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**COMMISSION MEETING**

January 23, 2020

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Lake Michigan Hearing Room

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**AGENDA**

- I. Approval of the Agenda.
- II. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Commission Meeting of December 19, 2019.
- III. Proposed Amendment to Bylaws.
- IV. Approval of Orders on the Consent Agenda:
  - A. Communications
    - 1. U-16116 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of a multi-state interconnection agreement between Liquid Web, Inc. and various AT&T Inc. owned companies, including AT&T Michigan. (second amendment.)
    - U-16526 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of an interconnection agreement between Qwest Communications Company, LLC and Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Michigan. (eighth amendment.)
    - U-16561 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of a multi-state interconnection agreement between Baraga Telephone Company and AT&T Michigan. (third amendment.)

- U-16778 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of an interconnection agreement between Peninsula Fiber Network, LLC and Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Michigan. (sixth amendment.)
- U-17112 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of an interconnection agreement between Cynergycomm.net, Inc. and Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Michigan. (fifth amendment.)
- U-17740 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of an interconnection agreement between Wide Voice, LLC and Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Michigan. (fifth amendment.)
- U-18162 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of an interconnection agreement between AT&T Michigan and Osirus Communications, Inc. (first amendment.)
- U-20148 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of an interconnection agreement between Spectrotel, Inc., d/b/a OneTouch Communications d/b/a Touch Base Communications and AT&T Michigan. (first amendment.)
- U-20667 - In the matter of the request for Commission approval of a commercial mobile radio services interconnection agreement between CenturyTel Midwest-Michigan, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink, CenturyTel of Michigan, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink, CenturyTel of Northern Michigan, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink, CenturyTel of Upper Michigan, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink and CSC Wireless d/b/a Altice Mobile. (interconnection agreement.)
- 2. Minute Action - Frontier Michigan (9-1-1 wireless, U-14000, invoice nos. MI9NGMTS9110109 and MI9NZMTS9110109, dated January 9, 2020).

#### B. Electric

- 1. U-20353 - In the matter of the complaint of Crystal Flash Renewable Energy L.L.C. against Consumers Energy Company concerning violations of MCL 460.6v, the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 and related Commission orders. (request for dismissal.)
- 2. U-20366 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for DTE Electric Company to fully comply with Public Act 295 of 2008 as amended by Public Act 342 of 2016. (energy waste reduction cost reconciliation/final order.)

3. U-20483 - In the matter of the application of Consumers Energy Company to commence a renewable energy cost reconciliation proceeding for the 12-month period ended December 31, 2018. (final order.)
4. U-20489 - In the matter of the application of Wisconsin Electric Power Company to commence a renewable energy cost reconciliation proceeding for the 12-month period ended December 31, 2018. (final order.)
5. U-20701 - 2019 Energy Waste Reduction Reconciliation and Annual Report Filing. (order assigning docket numbers.)  
Alpena Power Company
- U-20702 - Consumers Energy Company
- U-20703 - DTE Electric Company
- U-20704 - Indiana Michigan Power Company
- U-20705 - Northern States Power Company
- U-20706 - Upper Peninsula Power Company
- U-20707 - Upper Michigan Energy Resources Corporation
- U-20708 - DTE Gas Company
- U-20709 - Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation
- U-20710 - SEMCO Energy, Inc.
- U-18271 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Alger-Delta Co-Operative Electric Association to fully comply with Public Act 295 of 2008, as amended by Public Act 342 of 2016. (annual report filing.)
- U-18272 - Bayfield Electric Cooperative
- U-18273 - Cherryland Electric Cooperative
- U-18274 - Cloverland Electric Cooperative
- U-18275 - Great Lakes Energy Cooperative
- U-18276 - Midwest Energy Cooperative
- U-18277 - Ontonagon County Rural Electrification Association
- U-18278 - Presque Isle Electric and Gas Co-op
- U-18279 - Thumb Electric Cooperative
- U-18280 - Tri-County Electric Cooperative
- U-18281 - Village of Baraga
- U-18282 - City of Bay City
- U-18283 - City of Charlevoix
- U-18284 - Chelsea Department of Electric and Water
- U-18285 - Village of Clinton
- U-18286 - Coldwater Board of Public Utilities
- U-18287 - Croswell Municipal Light & Power Department

- U-18288 - City of Crystal Falls
- U-18289 - Daggett Electric Department
- U-18291 - City of Dowagiac
- U-18292 - City of Eaton Rapids
- U-18293 - City of Escanaba
- U-18294 - City of Gladstone
- U-18295 - Grand Haven Board of Light and Power
- U-18296 - City of Harbor Springs
- U-18297 - City of Hart Hydro
- U-18298 - Hillsdale Board of Public Utilities
- U-18299 - Holland Board of Public Works
- U-18300 - Village of L'Anse
- U-18301 - Lansing Board of Water and Light
- U-18302 - Lowell Light and Power
- U-18303 - Marquette Board of Light & Power
- U-18304 - Marshall Electric Department
- U-18305 - Negaunee Department of Public Works
- U-18306 - Newberry Water and Light Board
- U-18307 - Niles Utility Department
- U-18308 - City of Norway
- U-18309 - City of Paw Paw
- U-18310 - City of Petoskey
- U-18311 - City of Portland
- U-18312 - City of Sebawaing
- U-18313 - City of South Haven
- U-18314 - City of St. Louis
- U-18315 - City of Stephenson
- U-18316 - City of Sturgis
- U-18317 - Traverse City Light and Power
- U-18318 - Union City Electric Department
- U-18319 - City of Wakefield
- U-18320 - Wyandotte Department of Municipal Service
- U-18321 - Zeeland Board of Public Works
- 6. Minute Action - Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc., Storage as a Transmission Only Asset Tariff Filing, FERC Docket No. ER20-588-000.

