

January 5, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met for their Organizational Meeting on January 5, 1976 at 1:30 p.m., in the County Courthouse.

Roll call was held by the Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, and recorded as follows. Present: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Absent: None.

After a salute to the flag was given, the Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, called for nominations for Chairman for the Board of Commissioners for the year 1976. Commissioners Alderton nominated Commissioner Clayton Anderson, Commissioner Agnoli nominated Commissioner Kenneth Goldsworthy, and Commissioner Goldsworthy nominated Commissioner John S. Leadbetter.

There being no further nominations, it was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Racine, and carried, that nominations be closed. At this point Commissioner E. Kenneth Goldsworthy refused nomination for Chairman of the Board and asked that his name be withdrawn. His request was granted by the Clerk.

County Clerk Henry A. Skewis appointed Commissioners Trapp and Cheatham as tellers and an election was held with the following results tabulated.

Clayton J. Anderson	7 votes
John S. Leadbetter	5 votes

Commissioner Anderson was declared elected as Chairman of the Board of Commissioners for 1976 by receiving a majority of the votes cast. A motion was made by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Racine, and carried that all written ballots cast in the election be destroyed.

Chairman Anderson accepted the gavel and expressed his thanks to his fellow Commissioners. He addressed the Board with some of the problems that would confront the Board in 1976.

Chairman Anderson declared nominations open for Vice Chairman of the Board for 1976. Commissioner Doucette nominated Commissioner Joseph O. Racine.

There being no further nominations it was moved by Commissioner Leadbetter, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and carried that nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot be cast for Commissioner Racine for Vice Chairman. Commissioner Joseph O. Racine was declared elected as Vice Chairman of the Marquette County Board of Commissioners for 1976.

A discussion was held on the dates to be set for the regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Commissioners for 1976.

It was moved by Commissioner Coombs and supported by Commissioner Cheatham that every third meeting be held in the evening at 7:00 p.m. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Trapp, and carried by a roll call vote that night meetings be held every other month starting in January, and that they begin at 7:00 p.m. Ayes: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: Commissioners Doucette and Gaboury.

It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Leadbetter, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the following schedule be adopted.

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETINGS
SCHEDULED FOR 1976**

January 28, 1976 — Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
February 25, 1976 — Wednesday	1:30 p.m.
March 24, 1976 — Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
April 21, 1976 — Wednesday	1:30 p.m.
May 26, 1976 — Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
June 23, 1976 — Wednesday	1:30 p.m.
July 21, 1976 — Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
August 25, 1976 — Wednesday	1:30 p.m.
September 22, 1976 — Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
October 12, 1976 — Tuesday	10:00 a.m.
November 17, 1976 — Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
December 22, 1976 — Wednesday	1:30 p.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

The Board of Commissioners then met in session as a Committee of the Whole to discuss proposed changes in the Rules and Procedure Manual for 1976. Action on any changes will be taken at the next regular meeting of the County Board.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS
Marquette County Clerk
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman
Marquette County Board of Commissioners

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January 28, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met in the County Courthouse on January 28, 1976, at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Absent: None.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was given. This procedure was established by the County Board of Commissioners replacing the Salute to the Flag.

Minutes for the December 17, 1975, and January 5, 1976, meetings were read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Racine and carried, that the December 17, 1975, minutes be amended, on Page 6, to read Comm. Alderton supported, rather than Comm. Trapp supported, regarding the Proclamation naming Marquette County as "Home of the Champions", and that the minutes, so amended, be accepted. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried, that the January 5, 1976, minutes be approved.

A resolution from Grand Traverse County, regarding the National Health Planning and Resource Development Act of 1974, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Health Department regarding their distribution of pamphlets, concerning animal bites and the regulation pertaining thereto, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Carp River Forge Bicentennial Park Association was read. The County Board members then asked Mr. Burton H. Boyum, a representative of the Forge Park Assoc., to address the group on the matter of the Carp River Forge Assoc. and the possible formation of a Carp River Forge Parks Commission. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the Transportation Committee and the Carp River Forge Assoc. Committee meet to discuss this matter, to investigate Public Acts allowing the forming of such a commission, and that a report and recommendation be tendered to the Board of Commissioners for their action.

A communication from Senator Joseph Mack acknowledging receipt of the Boards resolution regarding Senate Bill 1192 was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Ingham County regarding SB 1191, the amending of the Michigan Employment Security Act, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette Area Chamber of Commerce and the Greater Ishpeming Chamber of Commerce, thanking the County Board for their financial help in the printing of the county-wide tourist brochure, was read and placed on file.

Three communications from CUPPAD regarding the Central Dispatch System for police use, and the vendors conference to be held in Lansing, Michigan, on January 29, 1976, that would give potential bidders a chance to review the specifications of communication equipment to make sure they are non-restrictive, was read and placed on file. It was noted that CUPPAD will have representation at this meeting and would represent the county.

A communication from the Senior Citizens Club of Republic, regarding services performed for them by the Commission on Aging, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Soil and Water Conservation District, thanking the County Board for its action regarding CETA employees, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Department of Natural Resources regarding the appropriation of funds for the 1976-1977 Marine Safety Program of Marquette County was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that the communication be referred to the County Sheriff, Mr. William Lasich.

A communication from Wayne County asking support of HR 5247, a Federal Bill allowing some relief for the lingering efforts of continued economic distress for larger cities was read and placed on file.

A communication from David C. Hollister, Representative from the 57th District, State of Michigan, regarding the updating of county statutes and the creating of a committee, by the legislature, to study these statutes, and asking for input from counties so that the committee would have better knowledge of the needs, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that this matter be checked with the Michigan Association of Counties for their help in this matter.

A notice of application for Step 1, Facilities Plan, Federal State Sewage Works Grant, by Republic Township was read and placed on file. The application was received by the Department of Natural Resources.

A communication from the Retired Senior Volunteer Program asking some assistance for office space expense, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that this communication be referred to the County Lands and Buildings Committee for study and report.

A resolution from Oceana County regarding the State Building Code, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Health Department responding to the letter from the Ishpeming-Negaunee Advisory Group of AMCAB, referred to the Health Department by the County Board, was read. It was stated by Dr. Potter, Director, that Home Health Services are provided by the Health Department and he sees no reason for duplication of this service by another organization at this time. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that a copy of Dr. Potter's communication be sent to the Ishpeming-Negaunee Advisory Group of AMCAB.

A notice of a series of Public Hearings to be held by the Corps of Engineers regarding a study of the extension of the navigation season on the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Seaway, was read. It was moved by Comm. Alderton, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried unanimously by a roll call vote, that the communication be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee for study and a presentation of written material be made to the Corps of Engineers, if they see fit to do so.

A communication from the Michigan Heart Association calling the Board's attention to the annual dinner meeting of the Association to be held at the Holiday Inn in Marquette on February 4, 1976, at 6:30 p.m., was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Upper Peninsula Travel and Recreation Association announcing their meeting to be held at the Northwoods in Marquette, Michigan, on

January 30, 1976, at 12:45 p.m., was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Racine and carried unanimously by a roll call vote, that Comm. Coombs and one or two other commissioners be authorized to attend.

A communication from the Upper Peninsula Association of County Tax Directors and Assessors regarding a meeting to be held at the Arrowhead Inn in Manistique on February 17, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried, that the Tax Equalization Director, Henry Schneider, and one or two members of the Tax Equalization Committee be allowed to attend.

A communication and a rough draft agreement from the City of Marquette regarding the authorization of a building permit for courthouse annex construction and the necessary parking requirements, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine, that the agreement be signed after being amended by having paragraph two, read as follows: "The County agrees to obtain the necessary off-street parking required by the City's Zoning Ordinance as of January, 1976, and agrees not to occupy the new County Annex Building until the City's off-street parking requirements have been met or are in the process of being constructed." It was then moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter, that the motion be amended to allow the County Lands and Buildings Committee and City to meet to discuss the situation prior to any signing of any agreement. A roll call vote was taken on the motion to hold the meeting and amend the paragraph as stated. The motion carried with all Commissioners voting aye. Comm. May will set up the meeting with the City officials and County Lands and Building Committee.

A communication from the Committee of the Whole regarding changes in the procedure manual was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Agnoli and carried by a roll call vote, that the County Board reconvene as a Committee of a Whole to further study this matter. The following ayes and nays were recorded. Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: Comm. Cheatham.

A recommendation from the Committee on Standing Committees regarding assignment of Commissioners to Standing County Committees, was tabled, because of the recommendation hinged on the previous communication, which was referred back to committee.

A decision by the County Controller in regard to accounting procedures of the Commission on Aging was read. The Controller asserted that he could designate the manner in which accounting would be done in all County Departments who received an appropriation of county funds. Gary Walker, Prosecuting Attorney, informed the County Board that the Controller can, by Michigan Statute, demand that accounting be done as he so advises. After much discussion, it was stated by Comm. May that the County Board had already allowed the Commission on Aging certain privileges not allowed "line department" and that the Commission on Aging should be considered as an "out department". It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried by a roll call vote, that "the County Board of Commissioners reaffirm their decision that the Commission on Aging operate as an 'out department' and that the County Controller, Gary Yoder, and the Commission on Aging meet to establish proper procedures for accounting within that designation." The following vote was recorded. Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson. Nays: Comm. Trapp.

Reports from the County Lands and Buildings Committee and the Personnel Committee were read and placed on file.

A recommendation of the County Lands and Buildings Committee regarding the construction of an off street, two level parking lot on the corner of Spring and Fourth Streets, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs that this item be tabled until the next meeting of the County Lands and Buildings Committee, for further study. This motion died for lack of support. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried by a roll call vote, that a sum of not more than \$2000.00 be used for a study of the parking lot, and that the cost of the study be paid from the Annex Construction Fund, and that it be considered a legal expenditure of that fund. The following vote was tabulated. Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson. Nays: Comm. Trapp.

A report on the Audit Committee was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that claims and accounts in the amount of \$176,889.67 be allowed and ordered paid.

AUDITING COMMITTEE
Board of Supervisors' Meeting January 28, 1976

Anona Quayle, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Harlen McNail, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	16.00
Rogar Carlson, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	12.00
David Zurcher, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	12.00
James B. Cook, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	12.00
Quinnell & Heitman, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	45.00
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	60.00
Postmaster, Postage — Sheriffs Dept.	50.00
R. L. Polk, City Directory — Co. Planner	41.00
Kathy Dalgord, Matron fees — Jail	166.00
Marie Chartier, Matron fees — Jail	83.00
Elizabeth Plutchak, Matron fees — Jail	110.75
Adeline M. Bender, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	1,000.00
Ethan Roberts, Witness exp. — Cir. Cr.	313.50
City of Ishpeming, Rent of Dist. Cr. Rooms	300.00
Kay D. Pietro, Transcripts — Dist. Cr.	4.30
Beatrice Christensen, Bailiff — Dist. Cr.	41.42
Joel Ostrowski, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	7.00
Mary LaFond, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.10
Charles B. Fey, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	130.00
McDonald & McDonald, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	1,765.00
U.P. Legal Services — Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	50.00
Hope Y. Trapp, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	390.48
Richard C. Coombs, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	190.70
John Leadbetter, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	379.00

E. Kenneth Goldsworthy, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	230.98
Bertil Agnoll, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	41.82
James Alderton, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	209.96
Samuel Gaboury, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	123.22
Clayton J. Anderson, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	518.19
Orrin G. Doucette, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	119.38
Sally May, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	356.22
Joseph O. Racine, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mil.	201.70
Fran Nelson, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	16.00
Glen McCune, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	54.00
Franklin McCune, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	54.00
Gary L. Walker, Divorce Reports — Pros. Atty.	110.00
Kay D. Pietro, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	22.05
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	125.00
Anderson Funeral Home, Burial — Vet.	300.00
Henry A. Skewis, Travel Exp. — Co. Clerk	9.60
Beatrice Christensen, Bailiff — Cir. Cr.	92.50
Joseph G. Uren, mileage — retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Co. Planner	6.00
John F.W. Hess, mileage — retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Co. Planner	27.63
Ann Summerlee, mileage — retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Co. Planner	13.14
Patricia Day, mileage — retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Bldg. Code	9.63
Walfred Helberg, mileage — retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Bldg. Code	249.75
George Keskimaki, mileage — retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Bldg. Code	226.35
Henry A. Skewis, Co. Bd. of Canvassers meeting	40.00
Arne B. Johnson, Co. Bd. of Canvassers meeting & Mil.	40.32
Howard Lehto, Co. Bd. of Canvassers meeting & Mil.	44.16
Eleanor Coron, Co. Bd. of Canvassers meeting & Mil.	44.80
Evelyn Blewett, Co. Bd. of Canvassers meeting & Mil.	44.80
Anona Quayle, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Jeffery Hooper, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Mitchell LaFave, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Mrs. Jennie Beck, Burial — Vet.	300.00
Bjork & Zhulkie Funeral Home, Burial — Vet.	300.00
Michigan State Police, Travel Exp. — Pros. Atty.	20.00
Postmaster, Postage — Frd. of Cr.	100.00
Marjorie A. Seymour, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	91.20
U.S. Coast Guard Auxillary, Dues — Marine Safety officer	10.00
Jackie Spitz, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Barbara Robare, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
City of Marquette, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	60.00
Crt. Hse. & Jail employees, Payroll	105,914.54
County Treasurer, Soc. Sec. — Cr. Hse. & Jail employers sh.	4,793.06
County Treasurer, Soc. Sec. — Dist. Cr. employers sh.	515.70
Armine A. Hansen, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	10.10
Kim F. Bianchi, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	10.10
Sr. Joan C. LaCombe, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	7.60
Susan A. Kroncich, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
Phillip H. Midle, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	38.70
Shirley A. Mitchell, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	27.00
Faye C. Bahrman, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	29.40
Wayne H. Nyman, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	16.20
William E. Tulloh, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	24.20
Mabel E. Johnson, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	52.50
Roy W. Anderson, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	29.70
Donald J. Wixtrom, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	33.00
Dorothy E. Hutek, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	8.10
Paula S. Thurston, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	8.10
Michael B. Altobello, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	20.20
Jorma E. Lankinen, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	15.80
Randolph J. Burnham, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	9.90
James C. Bullock, Jr. Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	8.90
Laimi S. Garberson, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	38.40
Donald J. Rivard, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
Betty S. Beauchamp, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	68.50
Sandra A. Hampton, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	15.80
Mary Brammer, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	117.50
Dwayne K. Gruff, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	45.80
John H. Barrett, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	39.60
Florence M. Verley, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	46.50
Wendell E. Olivier, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	38.10
Marie L. Baker, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	15.80
Myron W. Mattson, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	21.00
Lempi V. Rautio, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	56.70
Jon D. Montney, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	45.80
Loretta A. Dubuque, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	39.30
Anne L. Bailey, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	10.50
Hazel E. Samppala, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	46.20
Dianne L. Kangas, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	47.70
Ruby I. Estes, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	45.80
Hugo A. Filizetti, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	25.40
Brian W. Melka, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
William M. Ryan, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.60
Mary K. Pace, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
Bruce L. Tippet, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	35.00
Peter Shomsky, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	19.40
Patricia L. Foster, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	12.10
Thomas P. Finlan, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
James P. Gauthier, Jury fees — Cir. Cr.	20.60
Henry J. Pietro, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.50
Gladys E. Smith, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	21.80
Jeanne L. Glover, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	45.80
John H. Barrett, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	12.30
Alice Pequet, Bailiff — Dist. Cr.	92.50
Jeffrey L. Gauthier, Officers Fees — Mentally Ill	18.88
Altmanns, Part Pmt. of typewriter — Co. Ext.	187.50
Dennis Waarala, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Tax Equal.	24.15
Leslie V. Ross, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Tax Equal	39.42
Robert J. O'Brien, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Tax Equal.	20.19

Gary Trudgeon, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Tax Equal.	5.79
Sharon Platt, Mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st-Juv. Div.	17.94
Richard Normand, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st-Juv. Div.	98.37
Terrye Matulewicz, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st. Juv. Div.	64.77
Donald R. Merckx, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Juv. Div.	86.79
Donald Kauppila, mileage 3 cents retroactive to Apr. 1st.-Juv. Div.	21.86
Charles B. Fey, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	700.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	138.20
Henry L. Seitz, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	917.50
Fred J. Berg, Refund on Hosp. Ins.	10.00
Myrtle S. Ghiardi, Refund on Hosp. Ins.	5.00
City of Marquette, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	54.00
Claude Smith, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.60
Douglas J. Wheeler, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	9.20
Postmaster, Postage — Frd. of Cr.	60.00
Mgt. Co. OEDP Committee, CUPPAD Contribution for 1976	6,000.00
Bjork & Zhulkie Funeral Home, Burial — Vet.	300.00
Harley N. Andrews, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	600.00
Blue Cross of Michigan, Hosp. Cr. Hse. & Jail employers sh.	6,015.48
Earleen Miller, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	197.80
Edward A. Quinnell, Postage reimbursement	3.30
Clerk, Court of Appeals, C. O. D. postage — Cir. Cr.	2.05
Lucille M. Bartanen, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	38.70
John H. Hogan, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	30.60
Judith A. Belmore, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	23.30
Daniel S. Leppanen, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	30.60
William H. Weaver, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	30.60
Jeanine A. Willard, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	30.80
Edna K. Schillinger, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	38.10
Toivo C. Alanen, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	42.00
Marie J. Pellinen, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	38.70
Jean L. Johnson, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	38.10
William C. Lampi, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	43.20
James M. Syrja, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	23.10
Irene M. Keller, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	23.10
Edward A. Sather, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	55.50
Marie A. Rodougo, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	23.10
Clara M. Wilson, Jury fees — Dist. Cr.	46.00
Jason & Jason, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	706.25
Postmaster, Stamps	16.00
Postmaster, Stamps — Pros. Atty.	24.00
Kay D. Pietro, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	90.30
Anthony Baggio, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	10.20
August Baggio, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Clarence Allgeyer, Jr., Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	31.60
Clarence Allgeyer, Sr, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Institute of Conf. Legal Ed., 1976 Judicial Membership	125.00
Anona Quayle, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Bd. meetings	120.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Bd. meetings	120.00
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Bd. meetings	120.00
Marjorie A. Seymour, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	143.20
Manufacturer's Life Ins. Co., Premium 1st qtr. 76 — Cr. Hse. Union employees	512.55
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	75.00
Bjork & Zhulkie Funeral Home, Burial — Vets.	600.00
Venetia Bolz, Interpreter — Cir. Cr.	100.00
Stephen S. Johnson, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	400.00
Bridges and Collins, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	25.00
Mrs. Gloria Carter, Burial — Vet.	300.00
Mrs. Clifford Maier, Rent of Juv. Det. Home	500.00
U.P. Legal Services, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	750.00
Gary L. Walker, Travel Advance — Pros. Atty.	450.00
Postmaster, Postage stamps — Co. Planner	25.00
Postmaster, Postage — Frd. of Cr.	130.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	125.00
Oliver Maki, Co. Jury Board meetings & Mil.	176.64
Lloyd Price, Co. Jury Board meetings & Mil.	161.28
R. Donald Tripp, Co. Jury Board meetings & Mil.	134.40
Richard Fish, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Keith Hammock, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Michael A. Croschere, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Jody Abbott, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Ruth Pleaugh, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
George P. Alexa, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Carol M. Bocklund, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Jamie A. Brebner, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	18.20
Miles M. Buck, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Stephen J. Bussone, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	14.10
Jacqueline E. Heitman, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Sherri L. Herkins, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	18.20
David A. Johnson, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	16.60
Alan R. Kropp, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	18.20
Vivian I. Lewis, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Viola E. Linna, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	15.00
Eleanor E. Menhennick, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.78
Gregory S. Millay, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Robert A. Neumann, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	19.40
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	50.00
Mgt. Co. O. E. D. P. Committee, Contribution for 1976	500.00
Postmaster, Postage Stamps — Sheriff	65.00
Michigan Bell Telephone Co., Services — Co. Officers	1,930.38
Panax Corp. Adv. — Cir. Cr. & Controllers	41.04
Globe Printing, Printing — Co. Bd. of Comm.	800.00
Holiday Inn, Travel Exp. — Co. Bd. of Comm.	40.99
Mich. Assoc. of Counties, 1976 Dues	2,450.00
U.P. Assoc. of Co. Comm., 1976 Dues — Co. Bd. of Comm.	323.00
Shaw's Service, Serv. Contract—Cir. Cr. & Gas-Sheriffs Dept.	136.20
U.P. Office Supply Co., Supplies — Co. Officers	569.13
Doubleday Bros. & Co., Printing — Co. officers	384.88

