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SUBJECT: Report on Out-of-State Travel Expenses for Fiscal Year 2022

In accordance with Section 208 of Article 4, Part 2, of 2022 PA 166, attached is the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy's (EGLE) report on out-of-state travel expenses for fiscal year 2022.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY

Report on Out-of-State Travel Expenses for Fiscal Year 2022

From	To	Name	Nature of Business	From Destination	To Destination	Code	General	Restricted	Federal	Total
10/3/2021	10/5/2021	Green, Kelly	Council of Infrastructure Financing Authorities Convention	Howell, MI	Salt Lake City, UT	D, H			\$ 1,042.35	\$ 1,042.35
10/4/2021	10/8/2021	Withorn, Cory	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Harrison, MI	Pittsburgh, PA	E	\$ 205.00			\$ 205.00
10/11/2021	10/15/2021	Hinks, Benjamin	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Traverse City, MI	Pittsburgh, PA	E	\$ 74.43			\$ 74.43
10/11/2021	10/15/2021	Kimber, Eric	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Grand Haven, MI	Pittsburgh, PA	E, G	\$ 124.05			\$ 124.05
10/12/2021	10/15/2021	Jackson, Robert	2021 National Association of State Energy Officials Annual Meeting	Lansing, MI	Portland, ME	C, F		\$ 146.85	\$ 587.42	\$ 734.27
10/22/2021	10/27/2021	Powers-Taylor, Melissa	American Institute of Professional Geologist 2021 National Conference	Lansing, MI	Sacramento, CA	E, F, H			\$ 108.50	\$ 108.50
10/31/2021	11/5/2021	Ehinger, Dale	Wildland Hydrology Training Course - Stream Restoration Training	Grand Rapids, MI	Fayetteville, AR	G			\$ 3,648.20	\$ 3,648.20
11/6/2021	11/10/2021	Wygant, Adam	Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission Annual Conference	Jackson, MI	Santa Fe, NM	B, C, H	\$ 22.09	\$ 714.16		\$ 736.25
11/8/2021	11/8/2021	Gauthier, Thomas	Laboratory Standard Ozone Monitor Certification	Lansing, MI	Chicago, IL	B, C, D		\$ 38.42		\$ 38.42
11/8/2021	11/11/2021	Noble, Steven	E-Scrap and Reuse Conference	Lansing, MI	Chicago, IL	H		\$ 695.84		\$ 695.84
1/23/2022	1/27/2022	Hiday, Aaron	US Composting Council Conference	Lansing, MI	Austin, TX	B, G		\$ 337.47		\$ 337.47
1/31/2022	2/3/2022	Crawford, Jessica	2022 Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance - Midwest Energy Solutions Conference	East Lansing, MI	Chicago, IL	E, F		\$ 598.70		\$ 598.70
1/31/2022	2/3/2022	Staveland, Julie	2022 Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance - Midwest Energy Solutions Conference	Kalamazoo, MI	Chicago, IL	E, F		\$ 136.48	\$ 545.90	\$ 682.38
1/31/2022	2/3/2022	Thomas, Lisa	2022 Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance - Midwest Energy Solutions Conference	East Lansing, MI	Chicago, IL	E, F		\$ 38.49	\$ 153.95	\$ 192.44
2/7/2022	2/11/2022	Connolly, Cory	National Association of State Energy Officials 2022 Energy Policy Outlook Conference	Detroit, MI	Washington, DC	E, G	\$ 1,056.32			\$ 1,056.32
2/7/2022	2/11/2022	Denstead, Scott	Sonic Drill Rig Training	Lansing, MI	Salina, KS	B, E, G		\$ 575.70		\$ 575.70
2/7/2022	2/11/2022	Lower, Brian	Sonic Drill Rig Training	Lansing, MI	Salina, KS	B, E, G		\$ 495.70		\$ 495.70
2/8/2022	2/11/2022	Jackson, Robert	National Association of State Energy Officials 2022 Energy Policy Outlook Conference	Okemos, MI	Washington, DC	C, F		\$ 182.05	\$ 728.21	\$ 910.26
3/10/2022	3/13/2022	Fung, Courtney	Govern for America Spring 2022 Training	Lansing, MI	Denver, CO	E			\$ 299.16	\$ 299.16
3/15/2022	3/18/2022	Crawford, Jessica	Electrification 2022 International Conference and Exposition	East Lansing, MI	Charlotte, NC	E, F		\$ 1,652.72		\$ 1,652.72
3/15/2022	3/17/2022	Noffke, Sam	State of Lake Erie Conference	Lansing, MI	Cleveland, OH	C			\$ 455.76	\$ 455.76
3/15/2022	3/17/2022	Parker, Aaron	State of Lake Erie Conference	Lansing, MI	Cleveland, OH	B,F,G			\$ 446.68	\$ 446.68
