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MAINE HEALTH ACCESS FOUNDATION

Healthy Communities
Learning Community Meeting
 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. • June 24, 2015
 Maple Hill Farm, 11 Inn Road; Hallowell, Maine

8:30 – 9:00	Registration and Continental Breakfast <i>(Gathering Place)</i>	Holly Merrithew MeHAF Program Assistant Grantees/Participants
9:00 – 9:30	Welcome Housekeeping and Introductions	Charles Dwyer MeHAF Program Officer
9:30 – 10:30	Using Stakeholder Power Analysis to Affect Change (for the presentation we will be joined by the A2QC grantees) Stakeholder power analysis is a tool which helps understanding of how people affect policies and institutions, and how policies and institutions affect people. It is particularly useful in identifying the winners and losers and in highlighting the challenges that need to be faced to change behavior, develop capabilities and tackle inequalities.	Amanda Sears Consultant, Co-founder Environmental Strategy Center and the Alliance for a Clean and Healthy Maine Past President Maine Public Health Association
10:30 – 10:40	BREAK	
10:40 – 12:00	Small Groups: Practice Using Stakeholder Power Analysis We will work through exercises in small groups to build our skills in the use of the tool. Carole and Amanda will answer questions and provide coaching.	Amanda Sears Consultant Carole Martin Consultant Grantees/Participants
12:00 – 12:30	Large Group Discussion: Integrating Our Learning Participants from each community will be invited to share their initial thoughts, insights, and questions about the tool and how they intend to use the power analysis in their projects.	Amanda Sears Consultant Carole Martin Consultant Grantees/Participants
12:30 – 1:00	LUNCH and NETWORKING <i>(The Gathering Place)</i>	Grantees/Participants (A2QC grantees will join us)