Northern Stationers, Supplies — Co. officers	347.01
IBM Corp., Service, Office Mach. — Cir. Cr. & Pros. Atty.	200.50
Friends of the Court Assn., 1976 Dues	25.00
A. J. Farnham Co., Office Supplies — Cir. Cr. & Dist. crt.	369.07
Harold F. VanOverloop, Travel Exp. — Frd. of Cr. Ct.	31.52
Attorney's Daybook, Book — Cir. Cr.	12.50
Mich. Cr. Administrators Assoc., 1976 Dues	50.00
Kay D. Pietro, Travel Exp. — Dist. Cr.	25.60
Sidney T. Holman, Travel Exp. — Dist. Cr.	47.20
City of Ishpeming, Xerox Copies — Dist. Cr.	64.45
The Lawyers Co-op., Books — Co. officers	45.50
Wayne State University, Books — Dist. Cr.	16.50
The University of Mich., Books — Dist. Cr.	41.00
William Treloar, Officers Fees — Dist. Cr.	3.70
Gerald VanHorn, Officers Fees — Dist. Cr.	3.70
Shepard's Citations, Book — Dist. Cr.	22.50
Myrin Institute, Inc., Book — Dist. Cr.	22.60
Mich. Probate & Juv. Cr. Judges As., Dues — 1976	100.00
Louis Trudell, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	16.80
Ray Walczak, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	16.80
Henry Steede, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	6.10
Lee Bureau, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	6.10
David Ruffruschinni, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	6.10
H. G. Artibe, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	11.00
William Ostwald, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	6.40
Janet Rautio, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	12.00
Theresa Rautio, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	12.00
Steven Rautio, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	12.00
Cathy Syrjala, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	17.00
Alan Lampi, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	6.10
Michael Hoffman, Witness fees — Probate Cr.	6.10
David R. Wall, M.D., Services — Probate Cr.	185.00
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Probate Cr.	55.00
Henry L. Seitz, Atty. fees — Probate Cr.	276.00
Kendricks, Bordeaux, Casselman, Adamini, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	100.00
S. Neil Lynch, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	312.50
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	279.20
Quinnell & Heitman, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	25.00
Flanigan Bros. Storage, Pmt. Storage — Juv. Div.	11.59
Sharon Platt, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	140.78
Terrye Mafulewicz, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	45.28
Richard Normand, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	44.16
Donald R. Merckx, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	88.25
Gary W. Denison, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	28.00
Nat'l. Council of Juv. Cr. Judges, Subscription — Juv. Div.	12.00
Range Corp., Supplies — Juv. Div.	22.50
Daryl McDonald, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	325.00
Marquette Bd. of Light & Power, Utilities — Dist. Cr., Cr. Hse. & Jail	2,208.65
Gueiff Printers, Printing — Co. officers	426.05
Mich. State Assn. of Co. Clerks, 1976 Dues	25.00
Eastern Office Supply Corp., Supplies — Controller	125.61
Henry W. Schneider, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal.	9.60
Robert J. O'Brien, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal.	7.52
Gary Trudgeon, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal.	29.44
Burroughs Corp., Office Equip. Repairs — Tax Equal. & Reg. Deeds	86.40
Specker Motor Sales Co., Vehicle Rep. & Maint. — Tax Equal.	55.90
Manatron Inc., Printing — Tax Equal.	5.00
Erickson Oil Products, Gas — Tax Equal. & Sheriffs Dept.	334.40
Cook Sign Co., Service — Pros. Atty. & Reg. of Deeds	133.02
First Nat'l. Bank of Iron Mt., Pmt. — Mach. Lease-Pros. Atty.	83.09
Xerox Corp., Service — Cr. Hse. & Pros. Atty.	638.25
Willard L. Martin, Travel Exp. — Pros. Atty.	87.00
Michael J. Anderegg, Travel Exp. — Pros. Atty.	28.80
U. P. Electric Supply Co., Bldg. repairs — Pros. Atty. & Cr. Hse.	846.92
Commerce Clearing House, Inc., Book — Pros. Atty.	7.58
Matthew Bender, Book — Pros. Atty.	85.00
Register of Deeds Assoc., 1976 Dues	20.00
James F. Sodergren, Trav. Exp. — Treas. & Co. Planning meeting	90.24
Mich. Assn. of Co. Treas., 1976 Dues	25.00
Monroe Division, Office, Equip. repairs — Treas.	35.00
Pitney Bowes, Equip. Maint. — Treas. & Postage meter	220.00
Witlock Supply Co. Equip. Maint. — Cr. Hse.	106.34
Caspian Constr. Co., Flaggpole Install — Cr. Hse.	2,250.00
Mike's Service, Snow Plowing — Cr. Hse.	56.00
Town & Country Hdwre., Repairs & Maint. — Cr. Hse.	117.69
Levine Bros. Plmg. Inc., Repairs & Maint. — Cr. Hse.	11.70
Mgt. Co. Assn. of Ins. Agents, Ins. & Bonds — Cr. Hse. & Sheriff	511.00
Raymond D. Hillier, Trav. Exp. — Cr. Hse.	8.96
Wolverine Supply, Repairs & Maint. — Cr. Hse.	49.00
Marquette Supply Co., Repairs & Maint. — Cr. Hse.	45.72
North State Equipment Corp., Repairs & Maint. — Cr. Hse.	240.90
Adams Leasing Co., Pmt. of Copy Machine leased — Cr. Hse.	274.76
Mich. Sheriffs Assoc., 1976 Dues	22.50
Thomas S. Hakes, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	15.08
Patricia I. Zuba, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	42.64
Michael P. Quayle, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	8.94
The Hertz Corp., Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	62.93
Char-Co. Ind., Inc., Equip. — Sheriffs Dept.	88.24
Sargent-Sowell, Inc., Equip. — Sheriffs Dept.	1,084.68
Alger Co. Sheriffs Dept., Trav. Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	36.89
Clark Super 100 Station, Gas — Sheriffs Dept.	15.05
Carroll Motor Supply Inc., Veh. Maint. — Marine Safety	20.59
Marquette Marine, Inc. Equip. — Marine Safety	5.99
Frel Chevrolet, Inc. Equip. Maint. — Snowmobile Div.	233.66
E. V. Price Co., Supplies — Jail	87.95
Marquette Pharmacy, Supplies — Jail	111.99
Our Own Bakeries, Bakery — Jail	81.81
Hillcrest Dairy, Inc., Milk, etc. — Jail	175.66
Dr. W. J. Norris, Prof. serv. — Jail	57.00

Edward Kronschnable, M.D., Prof. serv. — Jail	35.00
County of Delta, Service — Jail	330.50
Northern Prof. Emergency, Services — Jail	64.00
Marquette General Hosp., Services — Jail	59.65
Marquette Maint. Masters, Supplies — Jail	53.21
Beauchamps Camera, Supplies — Jail	6.46
Milwaukee Cheese Co., Supplies — Jail	145.60
Bahrman's Farm, Potatoes, — Jail	21.00
Michigan Power Co. Gas heating — Crf. Hse. & Jail	1,786.10
Co-op. Society of Marquette, Groceries — Jail	664.22
Marquette Radiology Assoc., Services — Jail	84.00
Simons Brothers, Supplies — Jail	54.90
Edward Don & Co., Supplies — Jail	145.35
W. S. Darley & Co., Supplies — Jail	82.73
Upper Michigan Nuclear Medicine Assoc., Supplies — Jail	5.00
Bill Green Supply, Services — Jail	35.69
Holiday Cleaners, Uniforms cleaned — Jail	126.10
Dupras-Racine Realty, Inc., Rent — Co. Planning & Bldg. Code	275.00
Walfred J. Helberg, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code	176.32
George Keskimaki, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code	114.72
Patricia Day, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code	17.92
Michael E. Zorza, Travel Exp. — Emergency Prep.	20.00
Dun. Donnelley Pub. Corp., Subscription — Emergency Prep.	16.00
James F. Tobin, M.D., Medical Examiner Fee	10.00
Medical Laboratories of Marquette, Autopsy	200.00
The Sound Center, Supplies — Co. Ext.	5.93
Altmanns, Bal. Typewriter — Co. Ext.	180.00
General Services Adm., Services — Co. Ext.	22.23
Melvin N. Nyquist, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext. & Co. Planning meeting	140.04
Mary L. Pierce, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext.	35.28
James A. Schultz, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext.	27.72
Virginia Ball, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext.	30.48
Lyn Johnson, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planner	11.58
John Hess, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planner	10.72
Mrs. Karol Peterson, Co. Planning meeting & Mileage	40.16
David Holli, Co. Planning meeting & Mileage	44.00
Joseph Racine, Co. Planning meeting & Mileage	47.20
Ken Tuominen, Co. Planning meeting & Mileage	47.36
Upper Peninsula Comm. for Area Prog, UPCAP budget Allocation	2,380.80
Mich. U. P. Travel & Recreation Assn., 1976 Promotional Program	600.00
U. P. Health Planning Association, 1976 allocation	2,000.00
TOTAL	\$176,889.07

THE WITHIN ACCOUNTS HAVE BEEN CAREFULLY CHECKED AND PAYMENT OF SAME IS HEREBY RATIFIED AND APPROVED: Orrin G. Doucette, Richard C. Coombs, John S. Leadbetter.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee regarding Lake Michigan lake levels was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that the Board concur with the recommendation of the Environmental Quality Committee and send questionnaires to all Lake Michigan land owners to explain the situation and ask for their response on the questionnaires.

Reports of the Transportation Committee and the Welfare Committee were read and placed on file. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried, that "thank you" letters be sent to the Department of Transportation, Rep. D. J. Jacobetti, County Treasurer, James F. Sodergren, County Road Commission, Carl Pellonpaa, and other members of the State Highway Commission, for their help in gaining new construction and repair on U.S. 41 this coming year.

Reports from the following County Departments were read and placed on file: Office of Emergency Services, Acocks Medical, County Health Department, County Road Commission, Controller and Treasurer. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried, that the Treasurer's report be published.

MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE
For Month Ending December 31, 1975

LEDGER ACCOUNTS	DEBIT BALANCE	CREDIT BALANCE
General Fund		134,538.20
County Road Fund		59,880.42
County Road Investment Fund		335,000.00
County Airport Fund		133,017.72
County Parks Fund		30,806.24
Harbor Commission Fund		3,810.09
Forestry Commission Fund		77,730.20
Sanatorium Fund		64,512.83
Social Services Fund		287,583.71
Child Care Fund	5,949.35	
Health Dept. Fund		69,661.52
Soldiers Relief Fund		22,272.06
Signed:		
James F. Sodergren		
County Treasurer		

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open to public comment.

Mr. Wayne Roy, of Gwinn, Michigan, asked the County Board to consider having all County Board meetings in the evening and publishing notice of the same prior to them being held. Mr. Roy submitted a petition from the Marquette County Labor Council on this matter.

Mr. Wayne Roy also addressed the Board on the possibility of a study being made of accident and deaths occurring on County Road 553, since the time K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base was built, and that the study be published to show need for better public transportation methods. This matter was referred to the Transportation Committee for study.

Mr. Roy also addressed the County Board on the problem of construction permits and parking for the courthouse annex.

Mr. Peter Embley commended the County Board for its action in instituting a public sector addition to their agenda and asked if it would not be possible to have two times on the agenda when the public could make their thoughts known. He also commented on parking near the courthouse and the criteria of the Specific Tax Study Committee and its membership. He suggested the addition of a "member at large" on this study committee.

Chairman Anderson then declared the public comment sector closed and thanked all present for their thoughts.

The County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, reminded the County Commissioners that appointments to the Harbor Commission and Forestry Commission should be made in February, 1976, as the terms of one person on each commission expire on February 18, 1976. He also recommended that some thought be given to make all Commissions and Committee appointments for any given year expire on December 31 of each year and the new appointments for the next year be made at the reorganizational meeting in January.

County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, reminded the Commissioners that the lease on the office space for the Commission on Aging expires February 24, 1976, and should be renewed and recorded in the County Clerk's and Register of Deeds' offices. It was suggested by Comm. May that the Director of the Commission on Aging be informed.

A communication from the Alger-Marquette County Action Board regarding services provided by the Commission on Aging for Senior Citizens was read and placed on file.

A resolution from the Commission on Aging protesting Governor William Milliken's Executive Order No. 75-12 on Medicaid payments, was read. An explanation of this resolution was given by Mrs. Briggs, an audiologist from Northern Michigan University. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted and copies sent to Governor Milliken, State Senators and Representatives, the Department of Social Services and the office of Services to the Aging.

A communication from the Commission on Aging objecting to any change being made by anyone in their method of operation, and a petition signed by Senior Citizens, were read and placed on file.

A communication from CUPPAD regarding public meetings to be held concerning developing public transportation systems plans in the Upper Peninsula west of US-41 was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that the Chairman of the Transportation Committee be authorized to attend one of these meetings.

A resolution asking the Planning Commission be authorized to name one of its members to serve on the Marquette County Water Committee was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted and the Planning Commission be authorized to so name one of its members.

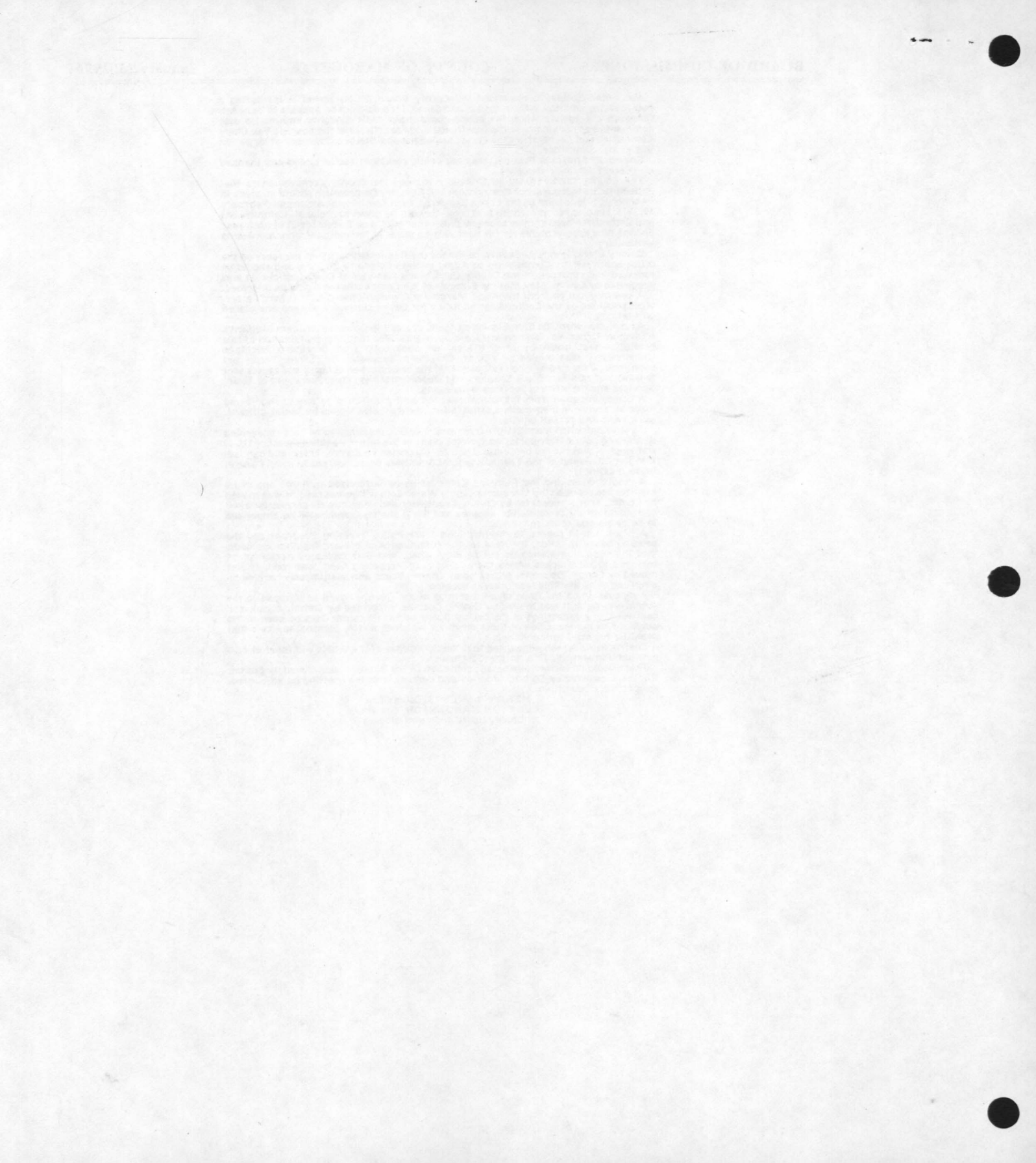
A resolution in regard to the Michigan State Police Training Program and the pending court litigation, the need for the continuance of present training methods, that their training standards not be diminished, and that increased personnel be assigned to rural areas where there is an ever increasing need, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that this resolution be adopted.