3/15/2022	3/17/2022	Skavang (Foose), Melanie	State of Lake Erie Conference	Highland, MI	Cleveland, OH	F			\$ 331.96	\$ 331.96
3/20/2022	3/23/2022	Oswald, Eric J	Association of State Drinking Water Administrators Annual Board and Member Meeting	Battle Creek, MI	Alexandria, VA	B	\$ 1,534.20			\$ 1,534.20
3/27/2022	3/31/2022	Quigg, Mike	Solid Waste Landfill Design Training	Bay City, MI	Madison, WI	G		\$ 982.04		\$ 982.04
3/27/2022	3/31/2022	Whitmyer, Nathan	Solid Waste Landfill Design Training	Kalamazoo, MI	Madison, WI	B, E, G		\$ 933.98		\$ 2,228.98
3/28/2022	4/1/2022	Baltusis, Matt	Review of the Air Force Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Work Plan	Lansing, MI	Oak Ridge, TN	B, C, F			\$ 186.25	\$ 186.25
3/28/2022	4/1/2022	Harmon, William	Review of the Air Force Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Work Plan	Lansing, MI	Oak Ridge, TN	B, C, F			\$ 186.25	\$ 186.25
4/2/2022	4/6/2022	Keatley, Aaron	2022 Environmental Council of the States Spring Meeting - Theme: Engaging for Action	Lansing, MI	Asheville, NC	H	\$ 1,664.19			\$ 1,664.19
4/3/2022	4/6/2022	Clark, Liesl	2022 Environmental Council of the States Spring Meeting - Theme: Engaging for Action	Lansing, MI	Asheville, NC	H	\$ 2,365.51			\$ 2,365.51
4/4/2022	4/5/2022	Matousek, Bethany	National Stream Resoration Conference	Owosso, MI	Nashville, TN	D,E,F,G		\$ 1,716.99		\$ 1,716.99
4/4/2022	4/6/2022	Sanabria, Nicole	Northeast Conference, The Science of Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances: Public Health and the Environment	Lansing, MI	Marlborough, MA	E		\$ 732.12		\$ 732.12
4/4/2022	4/8/2022	Withorn, Cory	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Harrison, MI	Austin, TX	E	\$ 215.00			\$ 215.00
4/12/2022	4/15/2022	Baltusis, Matt	Annual United Army Corps of Engineers and Michigan Formerly Used Defense Site Forum	Lansing, MI	Louisville, KY	B, C, F			\$ 202.25	\$ 202.25
4/12/2022	4/15/2022	Briggs, Kalan	Annual United Army Corps of Engineers and Michigan Formerly Used Defense Site Forum	Lansing, MI	Louisville, KY	B, C, F			\$ 142.25	\$ 142.25
4/12/2022	4/15/2022	Harmon, William	Annual United Army Corps of Engineers and Michigan Formerly Used Defense Site Forum	Lansing, MI	Louisville, KY	B, C, F			\$ 142.25	\$ 142.25
4/18/2022	4/22/2022	Hinks, Benjamin	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Traverse City, MI	Austin, TX	E	\$ 153.75			\$ 153.75
4/18/2022	4/22/2022	Kimber, Eric	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Grand Rapids, MI	Austin, TX	E, G	\$ 153.75			\$ 153.75
4/22/2022	5/2/2022	Ehinger, Dale	Rosgen II - River Morphology and Applications Training	Kalamazoo, MI	Shepardston, WV	E,G			\$ 1,327.88	\$ 1,327.88
5/3/2022	5/6/2022	Dixon, Jennifer	International Association for Public Participation Midwest Chapter 2022 Spring Conference	Grand Rapids, MI	Eagan, MN	E	\$ 665.05			\$ 665.05
5/3/2022	5/6/2022	Lambeth, Katherine	International Association for Public Participation Midwest Chapter 2022 Spring Conference	Detroit, MI	Eagan, MN	E	\$ 1,205.04			\$ 1,205.04
5/10/22	5/13/22	Angellotti, Gina	Electric Power Research Institute's Continuous Emissions Monitoring User Group Meeting	Cadillac, MI	Indianapolis, IN	E, G, H		\$ 574.68		\$ 574.68
5/10/22	5/13/22	Howe, Jeremy	Electric Power Research Institute's Continuous Emissions Monitoring User Group Meeting	Cadillac, MI	Indianapolis, IN	E, G, H		\$ 488.76		\$ 488.76
5/13/2022	5/17/2022	Armbruster, Jim	Annual Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission Business Meeting	Bay City, MI	Oklahoma City, OK	C, H		\$ 348.84		\$ 348.84
5/13/2022	5/17/2022	Biteman, Susanne	Annual Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission Business Meeting	Interlochen, MI	Oklahoma City, OK	C, H	\$ 313.05			\$ 313.05
5/14/2022	5/18/2022	Wygant, Adam	Annual Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission Business Meeting	Jackson, MI	Oklahoma City, OK	C, H		\$ 1,223.46		\$ 1,223.46
