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See also attached file. <u>https://www.mass.gov/files/documents/2023/07/12/evicc-notice-of-public-hearing.pdf</u>

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ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE COORDINATING COUNCIL

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Coordinating Council (EVICC), established pursuant to <u>St. 2022 c. 179 § 81</u>, announces two public hearings. This notice is provided pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, § 20.

EVICC is undergoing an effort to assess and report on strategies and plans necessary to deploy electric vehicle charging infrastructure to establish an equitable, interconnected, accessible and reliable electric vehicle charging network. More information can be found at <u>https://www.mass.gov/info-details/electric-vehicle-infrastructure-coordinating-council-evicc</u>.

At these meetings, we will cover the following:

- 1. The work, goals, and deliverables of the Council
- 2. Barriers consumers are facing to adoption of EV charging stations
- 3. Additional information consumers are seeking

We are also seeking feedback on the following:

- 1. How does the availability of electric vehicle charging infrastructure impact your decision-making and/or buyer behavior?
- 2. What would help to improve your electric vehicle driving experience?
- 3. What challenges, if any, do you see with reliability and cost of electric vehicle charging stations?
- 4. Where would you like to see electric vehicle charging locations?

Public hearings will be conducted at the dates and times below:

Wednesday, July 19, 2023 | 6–8 p.m. UMass Dartmouth Charlton College of Business, Room 149 285 Old Westport Rd North Dartmouth, MA 02747

Wednesday, July 26, 2023 | 6–8 p.m. Holyoke Community College Kittredge Center 303 Homestead Ave Holyoke, MA 01040 Note: Park in lot D (do not park in lot E)

To request written language translation or oral interpretation at the public hearings, please contact Dan Gatti at Daniel.Gatti@mass.gov.

For oral language interpretation, the request must be received at least three (3) business days prior to the public hearing date at which the interpretation is requested.

To request other reasonable accommodations, please contact Melixza Esenyie, ADA and Diversity Manager at Melixza.Esenyie2@mass.gov or 617-626-1282.

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