A discussion on the issue of all meetings of the County Board being open to the public was held. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Agnoli and carried, that all meetings of the County Board and-or its committees be open to the public, with the exception of those meetings which deal with personal matters that could be harmful to individuals.

Chairman Anderson announced that the Committee of the Whole will meet at 7:00 p.m. on January 29, 1976, in the Courthouse.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried, that the meeting be adjourned. Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman
County Board of Commissioners



February 25, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met on February 25, 1976 at 1:30 p.m. in the County Courthouse.

Present were: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Absent: None.

Salute to the Flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and carried that the minutes of the January 28, 1976 meeting be approved with the following amendments. Page 2, Paragraph 4 should have also read, "Mrs. Carolyn Priuska, Chairperson for Commission on Aging, read a communication and submitted a petition, signed by a number of persons, regarding the Commission on Aging remaining an out department of the County." And on Page 6, Paragraph 11 the word are should be substituted for the word be and the paragraph should read, "A discussion on the issue of all meetings of the County Board being open to the public, was held. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Agnoli, and carried, that all meetings of the County Board and-or its committees are open to the public, with the exception of those meetings which deal with personal matters that would be harmful to individuals."

A communication from CUPPAD, thanking the County for its 1976 contribution to CUPPAD was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Planning Commission, advising the County Board that Mr. James Sodergren has been appointed to serve on the County Water Authority and that Mr. David Holli will act as alternate, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Representative Dominic J. Jacobetti, of the 108th District, in regard to the County's resolution on State audits of County Funds, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Lt. Albert K. Denton, Commanding Officer of Negaunee State Police Post, regarding the County's resolution on State Police Training and assignments, was read and placed on file.

Mr. Peter Embley of Marquette, Michigan addressed the County Board on a need for the creation of a County Energy Authority and a study of energy needs, production of energy, and the financing of these needs. He informed the Board that at the present time taxpayers in this County are paying seventeen different rates per kilowatt of energy, depending on who produces, and who sells the energy.

A communication from Mr. John Bialik of the Escanaba office of the State Bureau of Construction Code, Building Division, regarding the County's Building Code Department, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan League of Human Services, regarding the New Michigan Foundation Directory, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Upper Peninsula Areawide Comprehensive Health Planning Association, thanking the County for its contribution to their organization, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Dr. Richard Potter of the County Health Department, expressing the need for construction of additional space for the Health Department, was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and carried that the communication be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee, with the request that they meet with Dr. Potter.

Communications from CUPPAD, regarding solid waste projects for 1977 and water and wastewater projects for 1977 were read and placed on file.

The report of the State Auditors on the Marquette County Audit for the year 1974 was presented, accepted and placed on file.

A communication from the Department of Natural Resources, regarding pre-applications for recreational grants for 1977, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried, that this communication be referred to both the County Planning Commission and the County Parks Commission.

A communication from Mr. Joseph DeJuliannie, of Gwinn, Michigan, regarding an Attorney General's Opinion that the County Board was in error when they fined him and Mr. Lawrence Armatti \$100.00 each in 1972, for failure to file the Oath of Office for Commissioners within ten days of being certified as elected, was read. The Prosecuting Attorney, Mr. Gary Walker, agreed with the opinion. It was then moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Racine, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, reimburse Mr. DeJuliannie and Mr. Armatti \$100.00 each because of this error made in 1972.

A communication from John Losik, of the Senior Citizens of the Michigamme, Champion, Humboldt, Spurr Center, in regard to the Commission on Aging, was read and placed on file.

Appointments were discussed in regard to members of the County Harbor Commission and County Forestry Commission. It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Trapp, and carried, that appointments on these two commissions expire on December 31st of each year instead of February 18th of each year.

Nominations were declared open for the appointment of one member for the Harbor Commission. Commissioner Racine nominated Mr. James Weingartner of Ishpeming, Michigan to succeed himself. It was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Gaboury, and carried, that nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot be cast for Mr. Weingartner for a three year term on the Harbor Commission, expiring December 31, 1978.

Nominations were declared open for the appointment of one member for the Forestry Commission. Commissioner Alderton nominated Mr. Rudolph Kauppila, of Ishpeming, Michigan. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Gaboury, and carried, that nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot

be cast for Mr. Kauppila for a three year term on the Forestry Commission, expiring December 31, 1978.

Chairman Anderson declared the Board Meeting open to the Public Sector.

Mr. Peter Embley addressed the Board in regard to the public being provided with information packets so that they may be better informed of County Board agenda items.

Mr. Michael Hongisto, of Marquette, Michigan, addressed the Board in regard to situations in the County where mineral rights are owned by one person on property owned by another and the person owning the mineral rights not being taxed on the value of his holdings.

Mr. Al Thierry of Marquette, addressed the Board in regard to the method of re-applying for Solid Waste Projects grants that were pending in 1976.

In response to questions on the Specific Tax Study, the public was advised:

1. Specific Tax Study meetings are open to the public.
2. A schedule of date and time of meetings can be had by calling the Controller's Office. (228-8500).
3. Materials are not available to the public because of the amount of material being studied and the high costs of printing this material.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding an amendment to the Sheriff's Department 1976 Budget, for police training school attendance, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Alderton, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and carried by a roll call vote, that the Sheriff's Department's 1976 Budget be amended in the amount of \$150.00 for the purpose of allowing one Sheriff Department employee to attend the April Police School.

A recommendation, from the Budget and Executive Committee in regard to the new fee schedule of the Building Code Department, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Cheatham, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the following fee schedule be adopted.

FEEES FOR PERMITS ISSUED

BY

MARQUETTE COUNTY BUILDING CODE DEPARTMENT

New One and Two Family Residential Construction and Additions

One and Two Family Dwellings	\$.06 per sq. ft.
Basements used as temporary dwellings	\$.03 per sq. ft.
Accessory Buildings (Garages, sheds, saunas, etc.)	\$.03 per sq. ft.
Minimum Building Permit Fee	\$ 8.00
Electrical Permit	No charge when issued with Building Permit
Residential Electrical Permit Only - Minor	\$ 8.00
Major	\$15.00
Residential Plumbing Permit	\$.02 per sq. ft.
Minimum Permit Fee	\$ 8.00
Remodeling, Renovation, Foundations, Etc.	See All other construction

Mobil Homes

Placement of Mobile Homes Minimum fee of \$8.00

All Other Construction

0 to 500	\$ 8.00
500 to 1,000	10.00
1,000 to 10,000	10.00 + 4/1,000 over 1,000
10,000 to 100,000	46.00 + 3/1,000 over 10,000
100,000 plus	\$316.00 + 2/1,000 over 100,000

Commercial Plumbing Permit	See Attached Table
Overtime Inspections	\$20.00/hr or fraction thereof
Special Inspections	\$15.00/hr or fraction thereof
Extra Inspections	\$ 5.00
Work started before permit was issued. FEES ARE DOUBLED	

Demolition

Sheds, private garages & accessory buildings	\$ 8.00
1 & 2 Family Dwellings	\$ 8.00
Multi Family & Commercial	\$15.00 + 3/1,000 of cost of demo
and other buildings	

Recommendations from the Budget and Executive Committee asking that telephone credit cards be supplied to each Board of Commission member for their use, and from the Audit Committee recommending that no credit cards be issued anyone, were read.

It was moved by Commissioner Leadbetter, and supported by Commissioner Coombs, that no credit cards be issued any Board member. The motion failed to pass because of a 6-6 tie vote. Ayes: Commissioner Agnoli, Coombs, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter and Racine. Nays: Commissioners Alderton, Cheatham, Doucette, May, Trapp, and Anderson.

It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Alderton, and carried by a roll call vote that credit cards for telephone use be supplied to all commissioners who desired them. Ayes: Commissioner Alderton, Cheatham, Doucette, Gaboury, May, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: Commissioners Agnoli, Coombs, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, and Racine.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee, establishing a Jury Commission Budget for 1976, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Goldsworthy, supported by Commissioner Racine, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that

the 1976 Budget for the Jury Commission be set at a figure of \$9,000.00, total.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee, regarding jury fees in the Probate Court Department, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Trapp, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Probate Court Budget for 1976 be amended by an increase of \$2,000.00 for jury fees.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Buildings Committee regarding the purchasing of a mirror for the master bedroom of the Youth Home, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Gaboury, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that this purchase be made. The cost of \$25.00 for the mirror will come from the Federal Grant monies available.

Reports from the Personnel Committee, Environmental Quality Committee, Transportation Committee, and Welfare Contact Committee were read and placed on file.

A report, from the Audit Committee recommending claims and accounts be allowed and ordered paid, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that these claims and accounts in the amount of \$198,242.31 be allowed and ordered paid.

AUDITING COMMITTEE

Board of Supervisors' Meeting February 25, 1976

State of Michigan, Amb. attendant annual license — Emerg. Pre.	1.00
Civil Def. Dir. Assoc. of Mich., Membership Dues	10.00
Marquette City Treas., Sidewalk improvements — Cr. Hse.	368.98
Marquette City Treas., Sidewalk improvements — Cr. Hse.	80.03
Russell Robertson, Veterans Burial Investigations	12.00
William J. Johnson, Veterans Burial Investigations	27.00
Kevin Munro, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	13.00
U.P. Legal Services, Inc., Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	125.00
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	500.00
Rush M. Shortley, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	190.50
Postmaster, Postage meter	1,000.00
Marjorie A. Seymour, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	107.20
Fassbender Funeral Home, Veterans Burial	900.00
Quinnell & Heitman, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	300.00
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr. & Dist. Cr.	751.05
Cindy Gauthier, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	42.00
David Chauthier, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	20.10
Joseph Krause, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
Diane Larson, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	30.40
Julie Delmont, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	42.00
Richard Barry, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	33.60
Brian Nurkala, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	35.10
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	200.00
Clancey, Hansen & Vielmetti, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	1,013.62
Pitney Bowes, Chart for Postage for Postage meter	1.00
Clerk, Court of Appeals, COD parcel — Cir. Cr.	2.83
Range Corp., Pager — Juv. Div.	22.54
Robert Messenger, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Quinnell & Heitman, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	100.00
Jason & Jason, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	1,388.25
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	250.00
Earleen Miller, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	246.20
Donald Ombrello, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Terry Weigold, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Bd. meeting	40.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Bd. meeting	40.00
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Bd. meeting	40.00
Ishpeming Twp. Treas., Refund Co. Portion Re: Bd. of Review	51.39
City of Ishpeming, Rent for month of Feb. — Dist. Cr.	300.00
Joseph Levandoski, Travel exp. — Pros. Atty.	77.91
Postmaster, Postage stamps — Frd. of Cr.	130.00
Mrs. George Harris, Burial — Veteran	300.00
Bjork & Zhulkie Funeral Home, Burial — Veteran	300.00
Guy E. Rose, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Cr. Hse. & Employees, Payroll	99,189.94
Blue Cross of Michigan, Hosp. — Cr. Hse. & Jail employers share	6,082.38
County Treasurer, Soc. Sec. — Cr. Hse. & Jail employers share	5,095.62
County Treasurer, Soc. Sec. — Dist. Cr. employers sh.	553.30
Koskey Funeral Home, Burial — Veteran	300.00
Michael F. DeFant, Travel Exp. — Probate Cr.	297.76
Alice A. Pequet, Officers fees & Trav. Exp. — Dist. Cr.	79.12
Beatrice Christensen, Officers fees — Dist. Cr.	129.50
Marjorie A. Seymour, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	25.60
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	260.00
U.P. Legal Services, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	125.00
Hope Y. Trapp, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	271.26
Richard C. Coombs, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	266.98
John Leadbetter, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	386.20
E. Kenneth Goldsworthy, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	200.66
James Alderton, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	246.02
Samuel Gaboury, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	212.30
Clayton J. Anderson, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	523.21
Orrin G. Doucette, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	270.34
Sally May, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	333.92

Ruby Cheatham, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	255.62
Joseph O. Racine, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & Mileage	322.72
Bertil Agnoli, Co. Bd. of Comm. meetings & mileage	125.46
Oliver Maki, Jury Bd. meetings & Mileage	176.64
Lloyd Price, Jury Bd. meetings & Mileage	161.28
Co. Treasurer, Soc. Sec. Co. Bd. of Comm. employers sh.	215.87
Mary Soli, U.S. Deputy Clerk, Legal Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.00
Susan K. Lovelace, Officers Fees — Sheriff	29.84
Michael H. Lovelace, Travel Exp. Sheriffs Dept.	64.00
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Bd. meeting	40.00
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Bd. meeting	40.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Bd. meeting	40.00
Michigan Power Co., Gas heating — Crf. Hse.	819.70
City of Marquette, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	18.00
Terry Lee Neal, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	10.00
Joseph Turenne, Jr., Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Terry Weigold, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Earl Turner, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	23.30
Robert J. Toutant, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	15.20
Phyllis M. Hess, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	15.20
Lucille M. Foster, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	23.30
Frank Holowitz, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	23.30
Debra G. Vidlund, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	30.80
Dominic J. Sarvello, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	23.30
Florence D. Houseman, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	36.40
Helen E. Cote, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	7.70
Joyce V. Lake, Jury Fees	10.70
David E. Tyosh, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	15.80
Dorothy V. Bissonette, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.70
Lowell J. Reynolds, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	21.00
Bernard C. Peters, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	22.90
Carla C. Koski, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	7.70
Russell P. Dupras, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	15.40
Danny B. Vilonia, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	28.90
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. fees — Dist. Crt.	550.00
Stephen S. Johnson, Atty. fees — Dist. Crt.	70.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Cir. Crt.	468.63
Jason & Jason, Atty. fees — Cir. Crt.	865.60
Donald Ombrello, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Gaylene Benjamin, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Donald Brame, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Walter Hamm, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
John F.W. Hess, Travel Exp. — Co. Planner	50.00
Lyn Johnson, Travel Exp. — Co. Planner	190.00
Postmaster, Postage — Dist. Crt.	250.00
Marilyn E. Anthony, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	16.60
Dorothy L. Buchkoe, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.70
Joseph L. Drozd, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.70
Marion Lucille Howe, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	17.20
Henry T. Johnson, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	19.20
Mary E. Keranen, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	18.00
District Court, Witness fees reimbursement	6.00
James Gibbons, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Postmaster, Postage stamps — Sheriffs Dept.	65.00
Terry B. Lawer, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	8.70
David D. Lee, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	21.00
Joanne M. L'Huillier, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	18.20
Harry F. Loehde, Jr., Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.70
Joan S. Myefski, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.70
Barbara D. Niemi, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.50
Einar W. Niemi, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	12.50
Beatrice M. Nyman, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	7.50
Royal Ellsworth Pascoe, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.90
Phyllis M. Pennell, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.	10.70
Clydene B. Rule, Jury Fees — Dist. Crt.,	7.50
Troy Criner, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	16.00
Susan MacDougall, Witness Fees — dist. Crt.	6.00
Gayle Miller, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Patricia Bosworth, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	7.00
Kathleen D. Heitman, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Carol Ewald, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Jody Abbott, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Ruth Pleaugh, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Norman Foster, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	11.00
Terry Weigold, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Donald Ombrello, Witness Fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Swanson Funeral Home, Burial — Veterans	600.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Cir. Crt.	1,555.64
Cris Wells, Witness fees — Dist. Crt. & Trav. exp. — Pros. Atty.	100.40
Daryl McDonald, Atty. fees — Dist. crt.	200.00
Phillip Pepin, Witness fees — Cir. Crt.	18.00
Rochelle Sundberg, Secretarial Services — Jury Bd.	24.00
Red Owl Stores, Supplies — Planning Comm.	3.84
R. Donald Tripp, Jury Bd. meetings & Mileage	79.20
Oliver Maki, Jury Bd. meetings & Mileage	176.64

Lloyd Price, Jury Bd. meetings & Mileage	161.28
Michael J. Anderegg, Trav. Exp. — Pros. Atty.	41.50
Gary L. Walker, Trav. Exp. — Pros. Atty.	336.50
Michael Sullivan, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	12.00
Mrs. Shirley Rule, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	12.00
Hilder Sjolholm, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	12.00
Terrye Matulewicz, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	269.98
James Caron, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	105.00
Stephen F. Adamini, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	75.00
Kay D. Pietro, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	67.50
County Clerk, Postage Reimbursement	3.13
Thomas Mallett, Travel Advance — Sheriffs Dept.	250.00
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	250.00
U.P. Legal Services, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	87.50
Earleen Miller, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	107.80
Clancey, Hansen & Vielmetti, Atty. fees — Cir. Cr.	350.00
Ronald D. Keefe, Atty. fees — Dist. Cr.	150.00
Conrad Carnahan, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.80
William Webb, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	8.80
Betty Webb, Witness fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Roy T. Coduti, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	11.50
Michael P. Airaudi, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.50
Bonnie J. Owens, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	12.50
Michelle S. Pittman, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.30
Lucille S. Carlson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	30.20
James Smith, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	107.65
Alan J. Filizetti, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	12.50
Cecilia C. Aikala, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	8.50
Susan M. Hewitt, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	8.10
Robert M. Ball, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	46.00
George L. Regis, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.70
Selima E. Huempfer, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
Toni R. Arola, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	44.00
Edward C. LaMere, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.90
Sarah E. Carlson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.70
Gerald W. Jarvis, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.70
Carl L. DeSautelle, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.50
Dorothy C. Miller, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
Gregory R. Spalding, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	30.60
Marlene F. Romback, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	33.20
Victor W. DePaoli, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.70
Barbara J. Depetro, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
Lois M. Waters, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.70
Theresa R. Fure, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	8.10
Denis M. Dawydko, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
George E. Ruuska, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	8.10
Lief J. Hoff, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.50
Irving H. Korpi, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	36.00
Viola R. Germain, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	42.00
Daniel S. DePetro, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.60
Patricia A. Numokoski, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	21.80
Mary J. Apple, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	31.20
Dian L. Wright, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	30.60
Wilfred A. Delmont, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	12.50
Marilyn K. Koshorek, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	9.50
Wayne T. Thompson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.60
Herman L. Kampe, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	7.70
Ronald L. Pell, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	40.00
Miriam R. Berg, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	36.40
Daniel G. Hakala, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	31.60
John H. Hytinen, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.90
Mary C. Tasson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	10.50
Wesley H. Aho, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	24.60
Priscilla M. White, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	22.20
Beverley T. Kersey, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
Judith A. Dube, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	30.50
Bennie T. Swiedals, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	32.60
Elsie M. Hyett, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	22.20
Clement P. Nadeau, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.80
James W. Scheuren, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	17.50
Charles T. Devonshire, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	45.40
Henry G. Paquette, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
Rocco A. Bertucci, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	21.80
Madonna M. Coombe, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	21.80
Paul L. Anderson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	32.10
Karen J. Babcock, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
Ralph D. Engstrom, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	21.80
Sterling J. LaFonde, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.30
Robert C. Gummerson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	28.50
Larry W. Kuhn, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.20
Patricia A. Yelle, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	54.10
Myrtle M. Hutter, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	23.30
Elizabeth M. Larson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	21.40
Herbert W. Lawrence, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40
Hazel M. Schwemin, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.40

