

## MIGreenPower Community Impact

### Solar Council Meeting - Minutes

Tuesday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022

#### **Attendance**

- DTE: Lindsay Wold, Kelsey Tremberth, Victoria Kovac, Larysa Blyzniuk
- MPSC Staff: Cody Matthews
- Vote Solar: Will Kenworthy
- Guidehouse: Cherish Smith
- Community Representatives: Janis Hazel, Heather Johnson, Juan Shannon

#### **Review Action Items**

#### **Agenda**

- Request for Information (RFI) Update
  - o Reviewed RFI and Community Input Form; suggestion to ensure community input is strongly considered; Solar Council discussed opportunities for residential-focused sessions
  - o Due date – suggestion to keep open for two months from date of Community Partner meeting; gives time to share with community and developers; Solar Council discussed the importance to have touchpoints throughout two-month timeline to share broadly; option to keep it open for longer if needed depending on response numbers
- Community Partner Meeting
  - o Solar Council discussed best time for meeting; officially decided on Thursday, August 4<sup>th</sup> from 2:30-3:30pm ET; suggestion to avoid lunch hour if possible and Solar Council agreed a day-time meeting would be best for this audience
  - o Reviewed additional faith-based partners to expand community outreach

#### **Closing Remarks/Next Steps**

- Juan and Janis to add other faith-based partners to spreadsheet
- Lindsay to finalize invite and send out ASAP
- Solar Council to continue to brainstorm funding opportunities as well as near future community touchpoints
- Lindsay to send out RFI and Input Form to Solar Council for review ASAP