Subcommittee Hearing Notice

August 18, 2022

TO: Members, Committee on Oversight and Reform

FROM: Carolyn B. Maloney, Chairwoman

SUBJECT: Subcommittee on Environment Hybrid Field Hearing on “Effective Environmental Enforcement: Tools and Strategies to Protect Vulnerable Communities”

DATE: Thursday, August 25, 2022
TIME: 10:00 a.m. ET
PLACE: Zoom and:
Wayne County Community College Eastern Campus
Cooper Room
5901 Conner Street
Detroit, MI 48213

On Thursday, August 25, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. ET, the Subcommittee on Environment will host a hybrid field hearing titled “Effective Environmental Enforcement: Tools and Strategies to Protect Vulnerable Communities.” The hearing will convene in the Cooper Room at Wayne County Community College’s Eastern Campus and over Zoom, which has been approved by the House.

Members should RSVP for the hearing by Wednesday, August 24, 2022, to Oversight_Clerks@mail.house.gov or by responding to the email that circulated this Notice. Please include in the RSVP whether you will be attending the hearing in person or via Zoom.

In light of current guidance from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Office of Attending Physician (OAP), use of masks by Members and staff attending the hearing in person is optional. Individuals wearing masks should wear properly fitted, medical-grade, filtration face masks (KN95 or N95 masks). Wearing a mask is a very effective personal
protective measure to reduce the risk of infection, and Members and staff should consult CDC and OAP guidance regarding individual mask usage. Members and staff with coronavirus symptoms, a positive test, or exposure to someone with the coronavirus should participate in hearings remotely.

**Members joining remotely are asked to connect by 9:30 a.m. ET to ensure their participation and troubleshoot any connectivity issues.** Only Members, witnesses and their counsel, and approved Committee staff are allowed on the Zoom platform. All other staff may watch via livestream on the Committee’s [website](http://example.com). Members who have difficulty connecting may contact Aidan Miller with the majority staff at (202) 225-5051 or Ashlee Vineyard with the minority staff at (202) 680-3089. Members will be sent the meeting invitation link via Outlook once RSVP’d.

Attached are Zoom user guides that demonstrate how to: (1) manage various user features and (2) ensure the best user experience by employing general best practices (e.g., optimal lighting and sound conditions). Members interested in testing Zoom before the hearing should contact Aidan Miller to arrange a test.

**Accommodations for individuals with disabilities may be arranged by contacting Chioma Chukwu at OversightAccommodations@mail.house.gov or (202) 225-5051 at least three business days in advance of the scheduled hearing or business meeting.**