

COLLABORATE

Facilitate a coordinated, holistic approach that optimizes the engagement of all who manage and use Michigan's infrastructure

On any given day, the average Michigander encounters countless forms of infrastructure. From the first chime of the alarm clock (Utility – Electric), to the hum of the furnace (Utility – Gas), to the cup of morning joe (Water – Drinking Water) and a morning shower (Water – Wastewater), every day begins with infrastructure. Off to work on a network of roads (Transportation – Roads), crossing rivers and wetlands (Transportation – Bridges & Culverts) and safely skirting precipitation as it runs into storm drains (Water – Storm Water), the daily interface with Michigan's expansive system of infrastructure continues. Nearly 10 Million residents are serviced by over 3,350 infrastructure operators every day. While this web of interconnected infrastructure may appear seamless, opportunities to collaborate across infrastructure types has traditionally been limited. Purposeful sharing of construction timelines, funding mechanisms, and other resources allows

infrastructure owners to save time, stretch dollars, and reduce citizen inconvenience.

The Role of Michigan Infrastructure Council (MIC)

- Conduct Regional Communication and Coordination Summits to promote information exchange, shared solutions, and cross-asset project synchronization
- Launch a cross-asset portal to encourage regional coordination across transportation, water, utility, and communications infrastructure asset management
- Serve as a trusted resource across all stakeholders who manage and use Michigan's infrastructure to facilitate collective activities

Michigan Impact

MIC is poised to facilitate the collaborative discussion across all who manage and use Michigan's complex network of infrastructure – public and private utility owners, local, regional, and state governments, finance and policy experts, not-for-profit and non-governmental organizations, and Michigan citizens. Working together, there is opportunity to coordinate projects and programs, promote sound investments, and minimize citizen impact during construction.

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