

Orientation Tour for Dean Rowland October 4th 2021 FINAL

Attendees Confirmed:

Diane Rowland, Dean College of Natural Sciences and Agriculture U-Maine

Bill Livingston, Director School of Forest Resources U-Maine

Patty Cormier, Director Maine Forest Service

Patrick Strauch, Director Maine Forest Products Counsel

Pat Sirois, Director Maine Sustainable Forestry Initiative

Amanda Beal, Commissioner Maine Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Others: Keith Kanoti (U-Maine), Ben Dow, Ray Ary, Henning Stabins (Weyerhaeuser), Gordon Gamble (Wagner), Elizabeth Farrell (AFM), LandVest (TBD), Tim Post (BPL).

Agenda – Times are approximate depending on how tour progresses.

8:00 AM Livingston will pick Dean Rowland up at Winslow Hall and bring her to the Maine Forest Service Hanger in Old Town

8:15 AM MFS Helicopter flight to Mill tour, Pleasant River Lumber Mill in Enfield. **(Helicopter Passengers: Livingston, Rowland, Cormier, Sirois, Beal.)**

Kanoti - Drives van to Greenville alone.

- 8:30 Arrive at Pleasant River greeted by Chris Brochu and Mike LeBrun for a tour.

~10:30-11:00 Flight to Maine Forest Service office in Greenville on the way fly over KI country. Everyone else not on the Helicopter meets at MFS Greenville office.

11:00-11:30 Drive ~30 minutes to Frenchtown for of Weyerhaeuser's Logging operation demo.

- Transportation a combination of Van and Weyerhaeuser pickups hosted by Ben Dow and Ray Ary.

11:30-12:00 Logging site demonstration talk with forester and contractor.

12:00-12:15 Drive to Lilly Bay State park for lunch.

12:15 In Lilly Bay meet with landowner reps over lunch (Box lunches provided).

- Representatives invited from LandVest, Wagner, Bureau of Public Lands and American Forest Management

2:00 Fly back to Old Town, via Kennebec River Valley and Skowhegan to see the mills from the air.

Kanoti Drives van back to Old Town with anyone who does not want to go in the Helicopter.

3:00 Helicopter arrives back at Old Town, Kanoti arrives in Old Town ~4:45 PM with van.