C. Gas

1. U-20214 - In the matter of the application of Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-op for reconciliation of its gas cost recovery plan for the 12-month period April 2018-March 2019. (final order.)
2. U-20369 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for DTE Gas Company to fully comply with Public Act 295 of 2008 as amended by Public Act 342 of 2016. (energy waste reduction cost reconciliation/final order.)
3. Minute Action - Southwest Gas Storage Company, Petition for Declaratory Order, Docket No. RP20-233-000.

V. Approval of other Orders:

A. Communications

1. U-20623 - In the matter of the notice of Talk America Services, LLC, of discontinuance of basic local exchange service and toll service. (notice of alternative providers.)

B. Electric

1. U-18361 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to promulgate rules required by MCL 460.10ee(1). (opportunity to comment/interim order.)
- U-10150 - In the matter of the application of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company for authority to increase its rates and for other relief. (closing docket.)
- U-11916 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to consider changes to its guidelines for transactions between affiliates. (closing docket.)
- U-12134 - In the matter of the approval of a Code of Conduct for Consumers Energy Company and The Detroit Edison Company. (closing docket.)
- U-13502 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to consider guidelines or standards to govern transactions between The Detroit Edison Company and its affiliates. (closing docket.)
- U-15325 - In the matter of the joint application of Wisconsin Public Service Corporation, Upper Peninsula Power Company, and Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation for waivers from, and/or declarations regarding the applicability of, the Code of Conduct and Affiliate Transaction Guidelines and related approvals to support services provided by Integrys Business Support, LLC. (closing docket.)

- U-18326 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to open a docket to implement the provisions of Section 10ee of 2016 PA 341. (closing docket.)
- U-18485 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to process data privacy tariffs filed in compliance with Mich Admin Code, R 460.153 for approval. (interim order.)
- U-20674 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Consumers Energy Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20675 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for DTE Electric Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20676 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for DTE Gas Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20677 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for SEMCO Energy Gas Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20678 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Indiana Michigan Power Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20679 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Upper Michigan Energy Resources Corp. to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20680 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Upper Peninsula Power Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)

- U-20681 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Northern State Power Company, a Wisconsin corporation, to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20682 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Alpena Power Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20683 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20684 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Alger Delta Cooperative Electric Association to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20685 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Thumb Electric Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20686 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Great Lakes Energy Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20687 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Ontonagon County Rural Electric Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20688 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Cloverland Electric Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20689 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for HomeWorks Tri-County Electric Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)

- U-20690 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Midwest Energy Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20691 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-op to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20692 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Cherryland Electric Cooperative to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20693 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Citizens Gas Fuel Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20694 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Superior Energy Company to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- U-20695 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory filings, determinations, and/or approvals necessary for Bayfield Electric Cooperative, Inc., to fully comply with the Code of Conduct, Mich Admin Code, R 460.10101 *et seq.* (opening docket.)
- 2. U-18349 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determination, and/or approvals necessary for regulated electric providers to comply with Section 61 of 2016 PA 342. (voluntary green pricing program/interim order.)
- U-18350 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determination, and/or approvals necessary for Alpena Power Company to comply with Section 61 of 2016 PA 342.
- U-18353 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determination, and/or approvals necessary for Indiana Michigan Power Company to comply with Section 61 of 2016 PA 342.



- U-18356 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determination, and/or approvals necessary for Upper Michigan Energy Resources Corporation to comply with Section 61 of 2016 PA 342.
- U-20638 - In the matter of the application of Northern States Power Company, a Wisconsin corporation, seeking *ex parte* approval to establish Renewable\*Connect, an optional voluntary green pricing program.
- U-20649 - In the matter of the application of Consumers Energy Company for approval of voluntary green pricing programs pursuant to Section 61 of 2016 PA 342.
- U-20652 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determination and/or approvals necessary for Upper Peninsula Power Company to comply with Section 61 of 2016 PA 342, and review of voluntary green pricing program.
- U-20713 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions, determinations and/or approvals necessary for DTE Electric Company to comply with Section 61 of 2016 PA 342.
- 3. U-20359 - In the matter of the application of Indiana Michigan Power Company for authority to increase its rates for the sale of electric energy and for approval of depreciation rates and other related matters. (final order.)

#### C. Gas

- 1. U-20233 - In the matter of the application of Consumers Energy Company for approval of a gas cost recovery plan and authorization of gas cost recovery factors for the 12-month period April 2019-March 2020. (final order.)
- 2. U-20569 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to require Consumers Energy Company to show cause why it should not be found in violation of Public Act 174 of 2013, the MISS DIG Underground Facility Damage Prevention and Safety Act, MCL 460.721 *et seq.* (final order.)
- 3. U-20608 - In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to amend the rules governing the technical standards for gas service. (rulemaking/after comment period.)

#### VI. Public Comments.

#### VII. Announcement of 2020 Regular Commission Meeting Schedule.

### **Notices**

- A. Any interested person may attend this meeting and/or any future Regular or Special Meeting of the Commission. Any person present at a Commission meeting may address the Commission during the time reserved on the Agenda for Public Comments in accordance with the content and duration limitations contained in the Commission's Bylaws.
- B. The meeting site is accessible, including handicapped parking. Persons needing an accommodation to participate may contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 284-8090 in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.
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- D. **DISCLAIMER:** The Commission may act only as a collective body, and one commissioner cannot speak for the Commission as a whole. Remarks made by an individual commissioner, or staff, are not the official action of the Commission. The Commission's orders are the official action of the Commission.