



STATE OF MICHIGAN  
JOCELYN BENSON, SECRETARY OF STATE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
LANSING

-- NOTICE --

**YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS  
WILL CONDUCT A REMOTE MEETING ON JULY 6, 2020 AT 10:00 A.M.**

The Board of State Canvassers will conduct a meeting on July 6, 2020 at 10:00 a.m., which will be held remotely due to [Executive Order 2020-129](#) and the COVID-19 pandemic.

**Please use this link to observe the meeting:** [JULY 6 MEETING OF THE BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS](#)

Included on the Agenda will be:

- Consideration of meeting minutes for approval (June 18, 2020 meeting).
- Consideration of a proposed *de minimis* change to the Hart InterCivic, Inc. Voting System (upgraded workstation and monitor display).
- Consideration of the recall petition submitted on June 19, 2020 against Governor Gretchen Whitmer by Michael Garabelli. The reasons for recall printed in the heading of the petition are as follows:

- 1) For signing in April of 2020, Executive Order 2020-50
- 2) For saying the following regarding a question about the April 15, 2020 rally, ‘Operation Gridlock’, during an April 13, 2020 News Conference on COVID-19: “I hope that as people are looking at social media they are dispelling and taking on the dissemination of demonstrably inaccurate information. I also would just say, I think it is this group is funded in a large part by the DeVos family and I think it’s really inappropriate for a sitting member of the United States President’s cabinet to be waging political attacks on any governor, but obviously on me here at home.” MLIVE later reported: “Nick Wasmiller, a spokesperson for the DeVos family, said the family hasn’t funded the protest [Operation Gridlock] . . .”
- 3) For signing in March of 2020, Executive Order 2020-17, Temporary restrictions on non-essential medical and dental procedures, which included the following language: “A plan for a covered facility that performs medical procedures should exclude from postponement surgeries related to advanced cardiovascular disease (including coronary artery disease, heart failure, and arrhythmias) that would prolong life; oncological testing, treatment, and related procedures; pregnancy-related visits and procedures; labor and delivery; organ transplantations; and procedures related to dialysis.”

- Consideration of the 100-word summary of the purpose of the initiative petition sponsored by Unlock Michigan, 2145 Commons Parkway, Okemos, MI, 48864:

An initiation of legislation to repeal the Emergency Powers of Governor Act, 1945 PA 302, MCL 10.31 to 10.33, entitled “An act authorizing the governor to proclaim a state of emergency, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the governor with respect thereto; and to prescribe penalties.”

- Such other and further business as may be properly presented to the Board.

*/S/ Jonathan Brater*

Jonathan Brater, Secretary  
Board of State Canvassers

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A person may address the Board on any agenda item at the end of the meeting. A person who wishes to address the Board on an agenda item at the time the item is being discussed must submit a written request to the Chairperson of the Board prior to the opening of the meeting. **Persons addressing the Board are allotted three minutes.** Members of the general public may submit written comments using the “Chat” feature at the meeting link above, or via email at [elections@michigan.gov](mailto:elections@michigan.gov).

People with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in this meeting should email [elections@michigan.gov](mailto:elections@michigan.gov) or contact Lydia Valles at (517) 241-4662.