

MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Virtual, June 15, 2023

Members Present:

Scott Grimes, Grand Haven
John Thompson, Brighton
Vic Michaels, Detroit
Kris Isom, Adrian
Jason Malloy, Westland

Staff Members Present:

Cody Inglis
Mark Uyl (Recorder)

Executive Committee Authority and Responsibility – The Executive Committee reviewed its authority under Article VII of the MHSAA Constitution and specifically its responsibility to consider each application for waiver of an eligibility requirement on its individual merits, determining if the regulation serves the purpose for which it was intended in each case or if the regulation works an undue hardship on any student who is the subject of a request for waiver. (These underlying criteria may not be restated for every subject of these minutes.)

The MHSAA is a private, nonprofit corporation, made up of voluntary membership; it is neither a state agency nor a court of law, and is not bound by any particular legal standard of review or burden of proof when applying its Regulations or while administering an internal appeal. The *MHSAA Handbook* may identify which party bears the burden of proof, depending on the particular situation or if a particular Regulation is at issue. The MHSAA staff, its Executive Committee, or its Representative Council, where appropriate, shall determine whether the circumstances in each situation, as presented to the MHSAA, warrant application or waiver of a particular Regulation or Interpretation. To make that determination, the MHSAA considers what a reasonable person given the same information would decide.

The Executive Committee was reminded that it was the responsibility of each member school involved to provide sufficient information about the specific request for the Executive Committee to reach a decision without further investigation. If information is incomplete, contradictory or otherwise unclear or has been received too late to be studied completely, the Executive Committee may deny the request for waiver or delay action. Such requests may be resubmitted to the Executive Committee with additional information at a subsequent meeting or appealed to the full Representative Council.

It is possible that some of the information presented as facts to the Executive Committee by school personnel and others may be inaccurate. However, to avoid constant repetition in this report of phrases such as “it was alleged” or “it was reported,” no attempt is made in the introduction of each waiver request to distinguish between truth, allegation, hearsay, opinion, summary or conclusion. If any information provided to the Executive Committee is inaccurate, any decision of the Executive Committee to grant waiver of a regulation shall be vacated.

The Executive Committee is not authorized to approve waiver based on alleged or actual differences between schools based on “environment,” demographics, curriculum or extracurricular offerings. A determination of undue hardship is a matter addressed to the discretion of the Executive Committee within the educational philosophy and secondary role of voluntary extracurricular competitive athletics in the academic environment. The Executive Committee will avoid making exceptions that would create precedent that effectively changes a rule without Representative Council action or local board of education adoption, which would exceed Executive Committee authority. The agreement the MHSAA has with member schools obligates the MHSAA to not change rules during the school year.

Students for whom waiver of a particular regulation is approved must be eligible in all other respects under all sections and interpretations of the regulations prior to their participation.

Adoption of these regulations, as well as policies, procedures and schedules of MHSAA tournaments, is a choice schools make locally when they consider their option of MHSAA membership. Consistent with rulings of the Attorney General and Michigan Supreme Court, schools are not bound by the decisions of the Executive Committee, but the association may limit participation in the postseason tournaments it sponsors to those schools which choose to apply rules and penalties as promulgated by the MHSAA and adopted by each member school's board of education. The MHSAA exercises no independent authority over schools or students.

Harbor Springs-Harbor Light and Petoskey-St. Michael High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[D]) – A request was made to waive Regulation I, Section 1 (D) to allow the use of 8th-grade student-athletes in their cooperative cross country program with St. Michael as the host school. The already existing cooperative agreement between these two schools in cross country will have 104 students in grades 9-12 for the 2023-24 school year. The request was made to the Executive Committee with specific numbers, causes, and rationale about the positive impact of using 8th graders at St. Michael and specific to their cooperative cross country program for Fall 2023.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver in cross county.

Hillsdale Academy (Regulation I, Section 1[D]) – A request was made to waive Regulation I, Section 1 (D) to allow the use of 8th-grade student-athletes in their athletic programs. Hillsdale Academy will have 100 students in grades 9-12 for the 2023-24 school year. The request was made to the Executive Committee with specific numbers, causes, and rationale about the positive impact of using 8th graders at Hillsdale Academy in all sports starting in the Fall of 2023.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Kinde-North Huron High School (Regulation I, Section 1[D]) – A was made request to waive Regulation I, Section 1 (D) to allow the use of 8th-grade student-athletes in their athletic programs. North Huron will have 112 students in grades 9-12 for the 2023-24 school year. The was made to the Executive Committee with specific numbers, cause, and rationale about the positive impact of using 8th graders at North Huron specific to their volleyball program for Fall 2023.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver in volleyball.