5/15/2022	5/20/2022	Size, Mike	Association of State Dam Safety Officials Dam Safety 2022 Conference	Lansing, MI	Baltimore, MA	B,E,G,H	\$ 126.75			\$ 126.75
5/16/2022	5/20/2022	Mathews, Laura	2022 National Pretreatment Workshop & Training	Augusta, MI	Nashville, TN	E			\$ 1,400.92	\$ 1,400.92
5/16/2022	5/25/2022	Matousek, John	Regional Training National Lake Assessment Surveys	Lansing, MI	Kenosha, WI	D,E,F,G			\$ 469.13	\$ 469.13
5/16/2022	5/20/2022	Shattuck, Terri	2022 National Pretreatment Workshop & Training	Augusta, MI	Nashville, TN	G,H	\$ 1,206.46			\$ 1,206.46
5/16/2022	5/19/2022	Thomas, Lisa	2022 U.S. Department of Energy Better Buildings Summit	Lansing, MI	Arlington, VA	C, F		\$ 278.24	\$ 1,112.94	\$ 1,391.18
5/17/2022	5/20/2022	Baldwin, Ryan	Regional Training National Lake Assessment Surveys	Lansing, MI	Kenosha, WI	D,E,F,G			\$ 307.70	\$ 307.70
5/17/2022	5/19/2022	Wilkinson, Jake	2022 U.S. Department of Energy Better Buildings Summit	Lansing, MI	Arlington, VA	C, F	\$ 249.50	\$ 997.99		\$ 1,247.49
5/21/2022	5/27/2022	Christensen, Chris	Environmental Protection Agency Regional Project Manager Training	Grand Rapids, MI	Pittsburgh, PA	B, E, G, H		\$ 450.91		\$ 450.91
5/23/2022	5/25/2022	Tellier, Josh	Regional Training National Lake Assessment Surveys	Lansing, MI	Kenosha, WI	D,E,F,G			\$ 285.07	\$ 285.07
5/23/2022	5/25/2022	Turek, Kelly	Regional Training National Lake Assessment Surveys	Lansing, MI	Kenosha, WI	D,E,F,G			\$ 299.05	\$ 299.05
5/23/2022	5/26/2022	Willard, Pamela	National Association of Clean Water Agencies 2022 National Pretreatment Workshop	Lansing, MI	Nashville, TN	E			\$ 1,610.85	\$ 1,610.85
5/24/2022	5/27/2022	Mailoux, Jason	Turning Federal Investment into Action Conference	Lansing, MI	Louisville, KY	C, H	\$ 96.80	\$ 478.22		\$ 575.02
5/24/2022	5/27/2022	Wygant, Adam	Turning Federal Investment into Action Conference	Jackson, MI	Louisville, KY	C, H		\$ 613.17		\$ 613.17
5/25/2022	6/5/2022	Ladouceur, Dale	Soil Training class-field day	Iron Mountain, MI	Aurora, WI	G, H			\$ 186.30	\$ 186.30
5/28/2022	6/3/2022	Laskosky, Bradley	Soil Training class-field day	Iron Mountain, MI	Aurora, WI	G, H		\$ 15.57		\$ 15.57
5/29/2022	6/4/2022	Wolfe, Robert	Soil Training class-field day	Iron Mountain, MI	Niagara, WI	G, H			\$ 130.93	\$ 130.93
5/31/2022	6/4/2022	Hinks, Benjamin	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Traverse City, MI	Golden, CO	E	\$ 211.34			\$ 211.34
5/31/2022	6/4/2022	Hybza, Jack	Training of Professionals Energy Training Program	Grand Rapids, MI	Golden, CO	E	\$ 161.29			\$ 161.29
6/5/2022	6/11/2022	Herman, Matthew	Wildland Hydrology Level 1 Applied Fluvial Geomorphology Training	Lansing, MI	Seeley Lake, MT	E			\$ 3,498.08	\$ 3,498.08
6/7/2022	6/8/2022	Clark, Liesl	Hubs Day: Scaling Carbon and Hydrogen Solutions	Detroit, MI	Washington, DC	H	\$ 384.96			\$ 384.96

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			State Authorization Code Description							
			A = The travel is required by legal mandate or court order or for law enforcement purposes							
			B = The travel is necessary to protect the health or safety of Michigan citizens or visitors or to assist other states in similar circumstances							
			C = The travel is necessary to produce budgetary savings or to increase state revenues, including protecting existing federal funds or securing additional federal funds							
			D = The travel is necessary to comply with federal requirements							
			E = The travel is necessary to secure specialized training for staff that is not available within this state							
			F = The travel is financed entirely by federal or nonstate funds							
			G = The travel is necessary as part of the training of department workers or the staff of private providers through the child welfare institute							
			H - Other (requires explanation)							