



## **TREMAINE PHILLIPS**

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

Tremaine L. Phillips was appointed by Governor Gretchen Whitmer to the Michigan Public Service Commission (MPSC) on September 9, 2019. His term ends on July 2, 2025. Tremaine represents the MPSC on Governor Gretchen Whitmer's Michigan Poverty Task Force, the Michigan Council on Future Mobility, and the Connecting Michigan Task Force. Prior to his appointment to MPSC, Tremaine worked in the public and private sectors to accelerate the nation's transition to clean, renewable, and reliable energy resources. Most recently, he served as the director of Cincinnati 2030 District, leading the organization to become one of the largest and most engaged 2030 Districts in the country. As vice president of strategic initiatives for EmpowerSaves, a Columbus OH-based energy efficiency data analytics and marketing company, Tremaine was recognized in 2016 as an emerging clean energy leader through the Midwest Energy News's "40 Under 40" award. He previously worked for the Prima Civitas Foundation; the State of Michigan's Department of Energy, Labor & Economic Growth; and the Michigan Environmental Council. He also spent a summer in Washington D.C. as an intern with the Obama Administration's White House Council on Environmental Quality, working to advance climate and clean energy policies, including the Clean Power Plan. Tremaine is a member of NARUC's Committee on Consumers and the Public Interest, Committee on Telecommunications, and Committee on Critical Infrastructure. In February 2020 he was appointed to serve on the NARUC Broadband Expansion Task Force, a two-year effort to identify best practices and solutions to improving broadband access in underserved communities throughout the country. In addition, he serves on the board of directors of the Organization of PJM States and as a member of the Advisory Council to the Center for Public Utilities at New Mexico State University. Tremaine is a graduate of Michigan State University and The Ohio State University, where he received his Juris Doctorate from the Moritz College of Law and an M.A. in public policy and management from the John Glenn College of Public Affairs.