

The Price of Auto Insurance

A Barrier to Economic Mobility

It's a well-known fact Michiganders pay some of the highest auto insurance premiums in the entire country. But there are still a lot of related questions voters and policymakers want answers to, such as: How does Michigan insurance compare to that of other states? Why is insurance most expensive in Detroit? What fiscal impact does this have on the average household and also on the low-income household? Answers to these questions and more were recently addressed in a report published by Poverty Solutions, a research initiative at the University of Michigan, and these findings will be presented at this event.

Lunch is free for attendees who RSVP. **Registration is required by May 29.** Please register online at mackinac.org/events, email events@mackinac.org or call **989-698-1905**. If you cannot attend, the event is livestreamed on our website and on our Facebook page and will be recorded for viewing after the event.

WHEN: Wednesday, June 5, 2019
11:30 a.m. - Check-in and lunch
Noon to 1:00 p.m. - Program with Q&A

WHERE: Radisson Hotel Lansing at the Capitol
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