund
 - Language Part E (Transfers balance in the cost recovery fund to the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund.)

- 11:00 AM (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs):**
- Cultural Affairs Council, Maine State**
 - State of Maine Bicentennial Celebration
 - Historic Preservation Commission, Maine**
 - Historic Preservation Commission
 - Library, Maine State**
 - Administration - Library
 - Maine State Library

Afternoon Unified Block: One Sign-up Sheet for all Policy Areas

Starting at 1:00 PM All sections listed below will be heard starting at 1:00 p.m. Public testimony on these portions will be taken following presentations by Departments and Agencies. Policy Committees of jurisdiction are invited to attend for any or all of the afternoon but no specific time blocks have been set aside for their portions.

- (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs):**
- Administrative and Financial Services, Department of**
 - Executive Branch Departments and Independent Agencies - Statewide

- (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry):**
- Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Department of**
 - Land Management & Planning

- (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary):**
- Judicial Department**
 - Courts - Supreme, Superior and District

- (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources):**
- Marine Resources, Department of**
 - Bureau of Policy and Management
 - Marine Patrol – Bureau of

- (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation):**
- Property Tax Review, State Board of**
 - Property Tax Review - State Board of

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 21, 2019

Afternoon Blocks: Separate Sign-up Sheets (Start Times are Approximate)

NOTE THE UNUSUAL START TIME

- 12:30 PM (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs):**
- Secretary of State, Department of**
 - Bureau of Administrative Services and Corporations
- 1:00 PM (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety):**
- Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management, Department of**
 - Disaster Assistance
 - Corrections, Department of**
 - Language Part D (Removes statutory requirement for the former Downeast Correctional Facility and establishes a prerelease center in Washington County.)
- 3:30 PM (Under the Jurisdiction of the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services):**
- Health and Human Services, Department of**
 - Disproportionate Share - Dorothea Dix Psychiatric Center
 - Dorothea Dix Psychiatric Center
 - Medical Care - Payments to Providers
 - Nursing Facilities
 - Language Part B (Repeals the limited lifetime maximum coverage and reimbursement for buprenorphine and naloxone combination drugs for the treatment of addiction.)
 - Language Part C (Repeals the limited lifetime maximum reimbursement for methadone for the treatment of addiction.)
 - Language Part F (Authorizes the transfer of remaining balances related to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance overpayments from the federal account to the Other Special Revenue Account.)