Kathryn L. Chiconsky, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.20
Linda L. Winslow, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.80
Fern E. Bertucci, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	21.40
Jerry E. Dionne, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	27.50
Ann M. Garceau, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.40
Secondina Sibley, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	18.20
William Racine, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	57.80
Suzanne A. Coron, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	66.90
Raymond J. Numela, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.20
William L. Huot, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	10.50
Glenn David Luebke, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	16.90
Rosemary K. Glenn, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	23.30
Paul P. Markantony, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.20
Edward S. Johnson, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	28.50
Roy M. Eman, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	57.00
Susan C. Manson, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	22.90
Marie J. Carlson, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	21.40
Lorraine A. Fowler, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	7.70
Mary A. Parkkila, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	15.60
Isabelle M. Dyke, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	21.00
George D. Krummi, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	77.00
Robert Fisher, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	6.00
Koskey Funeral Home, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	300.00
Thomas P. Casselman, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	824.86
Bjork & Zhulkie Funeral Home, Jury Fees — Cir. Crt.	300.00
Alice A. Pequet, Officers Fees — Cir. Crt.	74.00
Bonnie L. Lowney, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	11.00
Janet A. Pinter, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Denise Dawydke, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
James F. Dupras, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	11.00
Gerald Kositzky, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
John Hume, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Jason & Jason, Atty. fees — Cir. Crt.	300.00
Thomas P. Kennedy, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Stan Selesky, Witness fees — Dist. Crt.	6.00
Postmaster, Postage — Planning Comm.	52.00
Co. Planning Commission, Replenish petty cash	22.22
Michigan Bell Telephone Co., Services — Co. Officers	1,387.50
Sir Speedy, Printing — Bd. of Comm. & Co. Planner	51.90
Holiday Travel Agency, Travel Exp. — Co. Comm. & Dist. Crt.	545.87
National Association of Counties, Co. Member Service Fee	801.00
Forsberg Flowers, Services — Co. Bd. Comm.	30.50
Hope Y. Trapp, Travel Exp. — Co. Bd. of Comm.	25.77
Sally May, Travel Exp. — Co. Bd. of Comm.	34.42
Panax Corp., Advertising, Co. Bd. of Comm.	677.60
Holiday Inn of Marquette, Rest. Charges — Co. Bd. of Comm.	18.82
Pellow Printing, Printing Minutes — Co. Bd. of Comm.	346.00
Office Service Company, Office Supplies — Co. Bd. of Comm.	94.95
Northern Stationers, Office Supplies and Office Equip. & Fur. Co. officers	1,387.61
U.P. Office Supply Co., Office Supplies and Office equip. Fur. Co. officers	1,255.47
Ramada Inn, Trav. Exp. — Pros. Atty. & Witness exp. — Cir. Crt.	118.47
Doubleday Bros. & Co., Printing — Co. Officers	717.80
Harold F. VanOverloop, Travel Exp. — Frd. of Crt.	39.04
Guelff Printers, Printing — Co. Officers	1,432.35
A.J. Farnham Co, Printing — Cir. Crt.	327.12
Coachlight Restaurant, Meals for Jury — Cir. Crt.	37.06
Edward A. Quinnell, Reimbursement — Supplies — Cir. Crt.	7.15
District Court, Ishpeming, Reimbursement for checks ordered	12.03
Board of Light & Power, Utilities — Dist. Crt.	12.01
Lynn Ketchem, Travel Exp. — Dist. Crt.	14.72
Sidney Holman, Travel Exp. — Dist. Crt.	36.16
The University of Michigan, Court Rules Service for 1976 — Dist. Crt.	40.00
The Lawyers Co-op. Pub. Co., Books — Dist. Crt.	57.20
West Publishing Co., Books — Dist. Crt.	19.00
Keystone Envelope Co., Printing — Dist. Crt.	82.95
Daryl McDonald, Atty. fees — Probate Crt.	213.10
Jeanette Dembowski, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	6.20
John Matzen, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	6.10
Cheryl White, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	8.80
Connie Middleton, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	6.20
Willaim Webb, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	10.00
Pauline Webb, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	6.00
Henry Steede, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	6.10
David H. Conrad, Witness fees — Probate Crt.	6.40
Callaghan & Company, Books — Probate Crt.	75.00
Stephen S. Johnson, Atty. Fees — Prob. Crt.	225.00
Quinnell & Heitman, Atty. fees — Prob. Crt.	68.75
Bridges & Collins, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	248.03
S. Neil Lynch, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	137.50
Rush M. Shortley, Atty. fees — Juv. Div.	241.41
Robert Archibald, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	77.00
Sharon Platt, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	3.84
Barry Sullivan, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	42.72
Richard Normand, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	28.47
Laura Paterson, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	7.04

Clark Boardman Company, Ltd., Books — Juv. Div.	23.33
Flanigan Brothers Storage, Storage, — Juv. Det. Home	28.98
Range Corp., Pager — Juv. Div.	22.50
Town & Country Hdwr., Supplies — Juv. Div., Crt. Hse. & Jail	78.35
Henry A. Skewis, Trav. Exp. — Co. Clerk	9.60
Altmanns, Office Equip. Maint. — Co. Officers	159.70
Manatron Inc., Services — Tax Equal. Dept.	28,544.42
Henry W. Schneider, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	4.80
Gary Trudgeon, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	16.16
Mich. Assoc. of Equal. Directors, 1976 Dues	30.00
Erickson Oil Products, Gas — Tax Equal. & Sheriff	122.84
Buster's Gulf Service Station, Gas — Tax. Equal. & Sheriff	453.31
Harvey Oil Company, Gas — Sheriff & Snomobile Div.	453.11
Magnatag Products, Office Supplies — Pros. Atty.	20.80
First National Bank of Iron Mt., Pmt. of lease — Pros. Atty.	83.09
Matthew Bender, Book — Pros. Atty.	10.50
The Nat'l. Dist. Attorneys Assoc., 1976 Membership Dues	270.00
United Binding Company, Supplies & Office Equip. — Reg. of Deeds	424.80
James F. Sodergren, Trav. Exp. — Treas. & Co. Planning meeting & mi.	71.68
ShopKo Stores, Office Equip. — Crt. Hse.	400.00
Mike's Service, Snow Plowing — Crt. Hse.	292.00
Marquette Maintenance Masters, Supplies — Crt. Hse. & Jail	66.67
City of Marquette, Trash Can liners—Crt. Hse. & Amb. Serv. — Jail	65.00
Rogers Electrical, Bldg. Repairs & Maint. — Crt. Hse.	634.85
Northstate Equipment Corp., Office Equip. — Crt. Hse.	158.87
Larson & Krieg, Inc., Supplies — Crt. Hse. & Jail	429.80
Mgt. Co. Assoc. of Ins. Agents, Inc. — Crt. Hse.	722.00
Mich. Assoc. of Co. Drain Comm., 1976 Membership Dues	25.00
Xerox Corp., Services — Reg. of Deeds	1,261.37
Adams Leasing Company, Pmt. for Abbick Copier	137.38
Mgt. Co. Assoc. of Ins. Agents, Ins. — Sheriffs Dept.	1,932.00
Shaw's Gulf Service, Gas — Sheriffs Dept.	9.15
Leon A. Korte, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	17.49
Badger Uniforms, Uniforms — Sheriffs Dept.	1,637.47
Firestone Tire Sales, Veh. Maint. — Sheriffs Dept.	3.50
Clarks Super 100 Station, Gas — Sheriffs Dept.	12.40
Cooperative Society of Marquette, Groceries — Jail	886.61
Edward Don & Company, Supplies — Sheriffs Dept.	253.84
Frei Chevrolet, Inc., Car Lease — Sheriffs Dept.	182.00
Pendil Pharmacy, Services — Jail	2.50
Dr. W.J. Norris, Services — Jail	64.00
Bahrman's Farm, Potatoes, Jail	21.00
Red Owl Food Stores, Supplies — Jail	10.03
Our Own Bakeries, Food supplies Jail	123.72
Interstate Welding Sales, Supplies Jail	4.85
Holiday Cleaners, Uniforms cleaned Jail	128.25
Michigan Power Company, Heating & Non-heating Gas — Jail	752.57
Wolverine Supply, Supplies	59.81
Vollwerth-Marquette Company, Food Supplies — Jail	1,027.40
Beauchamps Camera Corner, Supplies — Jail	4.25
Supreme Sales Co., Clothing & Bedding — Jail	1,649.74
Marquette Pharmacy, Services — Jail	72.27
Orthopaedic Surgery Assoc., Services — Jail	396.50
Mark T. Payant, D.D.S., Services — Jail	24.00
Marquette General Hospital, Services — Jail	224.70
Northern Prof. Emergency, Services — Jail	80.00
Marquette Radiology Assoc., Services — Jail	36.00
Marquette Veterinary Clinic, Services — Jail	18.00
Spear & Sons, Supplies — Jail	4.50
Bruning Division, Supplies — Bldg Code & Planners office	165.11
Building Officials & Code Adm. Int., Supplies — Bldg. Code	502.00
George Keskimaki, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code	139.84
Walfred Helberg, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code	125.60
Patricia Day, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code	17.92
Michael E. Zorza, Travel Exp. — Emergency Preparedness	38.76
Dun-Donnelley Publishing Corp., Subscription — Emergency Preparedness	16.00
Instructional Materials Lab., Supplies — Emergency Preparedness	4.65
M.J. Lexmond, M.D., Medical Examiner Fees	30.00
W. Gene Schroeder, M.D., Medical Examiner Fees	10.00
James F. Tobin, M.D., Medical Examiner Fees	10.00
Fassbender Funeral Home, Services Re: Medical Examiner	75.00
Melvin N. Nyquist, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext. & Co. Planning Meeting	149.55
Mary L. Pierce, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext.	68.32
James A. Schultz, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext.	36.76
Virginia Ball, Trav. Exp. Co. Ext.	128.24
Engineering Graphics, Co. Planner — Books	40.00
C.U.P.P.A.D., Services — Co. Planner	507.20
Dupras-Racine Realty, Inc., Rent. — Co. Planner & Bldg. Code Dept.	275.00
Lyn Johnson, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planner	28.16
John Hess, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planner	16.48
Karol Peterson, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planning Meeting	40.16
Joseph Racine, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planning Meeting	47.20
Kenneth Tuominen, Trav. Exp. — Co. Planning meeting	47.36
The Lloyd-Thomas Co., Prem. for Appraisal Maint. Serv.	720.00
Marquette Co. 4-H Plat Book Acct., Special Appropriation — Co. Ext.	750.00
TOTAL	\$198,242.31

THE WITHIN ACCOUNTS HAVE BEEN CAREFULLY CHECKED AND PAYMENT OF SAME IS HEREBY RATIFIED AND APPROVED: As corrected, Orrin G. Doucette, Richard C. Coombs, Joseph O. Racine, Bertil Agnoli, John S. Leadbetter.

A recommendation from the Committee of the Whole, regarding procedure manual changes, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Trapp, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that Rule 6, "Order of Business", be amended to include "Opening Prayer", and that the remaining changes be approved and new Procedure Manuals be printed.

A recommendation from the Committee of Committees, regarding membership on Standing Committees and persons serving on them, was read. After a discussion as to whether the Chairman of the County Board can sit on all committees as a voting member or only as an ex officio member and have no voting power, the matter was placed on file. A ruling from the Prosecuting Attorney, Gary Walker, has been requested for the next regular meeting.

Departmental reports from the Department of Emergency Services, Health Department, County Planner, Building Code Department, Commission on Aging, Controller, and Treasurer's Department, were read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Racine, and unanimously carried, that the reports be placed on file and the Treasurer's Report be published.

MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE

For Month Ending January 31, 1976

LEDGER ACCOUNTS	DEBIT BALANCE	CREDIT BALANCE
General Fund		12,609.37
County Road Fund		35,153.44
County Road Investment Fund		250,000.00
County Airport Fund		115,744.74
County Parks Fund		30,806.24
Harbor Commission Fund		3,810.09
Forestry Commission Fund		79,887.57
Sanatorium Fund		110,357.78
Social Services Fund		261,923.83
Child Care Fund	1,731.24	
Health Dept. Fund		51,008.49
Soldiers Relief Fund		22,182.21
Signed: Marilyn J. Hult Deputy County Treasurer		

A communication and resolution from the Michigan Association of Counties, regarding the May 18, 1976 Presidential Preference Primary Elections and its projected cost, were read. It was called to the Board's attention by Henry A. Skewis, County Clerk and Director of Elections for Marquette County, that the projected figure of \$7,306.39 given by MAC was in error. This was the actual cost of the Presidential Preference Primary in 1972, and did not reflect increase costs in the four year period. He estimated the projected figure would be close to \$10,000.00. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that a resolution be adopted asking the State of Michigan to either cancel the May 18, 1976 Primary or enact legislation to pay the entire cost of it.

A communication from the League of Women's Voters of Marquette County, commending the County Board on confirming its policy on open meetings, was read and placed on file.

A rough draft of the agreement between the County of Marquette and the City of Marquette relating to the Courthouse parking requirements was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Racine, and carried by a roll call vote, that after the correction of the wording to more clearly explain the situation, the agreement be submitted to the Prosecuting Attorney, Gary Walker, for his approval and then be signed by the Chairman of the Board and other necessary officials. Ayes: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Gaboury, May, Racine, and Alderton. Nays: Commissioners Coombs, Doucette, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, and Trapp.

A discussion was held in regard to the submission of the Seafarer question on an advisory ballot. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy and carried that the matter be placed on the November 1976 ballot for consideration.

A communication from the County Planner in regard to a Transif Authority, was read and placed on file.

Commissioner Coombs advised the Board that the Upper Peninsula Travel and Recreational Association is completing plans to move the George Bishop Memorial to Marquette County in the Spring of 1976.

The question of whether the Commission on Aging should be an out department or a line department was again discussed. It was moved by Commissioner Leadbetter, and supported by Commissioner Coombs, that the original motion on January 28, 1976 be reconsidered. After further discussion the motion was defeated by 6-6 tie, roll call vote. Ayes (to reconsider): Commissioners Agnoli, Cheatham, Coombs, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, and Trapp. Nays (not to reconsider): Commissioners Alderton, Doucette, Gaboury, May, Racine, and Anderson.

A discussion was held on the Cooperative Extension Office space in the New Courthouse Annex. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner May, and carried that the County Lands and Buildings Committee issue a bulletin asking for an estimate of costs to install an electrical range outlet and plumbing outlets in the Cooperative Extension Office area.

The Controller was instructed by the Board to contact the Ministerial Association and supply them with a list of meeting dates so that they may furnish clergy to recite

opening prayers for each meeting.

A discussion on energy and the cost of energy was held. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried that an official from the Upper Peninsula Power Company and one from the Marquette Board of Light and Power be asked to attend the next Board of Commissioner's meeting to inform the members on energy needs and costs.

The County Board of Commissioners requested that at future Board meetings all department heads be seated in front of the railing so they may be more available to answer questions that may be asked them.

The Chairman Clayton Anderson declared the Public Session open.

Mr. Al Thierry of Marquette, Michigan spoke in favor of having the Seafarer question placed on the May 18, 1976 Primary Ballot.

Mr. Peter Embley spoke on the need for a County Transit Authority and possible better use of school buses after school hours to transport persons other than students.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and carried that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman,
Marquette County Board of Commissioners

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF LABOR
FOR THE YEAR 1954

The Commission on Labor Relations was organized in 1947 to study the labor relations situation in Massachusetts. It has since that time held numerous public hearings and has received many suggestions from labor and management alike. In 1954, the Commission has completed its study and is pleased to submit this report to the public.

The Commission believes that the labor relations situation in Massachusetts is generally stable and that there is a high degree of cooperation between labor and management. However, there are still some areas where improvement is needed. The Commission has identified these areas and has proposed several measures to improve the labor relations situation.

The Commission's proposals are based on the following principles:

- 1. Fairness to all parties involved.
- 2. Promotion of peace and stability in the workplace.
- 3. Encouragement of cooperation between labor and management.
- 4. Protection of the rights of all workers.

The Commission believes that these proposals will help to improve the labor relations situation in Massachusetts and will lead to a more harmonious and productive workplace.

COMMISSIONERS OF LABOR
STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS

March 24, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met on March 24, 1976 at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Room of the County Courthouse.

Roll call was held by County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, finding present: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson; absent: Commissioner Leadbetter.

Salute to the Flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Racine and carried, that the reading of the minutes of the February 25, 1976 meeting be dispensed with and they be approved.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties in regard to Commissioners Exchange Day was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Department of Social Services regarding a Community Forum on Social Services, to be held on March 29, 1976, at 7:00 p.m. at Northern Michigan University, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Alderton, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that Commissioner Racine, Chairman of the Welfare Contact Committee, attend this Forum as a representative of the County.

A communication from Joseph S. Mack, State Senator, acknowledging his receipt of the County's resolution regarding costs of Presidential Preference Primary Elections, was read and placed on file.

A communication regarding an Upper Peninsula Labor Management Conference, to be held on Wednesday, May 12, 1976, at the Holiday Inn in Marquette, Michigan, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Chairman of the Personnel Committee, John S. Leadbetter, and County Controller, Gary Yoder, attend as representatives of the county.

A communication from the Department of Public Health, State of Michigan, regarding the Substance Abuse Services reorganization was read and placed on file.

A communication from CUPPAD regarding recreational projects for Marquette County for the 1977 - 1981 planning period was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner May, and carried, that the communication be referred to the County Planning Commission, and the County Planner, Lyn Johnson, for study and input.

