Chairperson Gerald Corkin  District 4
Vice-Chairperson Joseph Derocha  District 2
Commissioner Johnny DePetro  District 1
Commissioner Stephen Adamini  District 3
Commissioner Bill Nordeen  District 5
Commissioner Karen L. Alholm  District 6

Scott Erbisch, County Administrator
Linda K. Talsma, Marquette County Clerk

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, One Nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all."

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE MICHIGAN FLAG

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of Michigan, and the State for which it stands, two beautiful peninsulas united by a bridge of steel, where equal opportunity and justice to all is our ideal."
Marquette County, named in honor of the Jesuit priest and explorer Jacques Marquette, lies in the rich iron-ore district of the north-central Upper Peninsula. To the east are Delta and Alger Counties, to the south Dickinson and Menominee, to the west Iron and Baraga. Lake Superior established the northern boundary. These lines were set in 1843, when the Upper Peninsula was divided into six counties established simultaneously to facilitate the completion of a topographical survey being taken by the eminent geologist and surveyor, Dr. Douglas Houghton. Marquette County was not formally organized, however, until April 4, 1848.

STATEHOOD OF MICHIGAN
Congressional recognition of Michigan as a state in the union was delayed by a dispute with Ohio about Michigan's southern boundary. In 1835, the people of Michigan adopted a state constitution, and elected a complete set of state officers with Stevens T. Mason as Governor. Later, this constitution of 1835 was accepted by Congress without re-adoption. The original delegate was seated in Congress without re-election after the formal recognition of the State by Congress (January 26, 1837).

The boundary question was settled in 1837 in favor of Ohio when Michigan acquired the Upper Peninsula, then but little known, as compensation for the loss on the south.
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Linda K. Talsma  County Clerk  
Tonya Nelson  Chief Deputy County Clerk  
Jill Jarvi  Deputy County Clerk III, Circuit Court  
Debra Palm  Deputy County Clerk II, Circuit Court  
Leah Gagliano  Deputy County Clerk II, Circuit Court  
Christine Miller  Deputy Clerk II, Vital Records  

Courthouse Annex  
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234 W. Baraga Avenue  
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Ishpeming Service Center  
Office Hours:  Wednesday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
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Ishpeming, MI  49849  
PH: (906) 486-6510
The office of the County Clerk was established by the Michigan State Constitution. The duties of the County Clerk are provided by Michigan Law, which include, but are not limited to:

- Chief Election Official of the County
- Clerk of the County Jury Board
- Clerk of the County Board of Canvassers
- Clerk of the County Apportionment Commission
- Clerk of the County Election Commission
- Clerk of the County Plat Board
- Clerk of the Circuit Court
- Vital Records Registrar
- Passport Agent

Michigan County Clerks have a myriad of responsibilities and I am dedicated to providing excellent customer service.

**First Records on File in the County Clerk’s Office**

Public records which must be maintained according to law, including those of births, deaths, marriages, concealed weapons permits, notaries public, assumed names, Circuit Court files, and minutes, resolutions, and contracts approved by the County Board.

- **Birth Records**: 1867
- **Death Records**: 1867
- **Marriage Records**: 1850
- **Circuit Court Records**: 1869

General questions for the Clerk’s office please email: CountyClerk@mqtco.org

Sincerely,

Linda Talsma ~ Marquette County Clerk
MICHIGAN VOTER INFORMATION CENTER
Your source for Michigan election information!
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- View your sample ballot.
- Find out if you are registered to vote.
- Find your voting location.
- Track your absentee ballot.
- And much more!

ANNUAL ELECTIONS
May 7, 2019
August 6, 2019
November 5, 2019

To register to vote, you must be all of the following:
- A U.S. citizen
- At least 18 years old by election day
- A resident of Michigan
- A resident of the city/township where registering

To obtain a voter registration:
- Register in person with appropriate City/Township Clerk, Secretary of State Office, or County Clerk Office
- Mail-in voter registration form can be obtained by contacting your local clerk’s office or on-line Michigan.gov/vote
- Michigan voters must use the same address for voter registration and driver license purposes

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Lisa Hammill, Administrative Aide
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MARQUETTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

2019 REGULAR MEETING SCHEDULE

All meetings are held on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. in Room 231 of the Henry A. Skewis Courthouse Annex, Marquette, Michigan unless otherwise noted

Any Changes to the Meeting Schedule or Location will be noted on the Marquette County Website:

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COMMISSIONER - BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS

Commissioner District 1 - Marquette Township – Precinct 1 (North of US 41), Powell Township, Marquette City Precincts 6 & 7 (From the City boundary, North of Wright Street, to East of Lincoln Avenue, to North of Fair Avenue, to East of Seventh Street, along the NMU property line, to North of Kaye Avenue, to West of Presque Isle Avenue, to North of Fair Street, to East of Front Street, to North of Ridge Street, to Lake Superior).

Commissioner District 2 – Champion Township, Ely Township, Humboldt Township, Ishpeming Township, Michigamme Township, Negaunee Township, Republic Township.

Commissioner District 3 - Marquette Township - Precinct 2 (South of US-41), Marquette City Precincts 1, 3, 4, & 5 (From the City Boundary, South of Wright Street, to West of Lincoln Avenue, to South of Fair Avenue, to West of 7th Street, along the NMU Property Line, to South of Kaye Avenue, to East of Presque Isle Avenue, to South of Fair Avenue, to West of Front Street, to South of Ridge Street, to Lake Superior and from the City Boundary, West of M-553 to West of Division Street, to South of Pioneer Road, to West of Altamont Street, to North of Washington Street, to East of Fourth Street, to North of Fisher Street, to East of Front Street, to North of Whetstone Brook).

Commissioner District 4 - Ishpeming City, Negaunee City

Commissioner District 5 – Ewing Township, Forsyth Township, Richmond Township, Skandia Township, Tilden Township, Turin Township, Wells Township, West Branch Township.

Commissioner District 6 – Chocolay Township, Sands Township, Marquette City - Precinct 2 (From the City Boundary, East of M-553, to East of Division Street, to North of Pioneer Road, to East of Altamont Street, to South of Washington Street, to West of Fourth Street, to South of Fisher Street, to West of Front Street, to South of Whetstone Brook).