STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE
OF HEARING
FOR THE ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF
DTE ELECTRIC COMPANY
CASE NO. U-20703

- DTE Electric Company Michigan Public Service Commission's approval of the reconciliation of its Energy Waste Reduction (EWR) plan, for the plan year 2019, and authority to implement EWR surcharges, and other related relief.

- The information below describes how a person may participate in this case.

- You may call or write DTE Electric Company, One Energy Plaza, 570 SB, Detroit, MI 48226, (800) 477-4747, for a free copy of its application. Any person may review the documents at the offices of DTE Electric Company.

- A pre-hearing will be held:

  DATE/TIME: Thursday, August 20, 2020 at 10:00 AM
  BEFORE: Administrative Law Judge Dennis Mack

  LOCATION: Video/Teleconferencing

  PARTICIPATION: Any interested person may participate. Persons needing any assistance to participate should contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 284-8090, or by email at mpscdocket@michigan.gov in advance of the hearing. Instructions regarding participation will be filed in the docket.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a pre-hearing to consider DTE Electric Company's (DTE Electric) July 1, 2020 application requesting the Commission to: 1) determine that DTE Electric's reconciliation for its 2019 EWR plan year is just and reasonable, and that it meets all relevant requirements of Act 295 as amended by Act 342; 2) approve DTE Electric's reconciliation for the 2019 EWR plan year, the performance incentives, and the associated proposed tariffs; 3) approve the necessary accounting authority described in DTE Electric's testimony; 4) approve DTE Electric's proposal to carry forward the 2019 net under recovery of $12.4 million into 2020 on a customer class basis and used as beginning balances for the 2020 reconciliation; and 5) grant other relief.
All documents filed in this case shall be submitted electronically through the Commission’s E-Dockets website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets. Requirements and instructions for filing can be found in the User Manual on the E-Dockets help page. Documents may also be submitted, in Word or PDF format, as an attachment to an email sent to: mpscedockets@michigan.gov. If you require assistance prior to e-filing, contact Commission staff at (517) 284-8090 or by email at: mpscedockets@michigan.gov.

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the case shall electronically file a petition to intervene with this Commission by August 13, 2020. (Interested persons may elect to file using the traditional paper format.) The proof of service shall indicate service upon DTE Electric Company’s attorney, David S. Maquera, One Energy Plaza, Detroit, MI 48226.

The prehearing is currently scheduled to be held remotely by video conference or teleconference. Persons filing a petition to intervene will be advised of the process to participate in the hearing. However, the Commission will continue to evaluate whether the prehearing can be safely converted to an in-person hearing. Thus, all interested persons should monitor this docket prior to the prehearing for any potential changes to the format of the prehearing.

Any person wishing to participate without intervention under Mich Admin Code, R 792.10413 (Rule 413), or file a public comment, may do so by filing a written statement in this docket. The written statement may be mailed or emailed and should reference Case No. U-20703. Statements may be emailed to: mpscedockets@michigan.gov. Statements may be mailed to: Executive Secretary, Michigan Public Service Commission, 7109 West Saginaw Hwy., Lansing, MI 48917. All information submitted to the Commission in this matter becomes public information, thus available on the Michigan Public Service Commission’s website, and subject to disclosure. Please do not include information you wish to remain private. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 284-8090.

Requests for adjournment must be made pursuant to Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules R 792.10422 and R 792.10432. Requests for further information on adjournment should be directed to (517) 284-8130.

A copy of DTE Electric Company’s application may be reviewed on the Commission’s website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets, and at the office of DTE Electric Company. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 284-8090.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE
OF HEARING
FOR THE ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF
CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY AND
DTE ELECTRIC COMPANY
CASE NO. U-20844


- The information below describes how a person may participate in this case.

- You may call or write Consumers Energy Company, One Energy Plaza, Jackson, Michigan 49201, (800) 477-5050; or DTE Electric Company, One Energy Plaza, Detroit, Michigan 48226-1279, (800) 477-4747 for a free copy of its application. Any person may review the documents at the offices of Consumers Energy Company or DTE Electric Company.

- A pre-hearing will be held:

  DATE/TIME: Wednesday, August 19, 2020 at 10:00 AM
  BEFORE: Administrative Law Judge Sharon Feldman
  LOCATION: Video/Teleconferencing
  PARTICIPATION: Any interested person may participate. Persons needing any assistance to participate should contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 284-8090, or by email at mpscedockets@michigan.gov in advance of the hearing. Instructions regarding participation will be filed in the docket.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a pre-hearing to consider Consumers Energy Company and DTE Electric Company's July 10, 2020 application requesting the Commission to approve their joint request for depreciation accrual rates, depreciation expense and depreciation rate change implementation timing requested for accounting and ratemaking purposes for the Ludington Plant, and other relief. DTE Electric and Consumers Energy are requesting an increase in annual depreciation expenses of $16.7 million and $16.8 million, respectively.
All documents filed in this case shall be submitted electronically through the Commission’s E-Dockets website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets. Requirements and instructions for filing can be found in the User Manual on the E-Dockets help page. Documents may also be submitted, in Word or PDF format, as an attachment to an email sent to: mpscedockets@michigan.gov. If you require assistance prior to e-filing, contact Commission staff at (517) 284-8090 or by email at: mpscedockets@michigan.gov.

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the case shall electronically file a petition to intervene with this Commission by August 12, 2020. (Interested persons may elect to file using the traditional paper format.) The proof of service shall indicate service upon Consumers Energy Company’s attorney, Michael C. Rampe, One Energy Plaza, Jackson, MI 49201 and DTE Electric’s attorney, Jon P. Christinidis, One Energy Plaza, Detroit, MI 48226.

The prehearing is currently scheduled to be held remotely by video conference or teleconference. Persons filing a petition to intervene will be advised of the process to participate in the hearing. However, the Commission will continue to evaluate whether the prehearing can be safely converted to an in-person hearing. Thus, all interested persons should monitor this docket prior to the prehearing for any potential changes to the format of the prehearing.

Any person wishing to participate without intervention under Mich Admin Code, R 792.10413 (Rule 413), or file a public comment, may do so by filing a written statement in this docket. The written statement may be mailed or emailed and should reference Case No. U-20844. Statements may be emailed to: mpscedockets@michigan.gov. Statements may be mailed to: Executive Secretary, Michigan Public Service Commission, 7109 West Saginaw Hwy., Lansing, MI 48917. All information submitted to the Commission in this matter becomes public information, thus available on the Michigan Public Service Commission’s website, and subject to disclosure. Please do not include information you wish to remain private. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 284-8090.

Requests for adjournment must be made pursuant to Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules R 792.10422 and R 792.10432. Requests for further information on adjournment should be directed to (517) 284-8130.

A copy of Consumers Energy Company and DTE Electric Company’s application may be reviewed on the Commission’s website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets, and at the office of Consumers Energy Company and DTE Electric Company. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 284-8090.