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**The Massachusetts Gaming Commission to Hold  
'Host Community' Public Hearings on Resort-Casino Gaming Applications**  
*Public input meetings to offer opportunity for community members to provide the Commission  
feedback on recent developments pertaining to resort-casino applications*

**WHO:** Members of the **Massachusetts Gaming Commission**, representatives from resort-casino applicants **Mohegan Sun MA** and **Wynn MA LLC**, and members of the public.

**WHAT:** The Massachusetts Gaming Commission will host two 'host community' public hearings as a means to facilitate public discussion regarding the submitted Category 1 or resort-casino applications in Region A (Eastern Massachusetts). These public hearings are continuations of the Commission's June 24 and June 25, 2014 hearings and are intended to provide the Commission with a final opportunity to hear comments from the public relating to events that have transpired since the opening of the hearings. The meetings will also serve as a vehicle at which the community can receive updates from applicants on their resort-casino proposals and mitigation strategies. No votes or decisions will be made at these hearings; they are opportunities for the Commission to gather information and gauge public sentiment relative to the applications prior to the evaluation, deliberation, and award of the Eastern Massachusetts license. Find the official [Meeting Notifications and Agenda](#), on [MassGaming.com](#).

These hearings mark a major step towards the award of a resort-casino license in Eastern Massachusetts, which is anticipated for **September 12, 2014**.

For a complete status of the overall Category 1 (resort-casino) licensing process and the status of surrounding community negotiations, click [here](#).



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**WHEN/WHERE: Monday, August 11, 2014 at 4:00pm**

Mohegan Sun Proposal  
Revere High School Auditorium  
101 School Street, Revere, MA

**Tuesday, August 12, 2014 at 4:00pm**

Wynn Resorts Proposal  
Edward G. Connolly Center  
90 Chelsea Street, Everett, MA

**GUIDELINES:**

Those who wish to submit written comments in advance of the hearing may do so by sending an email to <mailto:mgccomments@state.ma.us> with the name of the applicant in the subject line. All comments received via email will be made public in their entirety, including the identity of the commenter, and distributed to the Commission for their review prior to the hearing.

Members of the public who wish to address the Commission at the hearing may place their name on the list of speakers by sending an email to [mgccomments@state.ma.us](mailto:mgccomments@state.ma.us) with 'Request to address the Commission/(name of applicant)' in the subject line. Individuals will also have an opportunity to sign up to address the Commission on the day of the hearing prior to its start.

**In order to use the available time most efficiently, the Commission will limit each speaker to 4 minutes.**

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