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+1~248-509-0316 United States, Pontiac (Toll) Conference ID: 661 908 040# Tuesday, April 21^{st} , 9am - 11-am

Good afternoon,

On Wednesday the Michigan Public Service Commission issued an order in U-20757 addressing the pandemic. Among the topics was recognition of the roles EWR and DR programs play in energy affordability and reliability. It directs Staff to convene energy providers and stakeholders to:

- Identify potential impacts on meeting energy or demand saving targets and ways to mitigate such impacts and ensure program continuity.
- Identify best practices for continuing to serve low- to moderate-income households, including those impacted directly by COVID-19, and related outreach.

So, it turns out our previous two discussions have been good preparation. At our meeting on Tuesday, please be able to provide further updates on current plans and efforts to provide continuity as well as how to outline impacts based on the duration of the pandemic.

There may be additional meetings related to low-income and DR. More information will likely follow. I am envisioning this as similar to a kick-off meeting toward addressing the Commission's directive.

Thank you and have a great weekend,

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