A report of the County Mine Inspector, Henry L. Scarfee, regarding the death of Mr. Ernest W. Garbett in a mine accident at the Mather B Mine, on February 18, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A communication announcing a public hearing, to be held in Washington D.C., on March 25, 1976, regarding Project Seafarer, was read and placed on file.

A communication in regard to a Seminar to be held in St. Louis, Missouri, March 31 through April 2, 1976, on Renovation of Older Courthouses, was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried that the County Controller gather information on any funding possibilities that may be available after this Seminar has been held.

A communication from Michigamme Township regarding the deplorable condition of U.S. 41 West of the M-95 Junction, was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and carried that the Transportation Committee be asked to check into this matter to see if some work can be done by the State Highway Department on this stretch of highway this Spring.

A communication from the Western Region District of National Association of Counties regarding the Public Lands Program for 1976 was read and placed on file.

A communication from the U.P. 51st State of Superior, Inc. stating their goals for 1976, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried, that a letter be sent to Mr. Theodore Albert, President of the U.P. 51st State of Superior, Inc., advising him that the County Board of Commissioners is not fully in agreement with the ideas but they wish him well in his endeavors.

A notice of a public hearing to be held by the Department of Labor, State of Michigan, in Lansing, Michigan on March 31, 1976 on the Barrier Free Design Act, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Alderton, supported by Commissioner Trapp, and carried that the Building Code Department be asked to review the proposed rules changes and make comment on them to the County Board of Commissioners.

A request from Action Non-Profit Corporation of Marquette, Michigan for County funding in the amount of \$7,000.00 for the year 1977, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and carried that this item be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and report.

A resolution asking for the establishing of a National Veterans Cemetery in the State of Michigan was read. It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried that this resolution be adopted and copies sent to the appropriate State and Federal legislators and veteran groups.

A resolution in regard to a three year Property Tax Moratorium on County property on future increases in the level of assessments, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Agnoli, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and carried that this resolution be referred to the Equalization Committee for study and report.

A resolution setting amounts allowed the First National Bank and Trust Company of Marquette to act as paying agent for the redemption of coupons and bonds on the Courthouse Annex Bond Issue, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Cheatham, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the following resolution be adopted.

At a regular meeting of the Marquette County Board of Commissioners held on March 24th, 1976, at which a quorum, consisting of Comms. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson (Comm. Leadbetter absent) were present for the transaction of business, the following resolution was offered by Comm. Hope Y. Trapp, supported by Comm.

Ruby Cheatham, and adopted:

RESOLVED, That the First National Bank & Trust Company, Marquette, Michigan, be and is hereby appointed paying agent for Marquette County Courthouse Annex Bond Issue (TR-57-001553-7)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the First National Bank of Marquette, Marquette, Michigan shall be paid as compensation for its services, fees on the following basis:

ACCOUNT MAINTENANCE FEE — to be billed semiannually.

\$50.00 per annum.

PAYMENT OF INTEREST COUPONS

\$0.14 per coupon

FOR PAYMENT OF COUPON BONDS

At Maturity or on Redemption Prior to Maturity When all Outstanding Bonds are to be Redeemed

\$1.50 per bond.

ON REDEMPTION PRIOR TO MATURITY WHEN LESS THAN

All Outstanding Bonds are to be Redeemed

\$1.75 per bond.

PLUS OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES, (e.g., postage, registered mail, surcharge, etc.)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That all statements of account, and all cancelled obligations shall be forwarded by the Paying Agent to:

Marquette County Clerk

Courthouse

Marquette, MI 49855

Attention: Mr. Henry A. Skewis

Telephone 226-9973

AYES: Comms. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. (Comm. Leadbetter absent)

NAYS: None

STATE OF MICHIGAN

COUNTY OF Marquette

I, Henry A. Skewis, Clerk of County of Marquette, State of Michigan, hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct copy of resolution at its regular meeting held March 24th, 1976.

JAMES F. SODERGREN, County Treasurer

HENRY A. SKEWIS, Marquette County Clerk

A communication from CUPPAD regarding public nomination of Great Lakes Shorelands areas of particular concern, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Alderton and carried, that the matter be referred to the March 30, 1976 meeting of the Environmental Quality Committee for study and action.

A communication from the U.S. Department of Commerce regarding a meeting to review changes and revision of the OEDP Guidelines, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Alderton, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that Commissioner Trapp be authorized to represent the County at this meeting.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for Public Comment.

Mr. Wayne Roy, Gwinn, Michigan, addressed the County Commissioners in regard to the agreement between Thomas Shaw, Inc. and the Marquette County relating to Courthouse Annex Construction. He felt that the County should supply the Marquette County Labor Council with a list of employees of Tom Shaw, Inc. and this list should show their residency. The County Commissioners authorized Commissioner May to obtain this information for the Labor Council.

Mr. Wayne Roy of Gwinn, Michigan addressed the County Commissioners regarding Tom Shaw, Inc. hiring County jail prisoners and Marquette Branch prison inmates to work on the Courthouse Annex on "Work pass" programs, while unemployment is so high in the County. The County Commissioners were unaware of this situation. Commissioner May will inquire into this matter for the County Commissioners.

Peter Embley of Marquette, Michigan addressed the County Commissioners on the matter of an Energy Seminar. This Seminar had been planned for the March 24, 1976 Commissioners' meeting and due to an oversight the proper persons had not been invited. The County Commissioners advised Mr. Embley that this Seminar would be held and the proper persons notified.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting closed for Public Comment.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee in regard to cost over runs of \$64,000.00 on the Youth Home was read. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and carried by a roll call vote, that the extra expenses incurred for the County Youth Home in the amount of \$64,000.00 be paid from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund. Ayes: (Six) Alderton, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: (Five) Agnoli, Cheatham, Coombs, May, and Racine. Absent: (One).

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding necessary Budget adjustments for 1976 was read. It was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Gaboury, and carried by a roll call vote that the following appropriations be amended as stated. Ayes: (Nine) Commissioners Alderton, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: (Two) Commissioners Agnoli and Cheatham. Absent: (One).

Out-Department	Original	Amended	Returned to
Social Services	Appropriation	Appropriation	General Fund
	\$144,000.00	\$141,008.00	\$ 2,992.00

Road Commission	218,979.00	173,834.00	45,145.00
County Parks Fund	18,500.00	16,049.00	2,451.00
Commission on Aging	36,946.00	35,781.00	1,165.00
Acocks Medical Facility	120,000.00	117,684.00	2,316.00
Health Department	226,000.00	213,183.00	12,817.00
TOTAL			\$66,886.00

A report of the County Lands and Buildings Committee was read and placed on file. A recommendation from the Personnel Committee regarding providing term Life Insurance for Department Heads, elected officials and other non-union employees was read. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that \$15,000.00 term Life Insurance be purchased for Department Heads, elected officials, and other non-union employees.

A report of the County Audit Committee in regard to claims and accounts for the previous month was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that claims and accounts in the amount of \$171,348.48 be allowed and ordered paid.

AUDITING COMMITTEE

Board of Supervisors' Meeting March 24, 1976

Marjorie A. Seymour, Part Time Hire & Transcripts-Cir. Cr.	169.64
Geraldine Marie Simmons, Witness Fee — Dist. Cr.	10.00
Mike Koczor, Witness Fee — Dist. Cr.	12.40
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Bd. Meeting	40.00
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Bd. Meeting	40.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Bd. Meeting	40.00
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. Fees — Cir. & Dist. Cr.	983.85
Postmaster, Postage — Sheriffs Dept.	65.00
County Clerk, Reimbursement for Postage	2.50
Juan Patzi, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	26.00
Keith Swanson, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	150.00
Hope Y. Trapp, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	303.10
Richard C. Coombs, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	328.64
John Leadbetter, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	379.80
E. Kenneth Goldsworthy, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	307.78
Bertil Agnoli, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	209.10
James Alderton, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	197.16
Samuel Gaboury, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	165.68
Clayton J. Anderson, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	592.55
Orrin G. Doucette, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	231.72
Ruby Cheatham, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	144.24
Joseph O. Racine, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mi.	242.04
Gary L. Walker, Travel Advance — Pros. Atty.	225.00
Postmaster, Postage — Frd. of Court	130.00
Postmaster, Postage — Circuit Court	65.00
U.P. Legal Services, Inc., Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	125.00
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	254.00
Judy LaCombe, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Thomas M. Kaiser, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	8.00
Ursula Ryoti, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Benedict Bray, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Loretta Roncaglione, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Lawrence Pepin, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Angela Tasson, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Crt. Hse. & Jail employees, Payroll	100,930.51
Blue Cross of Michigan, Hosp.-Crthse, Jail, Retirees Employers Share	6,039.22
County Treasurer, Soc. Sec.-Crt. Hse., Jail Employers share	5,182.19
County Treasurer, Soc. Sec. — Dist. Cr. Employers share	578.94
Connie Ghan, Witness Fees — Circuit Cr.	15.15
Anita Dupras, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.15
James Lamb, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	38.00
Jerry Hanks, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	38.00
George C. Mossman, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	19.00
Darrell Creighton, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	19.00
Lorraine Moyle, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.15
Michigan Power Co., Comm. Gas Heating — Cr. Hse.	726.60
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Bd. Meeting	40.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Bd. Meeting	40.00
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Bd. Meeting	65.28
Ethan Roberts, Witness Expenses — Cir. Cr.	297.50
City of Marquette, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	126.00
Beatrice Christensen, Officers Fees — Dist. Cr.	23.94
City of Ishpeming, Rent — Ishp. Dist. Cr.	300.00
Don Beauchamp, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.00
Nick Valenti, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.20
Margaret H. Coats, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	15.20
Eero E. Niemi, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	18.20
Karen A. Jussila, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	8.00
Reino R. Niemela, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	18.50
Idell M. Lucas, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	19.00

Lois M. Ombrello, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.50
Toivo J. Polvi, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	12.10
Virginia M. Martin, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	15.20
Gerald F. Bjebler, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.50
Charles B. Frassetto, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	12.50
Deborah A. Kampinen, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	14.70
Julanne M. Isabelle, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	15.20
Richard J. Alholm, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.70
Elma E. White, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	16.00
Stephen S. Johnson, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	262.50
Keith Swanson, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	150.00
Joseph DeJullianne, Reimb. error in Comp. pmt. 1972-Co. Bd. of Commissioners	100.00
Lawrence Armatti, Reimb. Error in Compensation pmt. '72-Co. Bd. of Commissioners	100.00
UP Assoc. of Co. Tax Dir. & Assessors, 1976 Dues	20.00
Union National Bank, Pmt. Deposit books — Frd. of Cr.	3.58
Prison Arts Magazine, 1 year sub. — Cir. Cr.	4.00
Palm Beach Co, Sheriff, Services — Probate Cr.	9.00
Bjork & Zhulkie Fun. Home, Burial — Veterans	600.00
Perala Funeral Home, Burial — Veterans	300.00
County Treasurer, Transfer to T & A — Emerg. Services	6.40
Mary K. Sirois, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Marilyn Kay Lee, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Robert D. Gilbert, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Postmaster, Postage Meter, — Cr. Hse.	1,000.00
Adeline M. Bender, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	514.90
Sally May, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mileage	312.80
Terri Lee Gondek, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	30.00
Barbara Nichols, Witness fees — Cir. Cr.	30.00
McDonald & McDonald, Atty. Fees — Cir. Cr.	347.50
Earleen Miller, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	89.70
National Sheriffs' Assoc., Ins. Premiums employers sh.-Sheriff Dept.	525.00
National Handicraft Inst., Supplies — Juv. Div.	14.67
Michael Ternus, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Gregory L. Paavola, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Norman E. Aho, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.50
Vivian K. Aho, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	13.50
Helen E. Contois, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Peter P. Carriere, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	13.50
Gary A. Davis, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
James S. DuMoulin, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	15.50
Leonard S. Elder, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Clyde W. Hecox, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Evelyn E. Helwig, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	12.10
Donald L. Ketchem, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.50
Nancy C. Levi, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	12.50
Kenneth W. Pierce, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Hilda L. Rasmussen, Jury Fees — Dist. Cr.	10.70
Earleen Miller, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	37.70
Mich. Employ. Sec. Comm., Service Contract	6,951.90
Sgt. Susan Vroom, Witness Fees — Probate Cr.	10.00
Shumar & Murphy, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	60.00
McDonald & McDonald, Atty. Fees — Cir. Cr.	1,002.57
Mary Joff, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.15
Robin Hoff, Witness Fees — Cir. Cr.	15.15
96th District Court, Witness Fees Reimbursement	36.00
Alice A. Pequet, Officers Fees — Dist. Cr.	18.50
Postmaster, Postage — Frd. of Court	130.00
Eleanor M. Maier, Rent 1st half Feb. '76 — Juv. Det. Home	250.00
John Rombouts, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	107.22
Fassbender Funeral Home, Burial — Veterans	600.00
Gary L. Walker, Divorce Reports — Pros. atty.	215.00
Swanson Funeral Home, Burial — Veterans	600.00
Florence Olivier, Witness Fees — Juv. Div.	6.20
Alan L. Lampi, Witness Fees — Juv. Div.	6.10
Keith Swanson, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	125.00
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Board Meeting	40.00
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Board Meeting	40.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Board Meeting	40.00
Quinnell and Heitman, Atty. Fees — Cir. Cr.	259.50
Jeff Evans, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Michael Graham, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Galen Mills, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Ronald D. Keefe, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	100.00
William H. Anderson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	8.10
Carol E. Carlson, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	11.50
Howard D. Harris, Jury Fees — Cir. Cr.	11.70
Neal Thoma, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.00
Michael Bodrie, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Judith Ann Bodrie, Witness Fees — Dist. Cr.	7.00
Quinnell & Heitman, Atty. Fees — Prob. Cr.	25.00
William J. Johnson, Burial Investigations — Veterans	21.00

Russell Robertson, Burial Investigations — Veterans	21.00
John S. Leadbetter, Bd. of Comm. Meetings & Mileage	151.92
National Dist. Attys. Assoc., 1976 Membership Dues - Pros. Atty.	50.00
State of Michigan, Supplies — Plat Board	9.00
Alice J. Lietz, Reg. MCAA Spring Conference — Dist. Cr.	50.00
McDonald & McDonald, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	105.00
Kay D. Pietro, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	81.00
Earleen Miller, Transcripts — Cir. Cr.	120.40
Zoskey Funeral Home, Burial — Veteran	300.00
Bjork & Zhulkie Fun. Home, Burial — Veteran	300.00
Postmaster, Postage — Pros. Atty.	130.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty. Fees — Dist. Cr.	100.00
James F. Sodergren, Plat Board Meeting	40.00
Henry A. Skewis, Plat Board Meeting	40.00
Paul A. Nykanen, Plat Board Meeting	40.00
Postmaster, Postage — Sheriffs Dept.	65.00
Beatrice Christensen, Officers Fees — Cir. Cr.	222.00
Daryl McDonald, Atty Fees — Juv. Div.	75.00
Bridges & Collins, Atty Fees — Dist. Cr.	138.90
McDonald & McDonald, Atty Fees — Juv. Div.	87.50
Daryl McDonald, Atty Fees — Probate Cr.	25.00
Henry L. Seltz, Atty Fees — Probate Cr.	81.50
Lyn Johnson, Travel Advance — Bldg. Code Dept.	190.00
Jack Rombouts, Witness Fee — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Oliver Maki, Jury Bd. Meetings & Mileage	88.32
R. Donald Tripp, Jury Bd. Meetings & Mileage	89.60
Lloyd Price, Jury Bd. Meetings & Mileage	80.64
Paul Leveque, Witness Fee — Dist. Cr.	6.00
Richard D. Lahanen, Witness Fee — Dist. Cr.	8.80
McDonald & McDonald, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	112.50
Thomas P. Casselman, Atty. Fees — Juv. Div.	375.00
Michigan Bell Telephone Co., Services — Co. Officers	1,982.30
Michigan Assoc. of Counties, Reg. fees — Co. Officials	160.00
U. P. Assoc. of Co. Commissioners, Reg. fees — Co. Officials	44.00
James Alderton, Travel Exp. — Co. Comm.	19.25
Panax Corp., Adv. — Co. officers	306.82
Gulf Printers Assoc., Printing — Co. officers	441.50
Northern Stationers, Inc. Supplies — Co. officers	450.66
Burroughs Corp., Services — Co. officers	91.49
U. P. Office Supply Co., Supplies — Co. officers	227.40
Shepard's Citations, Inc., Handbook — Cir. Cr.	30.00
The Pengad Companies, Inc., Printing — Cir. Cr.	45.65
A. J. Farnham Co., Inc., Supplies — Cir. Cr.	227.12
Coachlight Restaurant, Rest Charges — Jury — Cir. Cr.	42.53
Harold F. VanOverloop, Travel Exp. — Frd. of Cr.	9.12
Doubleday Bros. & Co., Printing — Dist. Cr. & Treas. Dept.	189.39
Benjamin O. Pascoe, Travel Exp. — Dist. Cr.	21.20
Lynn Ketchem, Travel Exp. — Dist. Cr.	9.60
Kay Pietro, Travel Exp. — Dist. Cr.	18.24
The Lawyers Co-op. Pub. Co., Books — Dist. Cr. & Pros. Atty.	27.90
Pitney Bowes, Services — Co. Officers	378.12
Marquette Bd. of Light & Power, Utilities — Dist. Cr., Cr. Hse. & Jail	2,467.97
Mich. Dist. Judges' Assoc., 1976 Dues	100.00
Reader's Digest, Books — Dist. Cr.	25.00
City of Ishpeming, Xerox Copies — Dist. Cr.	31.33
West Publishing Co., Book — Dist. Cr.	19.00
Johnson's Drug Store, Supplies — Dist. Cr.	10.28
Assoc. of Mich. Dist. Cr. Recorders-Reporters, Annual Dues	25.00
Vassil V. Tchokoev, M.D., Prof. Witness fees — Prob. Cr.	35.00
Keystone Envelope Co., Printing — Prob. Cr.	67.96
Clark Boardman Company, Ltd., Books, — Juv. Div.	19.29
Sharon Platt, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	32.18
Barry Sullivan, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	48.00
Terrye Matulewicz, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	96.58
Richard Normand, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	15.20
Laura Paterson, Travel Exp. — Juv. Div.	36.16
Mqt. Co. Assoc. of Ins. Agents, Bonds — Co. Officers	101.00
Office Service Company, Office Equip. Maint. — Prob. Cr.	30.49
Fianigan Brothers Storage Co., Storage Exp. — Juv. Div.	101.59
Bureau of Business Practice, Supplies — Controllers office	13.54
Manatron, Inc., Services — Tax Equal. Dept.	6,237.69
Harvey Oil Company, Gas — Tax Equal, Sheriff & Snomobile Div.	617.50
Busters Gulf Service Station, Gas — Tax Equal., Sheriff & Snomobile Div.	42.45
Specker Motor Sales Co., Veh. Maint. — Tax Equal. Dept.	13.93
Robert S. Means Co., Inc. Book — Tax Equal. Dept.	16.00
Henry W. Schneider, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	14.40
Dennis Waarala, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	20.80
Robert J. O'Brien, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	30.72
Leslie V. Ross, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	36.96
Howard Robare, Travel Exp. — Tax Equal. Dept.	22.88
Magnatag Products, Supplies — Pros. Atty.	20.80
Our Own Bakeries, Food Supplies — Jail & Bal. Rent. Pros. Atty.	137.89