Lake Linden-Hubbell High School (Regulation I, Section 1[D]) – A request was made to waive Regulation I, Section 1 (D) to allow the use of 8th-grade student-athletes in their athletic programs. Lake Linden-Hubbell will have 104 students in grades 9-12 for the 2023-24 school year. The request was made to the Executive Committee with specific numbers, cause, and rationale about the positive impact of using 8th graders at Lake Linden-Hubbell in their athletic programs.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Harbor Springs and Petoskey-St Michael High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[E]) – The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in girls golf (varsity and JV) between these schools. The combined enrollment of 289 students would place the combined team in Division 4. Harbor Springs would be the primary school. Support from the Lake Michigan Conference was submitted.

Muskegon-Western Michigan Christian (Regulation I, Section 1[E]) – A request was made to waive Regulation I, Section 1 regarding enrollment, specifically cooperative program eligibility. After several years of a cooperative program in football, Muskegon Catholic Central and Muskegon Western Michigan Christian ended their cooperative agreement based on a lack of participation at WMC. This has left one senior student-athlete without a place to play football after playing for the past three years in this program. There are no other student-athletes interested in football at WMC. The request is for continued football eligibility for this student only during the fall 2023 football season so this student can play his senior year with the Muskegon Catholic Central football program. Both schools have expressed a desire for this to occur and submitted the request together.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Newport-Monroe Jefferson and Erie-Mason High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[E]) – The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in boys and girls soccer (varsity only) between these schools. The combined enrollment of 867 students would place the combined team in Division 2. Newport-Monroe Jefferson would be the primary school. Support from the Huron League was submitted.

Sterling Heights-Parkway Christian and Chesterfield-Austin Catholic High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[E]) – The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in football (varsity only) between these schools. The combined enrollment of 225 students would place the combined team in Division 8. Sterling Heights-Parkway Christian will be the primary school. Support from the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference was submitted.

Livonia-Churchill and Livonia-Franklin High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[F-1]) – The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in ice hockey (varsity only) between these schools. The combined enrollment of 2,552 students would place the combined team in Division 2. Livonia-Churchill will be the primary school. Support from the Kensington Lakes Activities Association was submitted.

Middleville-Thornapple Kellogg, Hudsonville-Unity Christian, Hopkins and Grand Rapids-West Catholic High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[F-1]) – The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in boys swimming and diving (varsity only) between these schools. The combined enrollment of 2,565 students would place the combined team in Division 1. Middleville-Thornapple Kellogg will be the primary school. Support from the OK Conference was submitted.

St Clair Shores-Lakeview and St Clair Shores-Lake Shore High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[F-1]) – The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in girls lacrosse (varsity only) between these schools. The combined enrollment of 2,493 students would place the combined team in Division 1. St Clair Shores-Lakeview will be the primary school. Support from the Macomb Area Conference was submitted.

Holland-West Ottawa and Holland Christian High Schools (Regulation I, Section 1[F-3]) – A request was made to waive Regulation I, Section 1 (F-3) regarding an existing cooperative agreement in competitive cheer that has existed for four years between these two schools. The desire to continue this cooperative program past the four-year allowance in competitive cheer also follows two other successful cooperative programs in girls lacrosse and ice hockey.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver for two (2) additional years in competitive cheer.

Howell High School (Regulation I, Sections 4 & 5) – A request to waive the maximum enrollment and maximum competition rules of the eligibility regulation was made on behalf of a current 10th-grade student who transferred to Howell from Belleville in August of 2022. The student was academically reclassified to be a 10th-grade student at Howell. The student will now graduate in the spring of 2025 from Howell, though the current semester will be her sixth semester of high school. The student experienced online education during the pandemic and because of this, was held back to allow her a complete in-person education. The school request is for eligibility in girls lacrosse, in what will be her senior year and 9th and 10th semesters of high school.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Berrien Springs High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of an incoming 10th-grade student to Berrien Springs. The student previously attended St. Joseph-Our Lady of the Lake and participated in both volleyball (one game) and soccer. The student's stepfather was hired as an administrator at Berrien Springs and the family has made a move to Eau Claire, where they are building a new home, from Indiana. The waiver request was for the student to be eligible after one game of volleyball at Berrien Springs and that she be allowed to compete in subvarsity soccer at Berrien Springs in the 2023-24 school year.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver in volleyball after one (1) day of competition. More information is needed for the request in soccer.

