#### STATE OF MICHIGAN

## **DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING & REGULATORY AFFAIRS**

# MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION 7109 W. Saginaw Hwy.

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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING OF APRIL 13, 2023 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

Event Page: April 13, 2023 Commission meeting

The meeting scheduled for Thursday, April 13, 2023, **WILL BE** held at the above address. This meeting is open to the public, and all members of the public may attend in person. While mask wearing is not required, please respect individuals who choose to continue doing so.

In addition to attending the meeting in person, members of the public may participate by using the following Microsoft Teams meeting link, Meeting Link, or by dialing (248) 509-0316 and entering the following conference ID 609 288 345# when prompted. Instructions for public comment for those individuals participating remotely are detailed on page 2 of this notice. To minimize disruptions, attendees participating by Microsoft Teams or the phone will be muted until we reach the time for public comment.

The meeting will begin promptly at **1:00 p.m.**, but members of the public may access the video conferencing option approximately three (3) minutes before it begins. This meeting will be recorded, and the recording will be posted at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/MichiganPublicServiceCommission">www.youtube.com/MichiganPublicServiceCommission</a>.

In the event of a disconnection of the video or phone conference link, efforts will be made to reestablish a publicly accessible connection. However, the Commission will not recess, and the meeting will continue at the Commission's office.

Individuals with disabilities may request reasonable accommodations to participate in this meeting. To request reasonable accommodations, please contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 284-8090 as far as possible in advance of the meeting.

Members of the public with disabilities also have the option to participate in this meeting by dialing 7-1-1 and using the Michigan Relay service. More information about this service may be found at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/mpsc/consumer/telecommunications/michigan-relay">https://www.michigan.gov/mpsc/consumer/telecommunications/michigan-relay</a>. In addition, persons participating via the Microsoft Teams link may also turn on live closed captions.

### **Public Comments:**

Members of the public who wish to make a comment may do so during the Public Comment portion of the meeting, pursuant to the Commission's bylaws. The public may also submit written comments to the Commission via email at <a href="majorage-mps-approximation-mps-app

The Commission will take public comments in the following order: first, individuals attending in person; next, from individuals participating remotely, either through Microsoft Teams or the phone, who have entered the speaker queue; and finally, from individuals who wish to make a public comment through the remote option but have not entered the speaker queue. For individuals attending in person and who want to make a public comment, you may fill out a comment card to assist in the process.

Public comments must be directed to the Commission and should not be used to engage with other participants or respond to their comments. The Public Comment period is an opportunity for commissioners to listen to comments and concerns and not to answer questions. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes and one per person. When providing a comment, please indicate your name and where you live if you are willing to share.

The public may provide input on any business that will come before the Commission at the meeting or via email at <a href="majorecommissioners@michigan.gov">mpsc\_commissioners@michigan.gov</a>. Public comments pertaining to a specific case should be submitted to <a href="majorecommissioners@michigan.gov">mpscedockets@michigan.gov</a>.

## <u>Public Comments by Remote Participation:</u>

In addition to in-person public comments at the Commission meeting, members of the public may make public comments by Microsoft Teams or the phone.

For individuals participating remotely by Microsoft Teams and who want to make a verbal comment, you may click on the "raise hand" button to be queued up for comment. When it is your turn to speak, please click on the "mic" button to unmute. Individuals participating through Microsoft Teams also have the option to turn on their cameras.

For individuals participating remotely by phone and who want to make a verbal comment, you may press \*5 to be queued up for comment. When it is your turn to speak, press \*6 to unmute.

Public commenters on both Microsoft Teams and on the phone are added to the same speaker queue and will be called upon in the order they enter the speaker queue. Again, please do not lower your hand or press \*5 again or you will be removed from the queue and lose your place in line.

After taking public comments from individuals who have entered the speaker queue, individuals who have not entered the speaker queue but would like to make a public comment may do so by unmuting the mic or pressing \*6.