Spear and Sons, Supplies — Pros. Atty.	80.64
Wolverine Supply, Supplies — Pros. Atty.	14.72
Balmes Decorating, Supplies — Pros. Atty.	30.04
Queen City Rubber Stamps, Stamp — Reg. of Deeds	8.35
Xerox Corp., Services — Co. Officers	1,608.91
Matthew Bender & Co., Services — Pros. Atty.	83.50
Lake Superior Press, Supplies — Pros. Atty.	178.00
Business Machines & Equip. Co., Service call — Pros. Atty.	23.00
General Systems Supply Corp., Supplies — Pros. Atty.	101.97
Red Owl Food Stores, Supplies — Crt. Hse., Jail & Pros. Atty. Co. Bd. Comm.	43.33
Callaghan & Company, Books — Pros. Atty.	30.16
First National Bank of Iron Mt., Loan payoff on Dictaphone — Pros. Atty.	1,904.26
AC Publications, 1 — U.S. Directory — Pros. Atty.	12.50
The University of Michigan, Reg. Fees — Seminar — Pros. Atty.	90.00
Diebold Service Div., Office Equip. Maint. — Treas. Dept.	70.00
James F. Sodergren, Travel Exp. — Treas. & Co. Planning meeting	101.76
Wittcock Supply, Supplies — Crt. Hse.	3.30
Doutree & Son Disposal Serv., Rubbish hauling — Crt. Hse.	10.00
U.P. Electric Supply Co., Supplies — Crt. Hse.	122.96
North State Equipment Corp., Supplies — Crt. Hse.	62.75
Mike's Service, Snow Plowing — Crt. Hse.	180.00
Town & Country Hardware, Supplies — Crt. Hse. & Jail	59.16
State of Michigan, Insp. fee — Crt. Hse.	5.00
Raymond D. Hillier, Travel Exp. — Crt. Hse.	8.11
Adams Leasing Co., Pmt. Re: AB Dick machine	137.38
Vernon Posio, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	3.70
Sound Center, Supplies — Sheriffs Dept.	79.95
Sargent-Sowell, Inc., Supplies — Sheriffs Dept.	360.85
Carroll Motor Supply, Supplies — Sheriffs Dept.	31.48
Badger Uniforms, Uniforms — Sheriffs Dept.	105.88
Frel Chevrolet, Inc., Veh. Maint. — Sheriffs Dept.	239.55
Richard Boase, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	10.34
Holiday Travel Agency, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	216.20
Mich. Bankamericard, Travel Exp. — Sheriffs Dept.	29.75
Holiday Cleaners, Uniforms Cleaned — Sheriffs Dept.	123.75
Law Enforcement Desk Reference, Annual Desk Ref., — Sheriffs Dept.	15.00
Marquette Public Service Garage, Veh. Maint., Sheriffs Dept.	19.07
Marquette Pharmacy, Supplies — Jail	38.58
Simons Brothers, Supplies — Jail	54.90
Creditors Collection Agency, Pmt. — Jail Re: inmate	12.00
Interstate Welding Sales Corp., Services — Jail	5.85
Edward Don & Company, Supplies — Jail	73.19
Bill Green Supply, Supplies — Jail	4.82
E.V. Price Co., Supplies — Jail	48.30
Cooperative Society of Marquette, Food Supplies — Jail	1,492.14
Bahrman's Farm, Food Supplies — Jail	27.00
Vollwerth-Marquette Co., Food Supplies — Jail	416.50
Hillcrest Dairy, Inc., Food Supplies — Jail	312.90
Mark T. Payant, D.D.S., Services — Jail	38.00
City of Marquette, Amb. Serv. — Jail	20.00
Michigan Power Co., Comm. non-heating Gas — Jail	1,725.25
Marquette General Hospital, Services — Jail	549.85
Northern Prof. Emerg., Services — Jail	84.80
George Keskimaki, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code Dept.	28.80
Walfred J. Helberg, Travel Exp. — Bldg. Code Dept.	128.80
Michael E. Zorza, Travel Exp. — Emergency Preparedness	102.45
M.J. Lexmond, M.D., Medical Examiner Fee	10.00
Louis Rosenbaum, M.D., Medical Examiner Fee	10.00
Medical Laboratories of Marquette, Autopsies	750.00
Bell Memorial Hospital, Autopsies	550.00
Melvin N. Nyquist, Travel Exp. — Co. Ext. & Co. Planning meeting	182.08
Mary L. Pierce, Travel Exp. — Co. Ext.	97.43
James A. Schultz, Travel Exp. — Co. Ext.	36.43
Virginia Ball, Travel Exp. — Co. Ext.	47.48
General Services Administration, Services — Co. Ext.	2.46
Eriksson Radio & Telev., Services — Co. Ext.	2.50
Karol Peterson, Co. Planning meeting & mileage	40.16
Kenneth Tuominen, Co. Planning meeting & mileage	47.36
David Hoili, Co. Planning meeting & mileage	44.00
Co-op. Extension Service, Supplies — Co. Ext.	32.50
Lyn Johnson, Travel Exp. — Co. Planner	32.10
John Hess, Travel Exp. — Co. Planner	12.48
Ann Summerlee, Travel Exp. — Co. Planner	15.36
Silver Lead Paint Co., Supplies — Co. Planner	68.21
Bruning Div., Supplies & Equip. — Co. Planner	385.74
Dupras-Racine, Rent — Co. Planner & Bldg. Code Depts.	275.00
Transaction Books, Books — Co. Planner	12.01
Henry A. Skewis, Travel Exp. — Re: Elections & Co. Clerk	16.64
Marquette Co. Harvest Festival, Spec. Appropriation	3,000.00
The Manufacturers Life Ins. Co., Bal. of pmt. — Re: Crt. Hse. employees	4.20
Lasco Development Corp., Partition — Frd. of Crt. office	223.96
TOTAL	\$171,348.48

THE WITHIN ACCOUNTS HAVE BEEN CAREFULLY CHECKED AND

PAYMENT OF SAME IS HEREBY RATIFIED AND APPROVED: Orrin G. Doucette, Richard C. Coombs, Bertil Agnoli, Clayton J. Anderson, Joseph Racine.

A report of the Environmental Quality Committee was read, corrected, and placed on file.

A resolution opposing the Senator Mack amendment to SB No. 1258, the recreational land bill, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Cheatham, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that this resolution be adopted.

Reports of the Transportation Committee and the Welfare Contact Committee were read and placed on file.

Reports from the County Road Commission, Acock's Medical Facility, Commission on Aging, Emergency Services, County Planner, Building Code Department, Probate and Juvenile Court, County Health Department, Controller's Department and Treasurer's Department were read and placed on file. It was moved by Commissioner Alderton, supported by Commissioner Gaboury and carried that the Treasurer's report be published.

MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE

For Month Ending February 29, 1976

LEDGER ACCOUNTS	DEBIT BALANCE	CREDIT BALANCE
General Fund		765,266.02
County Road Fund		14,650.92
County Road Investment Fund		490,000.00
County Airport Fund		117,050.04
County Parks Fund		30,811.72
Harbor Commission Fund		3,810.09
Forestry Commission Fund		80,187.57
Sanatorium Fund		124,717.82
Social Services Fund		261,431.68
Child Care Fund	11,246.20	
Health Dept. Fund		42,989.16
Soldiers Relief Fund		21,938.23

Signed: Marilyn J. Hult
Deputy County Treasurer

A communication from Iron River, Michigan's City Manager inviting the County Commissioners to attend a public hearing regarding the effects the lay-offs at White Pine Copper Company would have on the economy and the tourist trade, was read and placed on file.

A resolution designating April as Cancer Control Month in Marquette County was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Cheatham, and carried that this resolution be adopted.

A resolution expressing the County Commissioners' opposition to HB No. 5863, which would establish the Michigan Employment Security Commission as administrator of public service employment programs rather than the Central Upper Peninsula Manpower Consortium, was read.

Commissioner Alderton reported to the County Commissioners that the Transportation Committee had met with the Carp River Forge Committee. It was moved by Commissioner Alderton, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy, and carried, that the Transportation Committee be authorized to meet with the Carp River Forge Committee to explore the possibility of forming a joint Carp River Forge Committee and to discover what, if any, financial obligation the County would incur.

Commissioner Racine and Commissioner Alderton addressed the County Commissioners on work being done on County Road 553 to upgrade and relocate this road.

Commissioner Racine addressed the County Commissioners in regard to transportation systems and bus systems now being studied by the Planning Commission.

A resolution opposing Senator Mack's amendment to the Environmental Protection Act was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner May, and carried by a roll call vote that this resolution be adopted. Ayes: (Six) Commissioners Cheatham, Coombs, Gaboury, May, Trapp, and Anderson. Nays: (Four) Commissioners Alderton, Doucette, Goldsworthy, and Racine. Excused: (One). Absent: (One).

Commissioner Racine addressed the County Commissioners on snowmobilers and laws covering their use of County roads. It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Doucette, and carried, that the Prosecuting Attorney Gary Walker be contacted as to what laws effect snowmobilers traveling on County roads; the County Road Commission be contacted as to which, if any, County roads can be used for travel; and the DNR be contacted to determine what their future plans are for allowable use of State land in regard to snowmobiling.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting opened to the Public Section.

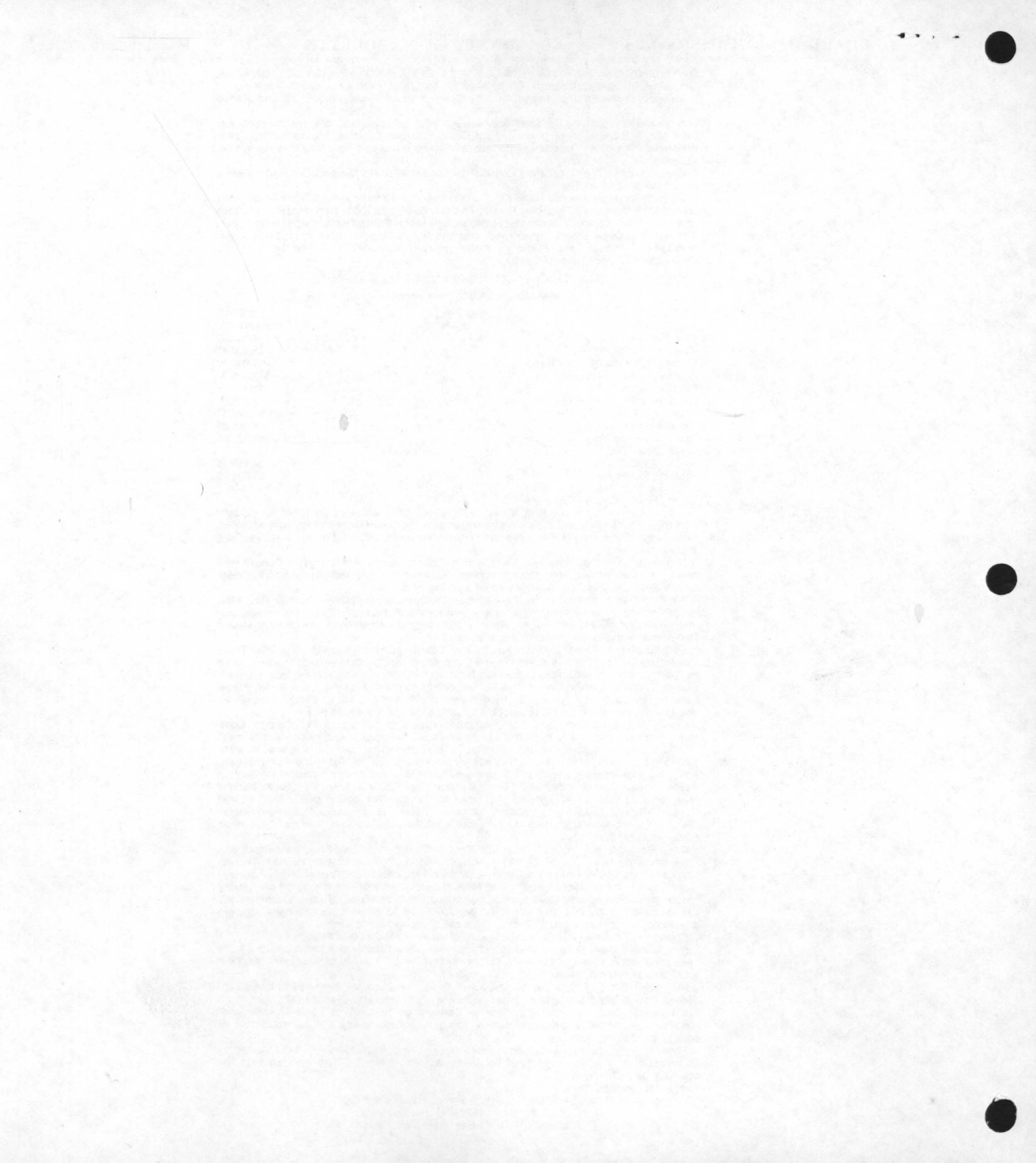
Mr. Wayne Roy, Gwinn, Michigan, addressed the County Commissioners on the need for Public Transportation in the Forsyth Township area, possibly served by a local bus service or a public transit system.

Mr. Peter Embley addressed the County Commissioners on the need to have concerned County people attend an Energy Seminar at Northern Michigan University on April 27, 1976, and the need for an Energy Committee, possibly as a sub-committee of the Environmental Quality Committee, to study energy needs and consolidation of energy producing sources.

There being no further business to come before the Commissioners it was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Coombs, and carried that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, Marquette County Clerk
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman
Marquette County Board of Commissioners



April 21, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met in the County Courthouse on April 21, 1976, at 1:30 p.m.

Roll call was held, finding the following: Present: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Absent: Comm. Agnoli.

Salute to the Flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that the reading of the minutes of the March 24, 1976, meeting be dispensed with and they be approved.

A communication from the Upper Peninsula Citizens Concerned about Sanguine Group, expressing their thanks for the County Board's action to put the Seafarer-Sanguine question on the November, 1976 ballot was read and placed on file.

A communication from the John E. Frey family of Marquette in regard to the County Board's action on the amendments to the State EPA Act was read and placed on file.

A communication from Mr. Wesley R. Johnson, 1976 General Chairman for Michigan Week, regarding participation in Michigan Week was read and placed on file.

A communication from Michigan State University regarding past cooperation between the County Board of Commissioners and Michigan State University was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Lake Superior Mines Safety Council requesting the County Board to authorize Mr. Henry Scarffe, County Mine Inspector, to attend the Lake Superior Safety Council Annual Conference, to be held in Duluth, Minn. on May 13-14, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried unanimously by a roll call vote, that the County Mine Inspector, Mr. Scarffe, be authorized to attend.

A communication from Northern Michigan University regarding an Energy Conservation Seminar to be held in Marquette, Michigan, on April 27, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Rules changes in New Building Construction, to be held in Lansing, Michigan, on May 10, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Representative Russell Hellman of the 110th Representative District, acknowledging receipt of a Resolution on SB 1258, was read and placed on file.

A communication regarding a Planning and Zoning Seminar, to be held in Madison, Wisconsin, on May 13 and 14, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County Planner, Lyn Johnson, be authorized to attend.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding a workshop session on Human Services and Public Safety, to be held on May 21, 1976, in Escanaba, Mich., was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a member of the Environmental Quality Committee be authorized to attend.

A communication from Dominic J. Jacobetti, Representative of the 108th District, regarding funding of the Presidential Preference Primary was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Genesee County regarding Public Health Services and SB 590 was read and placed on file.

A motion from Genesee County endorsing and supporting HB 5108, as regards wages of Circuit Court Employees, was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried that this resolution be tabled until further information may be obtained on HB 5108.

A communication, from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding HB 9719, payments in lieu of taxes on Federal Lands Bill was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a resolution be drafted and mailed to the proper legislators.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open to Public Comment.

Mr. Peter Embley, of Marquette, Mich., spoke on the need of a watersewer energy authority in Marquette County and requested the Board of Commissioners to look into the State and Federal legislation that relates to circulating petitions on the Public Power situation.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the use of jail kitchen facilities for feeding Senior Citizens was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a one meal a week, five week trial period for the meal program be allowed, and that \$16.00 worth of raw food and \$3.00 per day rental fee be paid to the County, with the understanding that if it works out to mutual satisfaction, the program would be continued.

A report of a Special Meeting of the Budget and Executive Committee held on March 31, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee in regard to sale of

camera-type printing equipment, once used by the Register of Deeds, now outdated, was read. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham, supported by Comm. Racine and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that this equipment be sold on bids and that an Ampeco-Auto-Stat Wet Copier in the Probate Court be sold on bids also.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee on the adoption of the Emergency Services Basic Plan was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Basic plan be adopted.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the adoption of a resolution applying for an EDA grant of \$100,000.00 for the Marquette County Water Authority, was read. It was moved by Comm. Alderton, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted and that the grant from the State and-or Federal government be applied for.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding an application for a transportation grant and the accompanying resolution, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted and the grant from the State Highway Dept. in the amount of \$548,000.00, for a county-wide transportation system, be applied for. Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Coombs, Cheatham, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: Comm. Leadbetter.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee supporting the creation of a position to be known as Personnel Director and the establishing of a 1976 Budget of \$15,750.00 for this new department, was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the matter be referred back to the Budget and Executive Committee for further study.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Buildings Committee regarding the purchasing of dedication plaques for the new County Jail and the County Youth Home, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the plaques be ordered, the cost not to exceed \$400.00.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Buildings Committee regarding the payment of a claim for \$116.28 for work performed on the installation of the commercial type washer in the County Youth Home, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the claim be approved and ordered paid.

