



Michigan Community Service Commission

Board Meeting Minutes

November 13, 2025

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Kellogg Conference Center

219 S. Harrison Rd.

East Lansing, MI 48824

Distribution and Attendee List:

	Commissioners				MCSC Staff		Ex-Officio Commissioner
X	Austin Lowes		Heidi Magyar	X	GINNA HOLMES		Michelle Teare
X	Bobby Hoffman		Jazmine Danci		Carole Rush-Witt		
X	Bridget Clark Whitney		Kathleen Cain-Babbitt		David Martus		
X	Chris Pryor	X	Kristopher Hill	X	Jason Alexander		
	Christopher Boll		Linda Little		Joy Alston		
X	Daniel McKernan	X	Marianne Grima	X	KASIE BENNETT		
	Daniel Schoonmaker	X	Nathan Phillips	X	Megan Foresman		
	Darnishia Morris		Raquel Izzo McDonald		Melissa Sherry		
X	David Parent		Renee Williams	X	Shannon Zoet		
X	Domonique Clemons	X	Robert Kolt	X	Melinda Bostwick		
X	Doug Ferrick	X	Sue Carnell	X	Robin Tidwell		
X	Earle Higgins	X	Susan Sabo				
	Ellen Gilchrist	X	Temeca Simpson				
X	Grace Luwama	X	William Kimble				

	No formal agenda	

	<p>Welcome and Introductions Chair Robert Kolt called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m. A Quorum was present. He welcomed and ceremoniously administered the Oath of Office to the new Commissioners Marianne Grima, Grace Luwama, and Temeca Simpson. All present Commissioners introduced themselves to the new Commissioners.</p> <p>This was the last Commissioners Meeting for David Parent. Chairman Kolt thanked him for his service on the Commission.</p>
	<p>Governor's Service Awards Discussion took place regarding the Governor's Service Awards ceremony, which took place the evening before. Many of the Commissioners appreciated the smaller, more intimate setting for this year's event.</p>

	<p>Commissioners were pleased with the attendance of legislators and would like to see personal invitations to legislators continue in the coming years.</p> <p>There was discussion regarding alternating between smaller ceremonies like this year's event and the larger events MCSC has hosted previously.</p>
	<p>Engagement Melinda Bostwick gave a presentation on getting all sizes of businesses involved in community service and seeking ways they can engage employees as well.</p>
	<p>Public comment – none</p>
	<p>Commissioner Comment – none</p>
VII.	<p>Adjournment – The motion was made by David Parent and Doug Ferrick seconded the motion. Chair Robert Kolt adjourned the meeting at 12:01 p.m.</p>

TBD

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