Bloomfield Hills-Marian High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made for a 10th-grade student who transferred to Marian during the second semester of the 2022-2023 school year. The student transferred to Marian after attending Clarkston during her 9th-grade year. The student participated in volleyball at Clarkston. The student transferred after experiencing health issues which were exacerbated by several school threats and precautionary shutdowns along with multiple active shooter drills. Marian was chosen because of its close proximity to her mother's work and because it is a single-gender school that faces less violent incidents. Documentation from the family was also provided as a rationale for their choice of Marian.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Charlevoix High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of an 11th-grade student at Charlevoix. The student transferred from Beaver Island at the start of the second semester of the 2022-23 school year. The student participated in soccer during the fall season of 2022-23 with Beaver Island. The student will play basketball at Charlevoix during his senior year and desires to play soccer as well. The student transferred to Charlevoix to get a fresh start on the "mainland" after being raised on the island where his father is a teacher. The home the family purchased is in the Ellsworth attendance area. The request is for immediate eligibility in soccer and, if not possible, after eight games, the number of games he played at Beaver Island.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Grand Rapids-NorthPointe Christian High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of an 11th-grade student who has transferred to NorthPointe Christian after attending Grand Rapids Christian for the start of the second semester of the 2022-23 school year. The student participated on the 9th-grade and JV volleyball teams while at Grand Rapids Christian during the 2022-23 school year. The student experienced bullying on and off the court from volleyball team members resulting in therapy and hospitalization for the student-athlete. After these incidents, her desire to start afresh led her to NorthPointe Christian. Documentation from parents, the former school, and psychiatrists was included. The school requests immediate eligibility in volleyball for the 2023-24 school year.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Manchester High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of a current 9th-grade student at Manchester. The student is, and has been, taking only two classes at Manchester and does not meet the MHSAA enrollment rules. Previous school administration allowed the student to compete in volleyball at Manchester despite this violation of MHSAA rules, which also resulted in a complete forfeiture of the JV volleyball season in which the student-athlete played ineligibly. The former Athletic Director left the position after this violation was discovered. The request is that if the student is a full-time enrolled student at Manchester in the fall that she be allowed to compete in subvarsity volleyball at Manchester beginning in the Fall of 2023.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Menominee High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made for an incoming 10th-grade student to Menominee. The student previously attended Menominee as a 9th-grade student but left after renovations to Menominee caused students to learn remotely. The student then enrolled in Stephenson and participated in volleyball for one game. The student had also participated in seven matches while at Menominee before the transfer. The student desires to come back to Menominee now that school renovations are completed. The waiver request was for the student to be eligible after eight matches of volleyball at Menominee in the 2023-24 school year.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver after eight (8) days of competition in volleyball.

Muskegon-Mona Shores High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of a current 9th-grade student who transferred from Muskegon Catholic Central to Mona Shores in March during the 2022-23 school year. Before leaving Muskegon Catholic Central, the student played varsity football in three dates of competition. The student had to play varsity football as a 9th-grader because Muskegon Catholic Central did not have a JV team. The student, as a freshman, played sparingly in the three games he did participate in. The student left Muskegon Catholic Central after struggling to adjust to a new school and the housing market forcing a change of residence into the Mona Shores district. The request was for subvarsity eligibility in football at Mona Shores beginning in week four of the 2023 season.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver after three (3) games.