A recommendation from the Personnel Committee regarding an agreement between Marquette County and Michigan State University for the employment of a 4-H Program Assistant, in Marquette County, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County enter into an agreement with Michigan State University, and a 4H Program Assistant be hired, total cost to the County not to exceed \$1500.00 for the year 1976.

A report of the Audit Committee was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that claims and accounts in the amount of \$155,850.97, be allowed and ordered paid.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee regarding an agreement between Marquette County and the Federal government for necessary dredging work in Big Bay Harbor, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the agreement be signed that would allow the Federal Government to dredge Big Bay Harbor and deposit the dredged material on county owned lands, in Powell Township.

Reports from the Environmental Quality Committee, Transportation Committee, Welfare Committee and Equalization Committee, were read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Equalization Committee, setting the County Equalized Values, for Marquette County units of government, was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried, that the twenty-two units of government, within Marquette County, be equalized as recommended and a copy published.

MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE
For Month Ending March 31, 1976

LEDGER ACCOUNTS	DEBIT BALANCE	CREDIT BALANCE
General Fund		890,357.63
County Road Fund		165,222.86
County Road Investment Fund		200,000.00
County Airport Fund		158,862.83
County Parks Fund		38,836.22
Harbor Commission Fund		7,745.09
Forestry Commission Fund		80,187.57
Sanatorium Fund		166,739.97
Social Services Fund		323,915.87
Child Care Fund		17,133.86
Health Dept. Fund		52,072.51
Soldiers Relief Fund		21,886.62
Mqt. Co. Commission on Aging		21,333.26

Signed: James F. Sodergren
County Treasurer

MARQUETTE COUNTY EQUALIZATION 1976
AS APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS APRIL 21, 1976

UNIT	1975 S.E.V.	1976 ASSESSED VALUATIONS			1976 VALUATIONS AS EQUALIZED						TOTAL C.E.V.
		REAL	PERSONAL	TOTAL	REAL	RATIO	% COUNTY TOTAL	PERSONAL	RATIO	% COUNTY TOTAL	
CHAMPION	2,104,830	1,174,355	697,456	1,871,811	1,174,355	49.94	.45067	697,456	49.17	1.97194	1,871,811
CHOCOLAY	15,932,500	17,423,800	443,100	17,866,900	17,423,800	49.41	6.68659	443,100	49.99	1.25279	17,866,900
ELY	6,810,550	6,417,850	1,898,250	8,316,100	6,417,850	49.96	2.46293	1,898,250	49.97	5.36697	8,316,100
EWING	1,090,900	870,100	232,200	1,102,300	966,203	45.03	.37079	232,200	50.00	.65650	1,198,403
FORSYTH	14,335,100	13,281,950	1,765,650	15,047,600	13,281,950	50.00	5.09711	1,765,650	50.00	4.99207	15,047,600
HUMBOLDT	2,943,106	2,225,425	765,505	2,990,930	2,611,351	42.61	1.00214	791,369	48.37	2.23746	3,402,720
ISHPEMING	10,802,050	9,461,250	2,111,905	11,573,155	9,461,250	49.85	3.63087	2,111,905	49.36	5.97105	11,573,155
MARQUETTE	12,256,700	11,178,450	1,781,100	12,959,550	11,178,450	50.00	4.28987	1,781,100	50.00	5.03575	12,959,550
MICHIGAMME	4,261,587	3,169,250	426,450	3,595,700	3,574,846	44.33	1.37189	426,450	50.00	1.20571	4,001,296
NEGAUNEE	10,567,051	8,335,050	2,219,660	10,554,710	8,335,050	49.77	3.19868	2,219,660	49.86	6.27571	10,554,710
POWELL	7,102,373	4,908,851	130,988	5,039,839	6,814,622	36.02	2.61519	130,988	50.00	.37035	6,945,610
REPUBLIC	6,442,368	5,594,250	1,018,313	6,612,563	5,594,250	49.23	2.14686	1,018,313	50.00	2.87910	6,612,563
RICHMOND	4,278,065	3,274,362	1,175,707	4,450,069	3,274,362	49.74	1.25658	1,175,707	49.48	3.32411	4,450,069
SANDS	3,381,154	3,105,030	604,966	3,709,996	3,105,030	49.46	1.19159	604,966	50.00	1.71044	3,709,996
SKANDIA	2,662,300	2,779,700	222,300	3,002,000	2,779,700	50.00	1.06674	222,300	50.00	.62851	3,002,000
TILDEN	3,645,720	2,947,900	2,449,800	5,397,700	2,947,900	50.00	1.13129	2,449,800	50.05	6.92639	5,397,700
TURIN	592,000	626,000	68,500	694,500	626,000	49.79	.24024	68,500	49.97	.19367	694,500
WELLS	4,200,425	2,153,950	2,362,000	4,515,950	2,349,695	45.83	.90172	2,362,000	50.00	6.67815	4,711,695
WEST BRANCH	1,830,165	2,049,200	10,200	2,059,400	2,049,200	49.44	.78641	10,200	49.78	.02884	2,059,400
TOTAL TWPS.	115,238,944	100,976,723	20,384,050	121,360,773	103,965,864		39.89816	20,409,914		57.70551	124,375,778
<u>CITIES</u>											
ISHPEMING	30,154,100	22,601,900	5,626,800	28,228,700	24,634,817	45.87	9.45391	5,946,156	47.31	16.81173	30,580,973
MARQUETTE	108,178,017	115,488,456	7,290,446	122,778,902	115,488,456	50.00	44.32009	7,290,446	50.00	20.61248	122,778,902
NEGAUNEE	15,408,135	13,954,542	1,181,342	15,135,884	16,488,979	42.31	6.32784	1,722,576	34.29	4.87028	18,211,555
TOTAL CITIES	153,740,252	152,044,898	14,098,588	166,143,486	156,612,252		60.10184	14,959,178		42.29449	171,571,430
COUNTY TOTALS	268,979,196	253,021,621	34,482,638	287,504,259	260,578,116		100.00000	35,369,092		100.00000	295,947,208

Monthly reports of the Commission on Aging, Marquette County Health Dept., County Road Commission, Acocks Medical Facility, Probate Court and Juvenile Division of Probate Court, Emergency Services, County Planner and Building Code Dept., Controllers Dept. and Treasurer's Dept. were read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the monthly reports be placed on file and the Treasurer's report published.

A communication from the Dept. of Public Health, State of Michigan, regarding Substance Abuse Coordinating Agencies Proposals, was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried, that this communication be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee, for study and report.

A resolution from the County Health Dept. asking that the County Health Dept. be designated as operating agency for the Substance Abuse Services for Marquette County, and as the interim coordinating agency for any State Funded Substance Abuse Services, until such time as a consolidating agency is formed in the Upper Peninsula, was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted. Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Coombs, Cheatham, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: Comm. Leadbetter.

A communication from the Commission on Aging, asking for confirmation of the appointments of the following people, to the Commission on Aging:

	Term Expires
Armand Gasbarro — Forsyth Twp.	4-1-77
Rena Blewett — Negaunee, Mich.	4-1-78
Elmer Aho — Tilden Twp.	4-1-79
Roberta Smith — Marquette, Mich.	4-1-79
Everett Hogan — Chocolay Twp.	4-1-79
Dorothy G. Lewis — Chocolay Twp.	4-1-79
Sally May — Chocolay Twp.	4-1-77
Lawrence Korpi — Marquette, Mich.	4-1-79
James Steward — Negaunee, Mich.	4-1-79

It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that the appointments be approved.

It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs, and carried, that letters in support of HR 12234 be sent to our legislators in Washington. HR 12234 is a two part bill supporting acquisition of Parklands and Historical renovation of property.

Comm. Coombs reported that 137 questionnaires were sent to Lake Michigan land owners in regard, to a hearing on Lake Michigan lake levels. A hearing will be held in July.

Discussion was held on the proposed changes that could be made for use of the State Police Lien Machine, by counties. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that Marquette County go on record as being against any charge being made, for this service by the State Police.

Comm. Coombs commented on a proposed non-motorized trails council foot path crossing the Upper Peninsula. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. May and carried, that the matter be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee for study and report.

A discussion was held on SB 5989 that would provide that so sodium chloride be used on State Highways. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the matter be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee and Transportation Committee for study and report.

Chairman Clayton Anderson declared the meeting open for public comment.

There being no response from the public and no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk
CLAYTON ANDERSON, Chairman of Board of Commissioners

May 26, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met in the County Courthouse on May 26, 1976 at 7:00 p.m.

Opening prayer was given and roll call was held, finding the following commissioners present: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Absent: None.

Salute to the Flag was given followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Doucette and carried, that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with and that they be approved.

A resolution protesting any increase in the cost of fishing licenses, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Racine and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the resolution be adopted and copies sent to all of our Michigan Legislators.

A communication from the Department of Social Services regarding proclaiming May as Adult Foster Care Month, was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Goldsworthy and carried that May be proclaimed Adult Foster Care Month.

A communication from Representative Russell Hellman of the 110th District acknowledging receipt of the County's telegram supporting House Bill 6007, dealing with changes in the membership of the County Tax Allocation Boards, was read and placed on file.

Mr. Burton Boyum representing the Cliff Foundation presented Mr. Clayton Anderson, Chairman of the Marquette County Board of Commissioners, with a check in the amount of \$3,000.00 to be used by the Marquette County Water Authority for organization and planning needs.

A communication from the Michigan State Department of Treasury regarding the kind of audits and cost of these audits that will be performed by them in 1976, was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Bay County supporting the Public Works Bill now before the United States Congress, was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that a similar resolution be passed and copies sent to our U.S. Representatives, Senators and to the President of the United States.

A communication from the State of Michigan, Department of Treasury, regarding Act 86 of P.A. 1976, and the printing of copies of claims and accounts of the County, was read, and placed on file.

A resolution from Genesee County, regarding legislative authority of County Governments to increase its ability and capacity to control its own revenue sources, was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Genesee County, regarding Michigan Legislatures' joint resolution SS, which would require funds be appropriated for a program or service before the program or service be implemented, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Probate Judge Michael F. DeFant, explaining Act 280 of P.A. 1975, and the creation of the Office of Juvenile Justice Services, was read. A communication from CUPPAD in regard to the same subject was also read. Both communications were placed on file.

A communication from Mr. Gary Yoder, County Controller, recommending that the Planned Use Report for Revenue Sharing Funds be approved, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the report be approved and published.

A communication from Newaygo County, regarding proposed changes in property tax assessments for Public Utilities, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Health Department protesting any cuts in the 1976 County appropriation for the Health Department, was read and placed on file.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for public comment.

Mr. Peter Embley of Marquette, Michigan inquired into the progress being made on the proposed presentation by public utility company representatives in regard to energy sources and energy needs. He was informed that this presentation will be made at the June meeting of the County Board.

Mr. Peter Embley of Marquette, Michigan expressed the need for a County authority that would encompass water, sewer and energy studies, not only to cross governmental boundaries but also corporate boundaries. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Cheatham and carried that the matter be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee for study.

Mr. Wayne Roy of Gwinn, Michigan addressed the County Board, in regard to Tom Shaw, Inc. employing a majority of non-resident labor in the construction of the Courthouse Annex, and also protested Shaw, Inc.'s use of a Marquette Branch Prison inmate as a mason, working on a "work pass" from the prison. Chairman Anderson advised Mr. Roy that the matter will be brought to the attention of Tom Shaw at the next meeting of the County Lands and Building Committee.

Mr. Wayne Roy of Gwinn, Michigan suggested to the County Board that they use the Marquette Bus Service as part of the County transportation system and thereby increase employment in the County.

Chairman Anderson then declared the public comment period closed.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee, regarding the transfer of the county Emergency Hospital equipment from Northern Michigan University to the County Sheriff's Office, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the transfer be made and the cost of moving the material not exceed \$300.00.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee in regard to purchasing underwater diving equipment for the Sheriff Department's Marine Safety Diving Team was read. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that two sets of diving gear be purchased at a cost not to exceed \$1,700.00.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee in regard to hiring an administrative secretary to the Board of Commissioners was read. It was moved by Commissioner Leadbetter, supported by Commissioner Trapp and carried by a roll call vote that the position be created, a budget amount of \$6,000.00 be established to cover the salary and fringe benefits for this position for the remainder of 1976, and that the matter of hiring and salary be referred to the Personnel Committee. Ayes: Commissioners Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Nay: Commissioner May.

A ten minute recess was called by Board Chairman Clayton Anderson.

A report of the April 29, 1976 special meeting of the Budget and Executive Committee was read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Building Committee, regarding a quit claim deed and an easement to be executed by the County Board before work can proceed on the relocation of County Road 553 and Pioneer Road intersection, was read. It was moved by Commissioner May, supported by Commissioner Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the easement and the quit claim deed be approved and executed by the County Board of Commissioners.

A report of the May 10, 1976 Personnel Committee meeting was read and placed on file.

A report of the Audit Committee, recommending that claims and accounts in the amount of \$171,475.89 be allowed and ordered paid, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that these claims and accounts be allowed and ordered paid.

Reports of the Environmental Quality Committee, the Transportation Committee, and Welfare Contact Committee were read and placed on file.

Reports of the Emergency Services Department, County Planner and Building Code Department, County Road Commission, Controller's Department and Treasurer's Department were read and placed on file.

A resolution from the Marquette County Townships Association, protesting the use of real estate sales studies to determine tax equalization factors, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Goldsworthy, supported by Commissioner Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that a similar resolution be adopted and copies sent to all of our legislators in Lansing.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Governor Milliken has appointed a property tax task force to study property tax administration at the local level; and,

WHEREAS, The units of Government in Marquette County have expressed their concern over steeply rising equalization factors being handed down by the State Tax Commission, based primarily on real estate studies; and,

WHEREAS, Home owners, farmers and business people are experiencing great difficulty in paying their real property taxes; and,

WHEREAS, The Marquette County Board of Commissioners believes in the philosophy of local governmental control.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Marquette County Board of Commissioners:

1. That the property tax force consider only these reforms which maintain solid control at the local level.
2. That primary consideration be given to elimination of the most regressive aspects of the property tax as now constituted.
3. That consideration also be given to changing the guidelines of the Tax Tribunal from using primarily real estate studies, and implementing more the use of real estate appraisal studies.
4. That consideration be given by the State Tax Commission and the State Legislatures to allow County Equalization Departments to have 3 years to conduct studies in their counties by using Real Estate appraisals instead of strictly using Real Estate Sales studies.

A communication in regard to a Juvenile Justice Seminar to be held in Traverse City, Michigan on June 30, 1976 was read and placed on file.

A communication from Negaunee Township Planning and Zoning Commission, protesting the high fee schedule of building permits and demolition permits, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Planning Commission, in regard to the awarding of bids for the Marquette County Central Communication System equipment, was read. It was moved by Commissioner Doucette, supported by Commissioner Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the bid be awarded to Motorola, Inc. in the amount of \$134,275.50. Bids received were:

RCA	\$153,132.00
General Electric	\$149,878.00
Motorola, Inc.	\$134,275.50

A resolution establishing a Board of County Institutions to replace the Acocks Medical Facility Board and to be responsible for the administration and management of County Institutions placed under its care was read. It was moved by Commissioner Trapp, supported by Commissioner Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the resolution be adopted and the membership of the Board of County Institutions be by appointment at the June 1976 meeting of the Board of Commissioners.

WHEREAS, the Marquette County Acocks Medical Facility (formerly Morgan Heights) no longer meets the State of Michigan definition of "hospital"; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the County of Marquette to request from the State of

Michigan Department of Public Health a change in status to County Medical Care Facility for purposes of licensure;

THEN, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Marquette County Board of Commissioners does hereby establish in accordance with the law, a Board of County Institutions with the following provisions:

1. That the powers and duties of the Board of Trustees of the Acocks Facility will be transferred to the Board of County Institutions immediately upon appointment of the membership; and
2. That the Board of County Institutions will be responsible to the Board of Commissioners for the administration and management of different county institutions placed under the responsibility of the Board; and
3. That the members of the Board of County Institutions shall be appointed at the June 1976 meeting of the Marquette County Board of Commissioners as prescribed in Public Act 181.

A communication announcing the Spring meeting of the Upper Peninsula Association of County Commissioners, to be held in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan on May 27 and 28, 1976 was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner Doucette and carried that those commissioners who wish to attend be allowed to do so.

A communication from CUPPAD in regard to the administration of public employment programs was read and placed on file.

A communication from Mr. Melvin Nyquist of the Cooperative Extension office, in regard to Electronic Computers and their use in County government, was read and referred to the Controller, Mr. Gary Yoder, for study.

