# 2023 Annual Meeting of Shareholders

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#### **Our Purpose**





#### Investment Thesis . . .



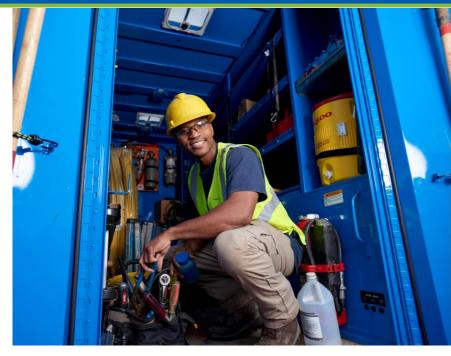


<sup>a</sup>UBS Research, 2022 state rankings and D.C

#### People

• 27% reduction in high-risk safety incidents

- First-quartile customer experienceb
- Recognized by...
  - Forbes® : #1 utility for America's Best Employers for Women, a Top utility for Best Employers for Diversity and America's Best Large Employers
  - Military Times: Best for Vets Employers
  - Newsweek: America's Most Responsible
    Companies
- ~\$100M of customer assistance to help keep bills affordable
- ~\$560M in customer benefits from owned generation vs. MISO market





### Planet

#### Landmark Clean Energy Plan approved

- All coal-fired plants will be retired in 2025
- ~60% reduction in carbon emissions
- 8 GW of solar, 550 MW of storage and 2.5 GW of demand-side resources by 2040
- Acquisition of existing 1.2 GW natural gas plant
- Saving our customers ~\$600M
- Commitment to **achieve net zero greenhouse gas emissions** for our entire business by 2050 AND 20% gas customer emissions reduction by 2030<sup>c</sup>
- >\$250M of gas infrastructure replacement improving safety and reducing 448MT of methane
- Large customer renewable subscriptions exceeds expectations and drives renewables build (>300MW)





## Profit

- **Two decades** of industry-leading financial performance
- Delivered year-end adjusted EPS of \$2.89<sup>d</sup> at the high end of the guidance range
- Increased annual dividend per share to \$1.95 17<sup>th</sup> increase in as many years
- \$58M of cost savings by leveraging the CE Way
- ~230 MW of new or expanding load adding ~6,300 jobs and >\$8B of investment to Michigan
- Consumers Energy Foundation, Consumers Energy and our co-workers and retirees **contributed more than \$18.5 million to Michigan non-profits**













#### CMS ENERGY CORPORATION Earnings Per Share By Year GAAP Reconciliation (Unaudited)

	2022
Reported earnings per share - GAAP	\$2.85
Pretax items:	
Electric and gas utility	0.07
Tax impact	(0.02)
NorthStar Clean Energy	(*)
Tax impact	*
Corporate interest and other	*
Tax impact	(*)
Disposal of discontinued operations gain	(0.01)
Tax impact	*
Adjusted earnings per share - non-GAAP	\$2.89

\* Less than \$0.01 per share.

(a) Reflects the impact of tax reform.

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