Portage Northern High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of two brothers, incoming 11th grade students. The students attended De Lassalle Institute in Chicago, IL. While at De Lassalle Institute, one 11th grade brother competed in football, basketball and track while the other brother competed in football and lacrosse. They have transferred to the Portage Northern attendance area from Chicago to help care for their grandfather, who is recovering from hip replacement surgery and a heart attack. Their mother, with whom they lived in Chicago with, cannot accompany them because she is a licensed financial broker in Illinois and would lose her clients if she moved to Michigan. As a single mother, the option of moving her sons to care for her father was the best for the family as the father is out of the picture. The request was for immediate eligibility at Portage Northern for both brothers. Supporting documentation was sent from the mother regarding the situation.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Rochester Hills-Lutheran Northwest High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation, and specifically Interpretation 62 (closest non-public school to the residence) was made on behalf of a student who transferred from U-D Jesuit at the start of the second semester of the 2022-23 school year. The student moved between divorced parents, and Educational Transfer Form has also been completed. Lutheran Northwest is not the closest non-public school to the new residence. The student attended a Lutheran elementary and middle school and a Lutheran church. Lutheran Northwest is the closest Lutheran high school based on the new residence. The request was for immediate eligibility in all sports at Lutheran Northwest.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Royal Oak-Shrine Catholic High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of a current 9th-grade student who transferred from Troy Athens to Royal Oak Shrine on Sept. 23 during the 2022-23 school year. Before leaving Troy Athens, the student played volleyball on the 9th-grade team for seven dates of competition. The student left Troy Athens after struggling to adjust at a bigger school during her 9th-grade year. The request was for eligibility in volleyball at Royal Oak Shrine after seven dates of competition.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver after seven (7) days of competition in volleyball.

Royal Oak-Shrine High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation and specifically Interpretation 62 (closest non-public school to the residence) was made on behalf of a 9th-grade student who attended St. Paul High School in Virginia as a 9th and 10th-grade student. While at St. Paul, the student played volleyball before making a full and complete residential move from Virginia to Bloomfield Hills. Royal Oak Shire is not the closest non-public school to their new residence but the closest co-ed Catholic school. The former school was also a co-ed Catholic high school, and the student's mother also attended Shrine as a student. The request was for the student to be able to participate in volleyball for their junior year at Shrine.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Saginaw-Swan Valley High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of two brothers (currently 9th and 10th grades) who enrolled at Swan Valley in September of 2022 after briefly attending Hemlock. During their time at Hemlock, both students competed in a JV football scrimmage at Hemlock while one brother competed in the first two JV football games of the 2022-23 season. The students transferred to Swan Valley after attending a week and a half of classes at Hemlock. The request was for immediate eligibility in football after sitting out the football scrimmage for both student-athletes and the first two regular season games in football for the older brother.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver after two (2) regular season games in football for the older student and one (1) football scrimmage for the younger student.

South Lyon East High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of an 11th-grade student who recently enrolled at South Lyon East. The student transferred from Novi-Detroit Catholic Central after the 2022-23 school year. The student participated in one football and baseball game at Detroit Catholic Central during the 2022-23 school year. The student transferred to South Lyon East due to educational reasons for his senior year. The request was for immediate eligibility in football and baseball after one game in each sport at South Lyon East.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver after one (1) game in football and baseball.

Sterling Heights High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made for an incoming 12th-grade student who transferred to Sterling Heights from Warren Mott. The student attended Warren Mott since his 9th-grade year but faced disciplinary issues there, resulting in his expulsion during the 2021-22 school year. He was then reinstated at Warren Mott for the 2022-23 school year until further discipline resulted in additional suspension and a subsequent transfer within the Warren Consolidated School District to Sterling Heights. While at Mott, the student competed in football for three seasons. The new school requested immediate eligibility in football for the student's senior year at Sterling Heights. Extensive supporting documentation was received, and the student's academic and discipline records were provided.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Traverse City Central High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation, specifically interpretation #62 (closest public school attendance area) was made on behalf of a 9th-grade student at Traverse City Central. The student transferred from Homer, Alaska to the Traverse City area with his father's transfer to the Traverse City Coast Guard Air Base. While the family desired to find a home in the Traverse City Central attendance area, they were unable to do so and purchased one in the Suttons Bay attendance area. The student has adjusted well to Traverse City Central and the family does not wish to transfer him to another school. The Traverse City housing market has not allowed the family to find a home in Traverse City. The student participated in football and soccer while in Alaska during the fall season of 2022-23. The request was for subvarsity eligibility in football and soccer.

The Executive Committee did not approve the request for waiver.

