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To: PIPP Plus Stakeholders

Subject: Percentage of Income Payment Plan Plus (PIPP Plus) Rule Review and Business Impact Analysis

The Ohio Development Services Agency (Development) announced the PIPP Plus rule review process in June of this year. As a reminder, the rules are now open for public comment and review with initial comments due by **July 19, 2019** and reply comments due by **August 9, 2019**. The proposed changes to Chapter 122:5-3, Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.) are posted on Development's website at <https://development.ohio.gov/rules/rules.htm>. A Business Impact Analysis (BIA) has now been prepared and is available for review on the website as well.

The PUCO similarly proposed changes to Chapters 4901:1-17 and 4901:1-18, O.A.C. and prepared a BIA, all of which are available on the PUCO's docketing website under Case No. 19-0052-AU-ORD. They can be found at <http://dis.puc.state.oh.us/TiffToPDF/A1001001A19F19B52540B02292.pdf>.

To streamline the comment process, Development and the PUCO are requesting that individuals interested in providing comments on the PIPP Plus provisions contained within the rules of either Development or PUCO adhere to the following process:

- All comments for Development Chapter 122:5-3, O.A.C. and PUCO Chapters 4901:1-17 and 4901:1-18, O.A.C. should be contained in one document for ease of joint staff review.
- Recognizing that Chapters 122:5-3 and 4901:1-18, O.A.C. contain both PIPP Plus rules that relate to the Development and PUCO, as well as non-PIPP Plus rules, the comments should be organized into three sections as follows:
 - Section I should address the PIPP Plus rules contained in Chapters 122:5-3 and 4901:1-18, O.A.C. This section should be organized to address the rules unique to the Development and the PUCO separately, and those rules in common between the two agencies jointly. All comments in Section I should include references to the specific Development or PUCO rule provision.
 - Section II should address the non-PIPP Plus rules contained in PUCO's Chapter 4901:1-17, O.A.C.
 - Section III should address the non-PIPP Plus rules contained in Development's Chapter 122:5-3.

Interested parties should submit comments concerning the rules via one of the following methods:

- Hard copy, mailed or delivered to:
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- Electronic filing on the PUCO's website
- Via email at Rule.Comment@development.ohio.gov

All comments must clearly state in the header that they are to be filed in connection with the PUCO's Case No. 19-0052-AU-ORD, and they will all appear in the PUCO's docketing system. Any comments sent directly to Development's email listed above will be forwarded to the PUCO for inclusion in the master comments collected by the PUCO.

Once the public comment period is closed, Development and the PUCO will review and address the comments relevant to their section of the rules.

Comments should be filed by July 19, 2019. Reply Comments should be filed by August 9, 2019.