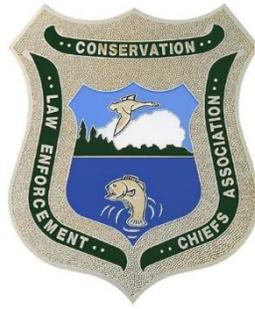


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Agenda for Hot Topic Roundtable

27 April, 2021- 0900-11:30

Col. Scott ME-

- Hound hunters (specifically bears and coyote) and private land
- Clean, Drain, Dry campaign and how it really works on the ground
- Lowering our unaccompanied hunting age
- Illegal importation of invasive – (live fish for aquaponics, moss balls, marbled crayfish)
- CWD and Baiting

SAC Ryan Noel USFWS-

- Creation of a Task Force Officer

Col. Santos MA-

- Rope-less fishing gear

Chief Sean Cianciulli NJ-

- Decriminalization of marijuana/legalization of cannabis – our current impairment statute only addresses firearm hunting
- Juvenile justice reform
- Body Worn Cameras
- Civilian review boards
- New use of force directives from the Attorney General

Col. Jason Batchelder VT-

- Keeping up with ever changing trends in hunting equipment (2-arrow crossbows, Nitro-Fire Muzzle Loaders, airbows etc)
- Bear complaints
- Hiring, officer wellness, retention and retirement
- Special Interest groups and FOIA requirements