Warren-De La Salle High School (Regulation I, Section 9) – A request to waive the transfer regulation was made on behalf of an incoming 11th-grade student at De La Salle. The student attended Detroit Catholic Central while living in from Windsor, Ontario, Canada, where the student has lived his entire life. The student changed residences from Canada to a residence in Roseville with his father and younger brother. The student's mother has not been granted her immigration visa which could take up to 9-12 months. The mother works full-time in Canada and without the visa is unable to live or travel back and forth for work to the USA. She will remain in Canada until her visa is approved. The student participated in football, basketball, and track while at Detroit Catholic Central. The request was for immediate eligibility in football, basketball, and track at De La Salle HS.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Northville High School (Regulation II, Section 6) – A request to waive the new MHSAA travel limitation to permit the school's hockey team to compete in Pennsylvania against Shady Side Academy for two games in November of 2023. At the May 2023, Representative Council meeting, the MHSAA travel rule was changed to allow participation only in border states to Michigan. The former rule allowed participation within 600 round trip miles from a member school regardless of a border. These games were scheduled in Pennsylvania for Northville before the new travel rule adoption. The school provided an itinerary and timeline of the scheduling of these hockey games and will not schedule future games in Pennsylvania.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver for the 2023-24 season only.

Interstate 8 Middle School Athletic Conference (Regulation IV, Section 10) – A request was made to allow this league to begin middle school football practice five days earlier than allowed by regulation, on Wednesday, August 16, 2023. Practice is permitted the 14th Monday before Thanksgiving (Aug. 21, 2023). The early start date would allow schools the option to have three additional days of practice so they may scrimmage on the Wednesday or Thursday of the last week of August prior to Labor Day in order to have nine practice days prior to the scrimmage. It would also permit schools to not practice on the Friday or Monday of Labor Day. The Interstate 8 Middle School Conference offers four seasons of participation with winter sports beginning Oct. 16, 2023, and this would permit some time off between fall and winter seasons. The Executive Committee approved this request previously.

The Executive Committee approved the request for waiver.

Traverse City-East and Traverse City-Woodland Middle Schools (Regulation III, Section 1[D])
– The Executive Committee approved a cooperative program in football (7th and 8th grades) for these schools beginning in the 2023-24 school year. Traverse City-West will be the primary school.

Approved International Student Programs (AISP) – Exception 4 of Regulation I, Section 9(A) allows immediate eligibility for one academic year for an otherwise eligible international student on either a J-1 or F-1 visa who is placed in a residence in a public high school district or school service area through an MHSAA Approved International Student Program. Pursuant to Interpretation 83, the Executive Committee will review the CSIET J-1 and F-1 inbound student programs as well as all member-school-operated international student programs and determine that the following are MHSAA approved for the 2023-24 school year:

CSIET F-1 Inbound Listed Programs (See Appendix 1)

CSIET J-1 Inbound Listed Programs (See Appendix 2)

MHSAA Member School Programs (limited to five international students participating or one percent of high school enrollment, whichever is greater):

- Birmingham-Brother Rice High School – Maximum of **six (6)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Burton-Genesee Christian High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Clarkston-Everest Collegiate High School (through Oak International Academies) – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Grand Rapids Christian High School – Maximum of **eight (8)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Grand Rapids-NorthPointe Christian High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Grand Rapids-West Catholic High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Grosse Pointe Woods-University Liggett School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.

- Jenison High School (Jenison International Academy) – Maximum of **sixteen (16)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Muskegon-West Michigan Christian High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Pannonia Christian Educational Exchange – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- St. Joseph-Michigan Lutheran High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Sterling Heights-Parkway Christian High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Traverse City Area Public Schools – Maximum of **twenty-nine (29)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.
- Westland-Huron Valley Lutheran High School – Maximum of **five (5)** international students (total of J-1 and F-1 visa students) allowed to participate on varsity level interscholastic teams during the **2023-24** academic year.

2023-24 Multimedia Regulations – The Executive Committee reviewed and approved the 2023-24 Multimedia Regulations.

2023-24 MHSAA Officials Guidebook – The Executive Committee reviewed and approved the 2023-24 *Officials Guidebook*.

Next Meetings – Monday, Aug. 7 at 9 a.m. – Virtual; Tuesday, Aug. 22 at 9 a.m. – Virtual; Thursday, Sept. 7 at 9 a.m. – Virtual; Thursday, Oct. 5 at 9 a.m. – Virtual; Wednesday, Nov. 1 at 9 a.m. – Virtual; Thursday, Nov. 30 at 2 p.m. in East Lansing (Representative Council meets the next day)