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Community Notification

Massachusetts Gaming Commission to Hold Weekly Open Meeting

Meeting Features Gaming Updates and Discussion on Workforce Development

WHO: Members of the **Massachusetts Gaming Commission** including **Chairman Steve Crosby; Commissioner Gayle Cameron; Commissioner James F. McHugh; Commissioner Bruce F. Stebbins; Commissioner Enrique Zuniga;** *Holyoke Community College* President, **William Messner** and members of the public

WHAT: The Massachusetts Gaming Commission will host its eleventh open meeting. Commissioners are expected to discuss an update on the progress to identify and hire an Executive Director, a status report on the Racing Division and other updates on gaming business. In addition, the meeting will feature a guest speaker, President William Messner of Holyoke Community College, to discuss Workforce Development. For more information on the meeting agenda, please visit www.mass.gov/gaming.

As part of MGC's ongoing commitment to an open, transparent and participatory process, community members who are unable to attend the open meeting are encouraged to watch live video of the discussion made available at <http://www.mass.gov/gaming/meetings/mgc-meeting-june-19-2012.html>

In addition, community members are invited to follow along with live meeting updates by connecting with us on Twitter, **@MassGamingComm**.

WHERE: 1000 Washington Street (Division of Insurance)
1st Floor, Meeting Room E
Boston, MA

WHEN: **Tuesday, June 19, 2012**
1:00pm

About MGC

The mission of the Massachusetts Gaming Commission is to create a fair, transparent, and participatory process for implementing the expanded gaming law passed by the Legislature and signed by the Governor in November, 2011. In creating that process, the Commission will strive to ensure that its decision-making and regulatory systems engender the confidence of the public and participants, and that they provide the greatest possible economic development benefits and revenues to the people of the Commonwealth, reduce to the maximum extent possible the potentially negative or unintended consequences of the new legislation, and allow an appropriate return on investment for gaming providers that assures the operation of casino-resorts of the highest quality.