PUBLIC NOTICE

THOMAS TOWNSHIP, located in Saginaw County Michigan and whose address is 249 North Miller Road, Saginaw, MI 48609, in conjunction with the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Michigan Economic Development Corporation has applied for assistance under the Community Development Block Grant Disaster Relief program (CDBG-DR) for funding that has been allocated in response to presidentially declared disasters, specifically the May 2020 flooding events. The funding assistance is for the THOMAS TOWNSHIP PUMP STATION #8 FLOOD MIGIGATION PROJECT. The objective of the CBDG-DR program is to fund mitigation measures that reduce the risk of loss of life and property from future hazard events or disasters. This project will relocate an existing sanitary sewer lift station currently located within the flood plain to outside the 100 and 500-year flood zones.

Under 24 CFR Part 91.115 (Citizen Participation Plan for States, CPP) and the HUD requirements, Thomas Township has implemented this CPP to meet the requirements necessary for the possible allocation of funds for this mitigative project.

Under the National Environmental Policy Act, EO 11988 and EO 11990, public notice is required of any federal actions that may affect floodplains or wetlands. Under the National Historic Preservation Act, public notice is also required for some projects with have the potential to affect historic properties. All necessary permits and approvals will be obtained prior to construction and completion of the project.

Public participation is encouraged. Those interested are invited to comment within 30-days by e-mail to CDBGDR@michigan.org or by mail to MEDC, Attention CDBG-DR, 300 North Washington Square, Lansing, MI 48913.

The CDBG-DR Action Plan will also be available on the MEDC CDBG-DR website at https://www,miplace.org/cdbg-dr/.