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**MAINE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE  
PUBLIC BOARD MEETING  
May 22, 2024  
Agenda - AMENDED**

**Location:**

*Physical Location:* Central Conference Room at the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Gardiner Annex, 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, ME

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.

**Virtual Zoom Link:**

<https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/85150861437?pwd=YTZnVFJlQ01kdHJ3bWJhSysvS1lIQ09>

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**Board Member Participation:**

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**Public Participation:**

Regardless of whether the Board meets in-person or by remote virtual means via Zoom, the public may observe the board meeting in-person at the location described above or may choose to join virtually (see the link above).

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OFFICE LOCATION: GARDINER ANNEX  
76 NORTHERN AVENUE, GARDINER, MAINE

**I. MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

1. February 28, 2024

**II. APPLICATION, REVIEW AND BOARD ACTION-**

*Presenter, Dominic Cotone, Comprehensive Health Planner II*

1. Chantelle Lydick (TC10011222) Initial

**III. ALTERNATE EDUCATION REVIEW FOR VTNE APPROVAL**

*Presenter, Dominic Cotone, Comprehensive Health Planner I*

1. Elizabeth Jones

**IV. LEGISLATION – 1)NEW LAW UPDATE AND 2) REQUEST FROM MAINE EMERGENCY SERVICES** Kate Zimmerman, D.O., Associate State EMS Medical Director

1. Public Law 2024 Chapter 587 (L.D. 2156 An Act to Authorize the Provision of Emergency Medical Treatment for Certain Dogs). *Effective August 9, 2024*  
<https://legislature.maine.gov/billtracker/#Paper/2156?legislature=131>
2. *Kate Domenico, DVM, Veterinary Consultant for the EMS Canine Protocols as delineated in Bill L.D. 2156*

**V. COMPLAINT PRESENTATION(S) AND BOARD ACTION**

1. 2023 VET 19324
2. 2023 VET-19755
3. 2024 VET 19753
4. 2024 VET 19763
5. 2024 VET 19786
6. 2024 VET 19829
7. 2024 VET 19827
8. 2024 VET 19876
9. 2024 VET 19779
10. 2024 VET 19764

**VI. PUBLIC OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT**

(Board President Statement) “Under this item, the Board may offer an opportunity to members of the public listening in to comment on any public matter under the jurisdiction of the Board. While the Board cannot take action on any issues presented, nor can it respond to or debate decisions made today, including matters relating to complaint cases that may be on the agenda. The board will listen to comments and may ask staff to place the issue on a subsequent agenda. At the discretion of the Board President a time limit on comments may be set.”

**VII. ADJOURNMENT**

Pursuant to 1 M.R.S. §406 public notice has been met by publication in an area newspaper where the meeting is held. This is a virtual board meeting and is open to members of the public, but not for public participation. Information to join this meeting is on the Board’s website. Please contact Diane Perry if you wish to confirm this meeting date or check our web site at [www.maine.gov/professionallicensing](http://www.maine.gov/professionallicensing)

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