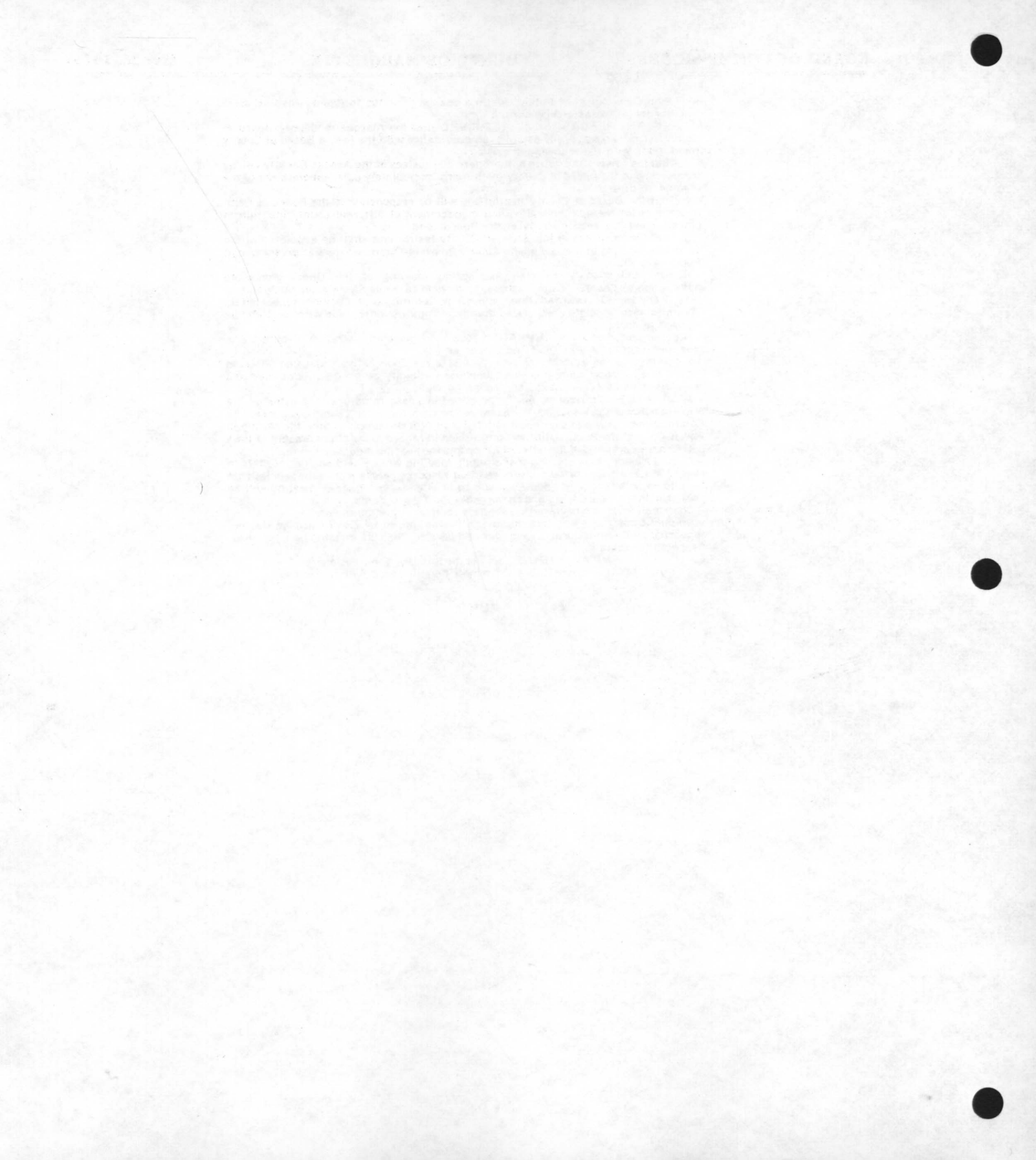
A notice of Public Hearing on the proposed increase in natural gas rates by the Michigan Power Co. was read. It was moved by Commissioner Coombs, supported by Commissioner May and carried, that a letter of protest be sent to both the Michigan Power Co. and the Public Utilities Commission in regard to the small amount of time between the receiving of the letter of notice and the hearing date.

Commissioner May reproted that a public meeting will be held on June 30, 1976 in regard to Lake Superior lake levels and that resource people from all agencies that have to do with lake level regulation will be in attendance. Place of meeting will be published in the local papers and on the radio and TV programs.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for public comment.

No public comment was forthcoming so it was moved by Commissioner Racine, supported by Commissioner Leadbetter and carried, that the meeting be adjourned. Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, Clerk of the Board of Commissioners
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman. County Board of Commissioners



The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met at the County Courthouse on June 23, 1976, at 1:30 p.m.

Roll call was held by the Clerk, finding the following named Commissioners Present: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson. Absent: None.

A discussion on energy sources and present and future energy needs in the Upper Peninsula, and in Marquette County in particular, was held. Representatives of energy producers in the area were heard and a short question and answer period followed. The U.P. Power Co. was represented by Clifton Rogers, president; the Cleveland Cliff Electrical Service represented by Robert Hartwell, president, and the Marquette Board of Light and Power by Wes Witala, superintendent. The possibility of a nuclear power plant being built in the U.P. was discussed, both pro and con. Financing of new installations of power units was discussed and the fact that investment money is hard to come by was established. Chairman Anderson thanked all persons for participating in the discussion.

A resolution from Dickinson County regarding the assessed value of public utilities was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the resolution be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and report.

Resolutions from Livingston County regarding a property tax revenue sharing proposal, and from Washtenaw County regarding reimbursement to counties by the state for space utilized by circuit courts, were read and placed on file.

A resolution from the Michigan Northern Counties Assoc. regarding HB 5108, which would make the County Board the sole employer of the circuit court employees, was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the resolution be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and report.

A resolution from the Michigan Northern Counties Assoc. regarding joint resolution 55 was placed on file, action having already been taken at a previous meeting.

A resolution from the Michigan Northern Counties Assoc. regarding Michigan Unemployment Compensation Policy was read and placed on file.

A resolution asking the County of Marquette to participate in the amount of \$5,000 in a \$20,000. program that would do a study on the shortage of adequate low and medium income housing, and also would update the Marquette County Comprehensive Plan, was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried unanimously by a roll call vote, that the County Board of Commissioners adopt the resolution with the understanding that the \$5,000 will come from the 1976 budget of the County Planner.

A communication in regard to a Labor Negotiation Seminar, to be held at the Ramada Inn in Marquette, Mich., on June 24, 1976, at 9:00 a.m., was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that the communication be placed on file. All Commissioners voted aye with the exception of Comm. Agnoli, who voted nay.

A communication from Michigan Assoc. of Counties in regard to the annual conference of that organization, to be held at Mackinac Island, was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried by a roll call vote, that the Chairman of the County Board, Clayton Anderson, be authorized to attend and to appoint other County Commissioners to attend if he feels it necessary. All Commissioners voted aye except Comm. Agnoli who voted nay, and Comm. Racine who was excused for the remainder of the meeting because of prior commitments.

It was noted that one position on the County Health Board and one position on the County Library Board had terms that expire in the next two weeks. Nominations were declared open for a position on the County Health Board. Comm. Goldsworthy nominated Carl Corneliuson, of Ishpeming, Mich. Comm. May nominated Mrs. Lucille Wietek, of Marquette, Mich. Nominations were declared closed by Chairman Anderson and a vote was taken, finding seven (7) votes cast for Mr. Corneliuson and five (5) votes cast for Mrs. Wietek. Mr. Corneliuson was declared elected to a five year term expiring July 1, 1981, on the County Health Board.

Nominations were declared open for a position on the Marquette Library Board. Comm. Doucette nominated Mrs. Ethel Catel, of Ishpeming, Mich. There being no further nominations and it was moved by Comm. Agnoli, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that a unanimous ballot be cast for Mrs. Catel for a five year term expiring July 1, 1981, on the County Library Board.

Chairman Anderson announced that Comm. Hope Y. Trapp and Comm. John S. Leadbetter had been appointed by him as the two persons on the County Board who would be responsible for representing the county in reviewing alternate proposals for consolidating Substance Abuse Agencies in the Upper Peninsula.

Information from the State of Michigan regarding the Substance Abuse Services, as mandated in Section 20 of Public Act 56 of the P.A. of 1973, was read and placed on file.

A discussion was held on the change-over from the Acocks Medical Facility Board to the new Board of County Institutions and the determination of the make-up of the membership of the new board. It was decided that the statute that creates the board mandates that it have seven (7) members and that they be appointed as follows:

- 2 members for 3 year terms
- 2 members for 2 year terms
- 3 members for 1 year terms

and that as the terms expire the re-appointments be for a full 3 years. Nominations were then declared open for the three (3) year term. Comm. Agnoli nominated Orvo Krook, of Negaunee. Comm. Doucette nominated Thomas F. Pellow, of Gwinn.

Nominations were declared closed and a unanimous ballot was cast for the two persons nominated. Mr. Krook and Mr. Pellow will serve 3 year terms that will expire on December 31, 1979.

Nominations were declared open for the two (2) year terms. Comm. May nominated Ruby Cheatham, of K.I. Sawyer AFB. Comm. Agnoli nominated Dr. J.P. Bertucci, of Ishpeming, Mich. Nominations were declared closed and Mrs. Cheatham and Dr. Bertucci will serve two year terms expiring on December 31, 1978.

Nominations were declared open for the one (1) year terms. Comm. Leadbetter nominated Ann Richards, of Marquette, Mich. Comm. Goldsworthy nominated Richard Coombs. Comm. May nominated Lou Chappel. Comm. Trapp nominated W.C. Peterson. A vote was taken after nominations were declared closed. The vote was recorded as follows:

Lou Chappel	11 Votes
Richard Coombs	10 Votes
Ann Richard	7 Votes
W.C. Peterson	5 Votes

Mrs. Richards, Mr. Coombs and Mr. Chappel were declared appointed for a one year term expiring December 31, 1977.

A communication from the Community Mental Health Board advised the Board of Commissioners that Dr. Henry Moon has resigned as a member of the Community Mental Health Board. Nominations were declared open for filling of this appointment. Comm. Trapp nominated Dr. Richard Potter. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot be cast for Dr. Richard Potter. Dr. Richard Potter was declared appointed to fill the unexpired term until December 31, 1977.

A communication from Marquette County Soil & Water Conservation District asking that they be included in the 1977 County Budget in the amount of \$950.00 was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the matter be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study.

A communication from Baraga County regarding help in financing legal action to forestall a rate increase of the Michigan Power Co. was read and placed on file.

A petition from eleven property owners of property located on Crooked Lake in Forsyth Township, asking the County Board of Commissioners to take action on the establishing of a lower lake level of Crooked Lake, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried, that the matter be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee for study and report at the next meeting.

Chairman Anderson declared a ten minute recess.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the purchase of an electric typewriter for the Friend of the Court Department was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried by a roll call vote, that the request be denied. Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Trapp and Anderson. Nays: Comm. Agnoli, Comm. Racine was absent.

A report of the County Lands and Buildings Committee was read and placed on file.

A recommendation of the County Lands and Buildings Committee that the bids for furnishings for the courthouse annex be accepted, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette, that the bids be accepted. After some discussion, including the withdrawing of the motion and support, the matter was tabled until later in the meeting.

A recommendation of the County Lands and Buildings Committee that the County file an intent to apply for Federal and State grants to cover 50 per cent of the costs to renovate the present county courthouse was discussed. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the county file their intent to apply. Estimated total cost of renovation is \$684,000.00.

The monthly report of the regular meeting of the Personnel Committee was read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Personnel Committee regarding setting wages for elected and appointed department heads and other non-union employees was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the recommendation be referred back to the Personnel Committee for further study.

A report of the Audit Committee, recommending that claims and accounts in the amount of \$174,049.77 be paid, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried unanimously by a roll call vote, that these claims and accounts be allowed and ordered paid.

Reports of the Welfare Contact Committee, Transportation Committee and Environmental Quality Committee were read and placed on file.

Monthly reports of the Acocks Medical Facility, Commission on Aging, Sheriff's Department, Office of Emergency Services, Marquette County Health Department, Treasurer's Department and Controller's Department were read and placed on file.

The recommendation of the County Lands and Buildings Committee that had been withdrawn earlier in the meeting, and that related to the acceptance of bids for furnishings for the Courthouse Annex was again considered. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried by a roll call vote, that the following bids be approved. Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Coombs, Cheatham, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Trapp and Anderson. Comm. Racine had been excused earlier in the meeting and was not in attendance at the time this vote was taken.

At the June 2, 1976 meeting of your County Lands and Building Committee a review and discussion was held on the bids received for furnishings for the new Courthouse annex. Daverman Associates has reviewed the bids received and recommends acceptance of the bids as follows:

	Amount
Section A — U. P. Office Supply Co., Marquette, MI	\$74,145.75
Section C — Normal Wood Products, Midland, MI	15,923.00
Section M — U. P. Office Supply Co., Marquette, MI	4,188.99
Section T —	
Item 1: International Business Machines	597.10
Items 2, 3, 4: Altmann's Typewriter and Adding Machine Service, Marquette, MI	4,300.75
Item 5: Mr. Dick Tate	399.50
Section T Total:	\$5,297.35
Section W — Peninsular Slate Co., Troy, MI	525.00
GRAND TOTAL:	\$100,080.09

Your committee recommends that the above bids for the annex furnishings be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

COUNTY LANDS & BUILDING COMMITTEE

The following announcements were made:

1. A meeting of persons interested in Lake Superior Lake Level will be held at the Holiday Inn in Marquette, Mich., on June 30, 1976, at 7:30 p.m.

2. A meeting of concerned Lake Michigan land owners and the Department of Natural Resources to be held in the Michigan Township Hall on June 28, 1976, at 7:30 p.m. Meeting relates to Lake Michigan lake levels.

Comm. May asked that road patrols by the Sheriff's Department be made on County Road 553 near the Sands Township Hall to try to eliminate the speeding problem that exists there.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Henry A. Skewis,
County Clerk

Clayton J. Anderson, Chairman
County Board of Commissioners

The following information was obtained from the records of the
Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, on
the subject of the land in question. The land in question
is located in the County of [County Name], State of [State Name].
The land in question is described as follows: [Description of land]
The land in question is owned by [Owner Name]. The land in question
is subject to the following conditions: [Conditions of ownership]

Very truly yours,
[Signature]

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met on July 21, 1976, at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Room of the County Courthouse.

The meeting was called to order by Board Chairman Clayton J. Anderson, and the opening prayer was given by Captain Ruth Magstadt, of the Marquette Salvation Army.

Roll call was held by the clerk, finding the following Commissioners either present or absent:

Present: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Absent (and on vacation): Comm. Coombs and Cheatham.

Salute to the flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried, that the Board dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, and that they be approved and accepted.

A resolution from Osceola County regarding H.B. 6061, that would delete the State Plumbing and Electrical Administration boards and Codes from the jurisdiction of the State Construction Code & Safety Board, was read and placed on file.

A resolution from the office of Marquette County Planner regarding H.B. 6061 was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Saginaw County regarding Act 312 of the Public Acts of 1969, the compulsory arbitration in bargaining for Fire & Police Depts. Act, was read and placed on file.

A resolution in regard to establishing costs and financial responsibility that Alger and Marquette Counties would assume for services performed by the Community Mental Health Board and its programs was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that this resolution be adopted and copies sent to the departments involved.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Counties of Marquette and Alger are concerned with provisions of the best possible mental health care for its citizens, and

WHEREAS, the County of Marquette in coordination with Alger County elected to establish a Community Mental Health Program (CMHP) under the provisions of Act 258, P.A., 1974, effective August 6, 1975.

THEN, HEREBY BE IT RESOLVED that Marquette County agrees to assume financial support for the general operations of this CMHP in proportion to Marquette County's representation on the CMHP Board, rounded to the nearest one-half percent.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Marquette County agrees to individually assume financial responsibility for the cost of services provided by the state facilities for residents of Marquette County.

A resolution in regard to the establishing of a Community Mental Health Regional Office in Marquette County was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried, that the resolution be adopted and support be given to establish such an office in Marquette County if the Dept. of Mental Health decides to create this Regional Office.

WHEREAS, the Alger-Marquette Community Mental Health Services Board recognizes the need to integrate mental health and health related services among the private sector, the community agencies and the state institutional facilities,

WHEREAS, The present Regional Administrator for Region I has been very effective in assisting the Board toward this goal.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that if the Department of Mental Health chose to establish a regional office in the Upper Peninsula, the Alger-Marquette Board would support such a decision but respectfully requests that the location of such a regional office be in the county of maximum population.

A resolution that would allow the question of whether or not Project Seafarer is to be built in the Upper Peninsula, be placed on the November 2, 1976, ballot as an advisory proposal was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Department of Navy has expressed a desire to initiate a low frequency warning system for the purpose of emergency messages to underwater naval vessels; and,

WHEREAS, Project Seafarer is designed to serve this purpose; and,
WHEREAS, The Department of Navy is seriously thinking of installing this project Seafarer in several of the counties of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan; and,

WHEREAS, The People of the Upper Peninsula Counties, and especially the people of Marquette County, have expressed some concern about the effect this project could or would have on the safety, health and well being of the people of Marquette County and the wild life therein; and,

WHEREAS, this project Seafarer could have some effect on the future use of private and public owned lands; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners of Marquette County has gone on record by motion and support to place the question of allowing Seafarer to be built in the Upper Peninsula on the November 2, 1976, ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Marquette County Board of Commissioners hereby take official action by resolution of the Board to place the question on the November 2, 1976, ballot as an advisory proposal.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the exact wording of the proposal be "SHALL PROJECT SEAFARER BE INSTALLED IN THE UPPER PENINSULA OF MICHIGAN?" Yes No.

A resolution from the Marquette County Tax Allocation Board asking that a proposal be placed on the November 2, 1976, ballot, that would set the 15 mills separate tax limitation for a period of two years, was read. It was moved by Comm.

Alderton, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted, and the following ayes and nays recorded:

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Nay: Comm. Agnoli.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Each year the Marquette County Tax Allocation Board meets to determine the allocation of the 15 mills separate tax limitation as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, The combined Townships of Marquette County, through the Marquette County Township Association, has expressed their desire to have the question of separate tax limitation placed on the November 2, 1976, ballot; and,

WHEREAS, The question has been reviewed by the Tax Allocation Board as required by statute; and, WHEREAS, The Tax Allocation Board has, at its May 25, 1976, meeting, proposed placing the question of separate tax limitation on the November 2, 1976, ballot; and,

WHEREAS, The Allocation Board has determined that the separate tax limitation be set as follows:

County	6.85 Mills
Schools	6.50 Mills
Townships	1.42 Mills
Intermediate Schools	.23 Mills
15.00 Total Mills	

and that this separate tax limitation be fixed for a period of two years; and,

WHEREAS, It is a statutory right of the Tax Allocation Board to fix the millage on the proposed question.

THEN BE IT RESOLVED, That the question of separate tax limitation be placed on the November 2, 1976, ballot and the proposal read as follows:

"SHALL SEPARATE TAX LIMITATIONS BE ESTABLISHED (FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS) OR UNTIL ALTERED BY THE VOTERS OF THE COUNTY, FOR THE COUNTY OF MARQUETTE, AND THE TOWNSHIPS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITHIN THE COUNTY, THE AGGREGATE OF WHICH SHALL NOT EXCEED 15 MILLS AS FOLLOWS:

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE	6.85 MILLS
TOWNSHIPS	1.42 MILLS
INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS	.23 MILLS
SCHOOL DISTRICTS (A SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCATED ENTIRELY WITHIN A CITY OR CHARTER TOWNSHIP SHALL RECEIVE IN ADDITION MILLAGE EQUAL TO THE TOWNSHIP MILLAGE)	6.50 MILLS
TOTAL	15.00 MILLS

YES ()
NO ()

A communication from the Michigan Public Commission announcing a public hearing on the proposed Michigan Bell Telephone rate increases was read and placed on file.

A notice of Preliminary Hearing in the Allocation Appeal of Sands Township was read and placed on file.

A communication from Clifton F. Rogers, of the Upper Peninsula Power Co., thanking the County Board of Commissioners for allowing U.P. Power officials to attend the June meeting of the Board of Commissioners and express their views on energy, was read and placed on file.

Two communications from the State Dept. of Public Health regarding the consolidation of the Central Upper Peninsula into a single coordinating agency region, for designation of a central agency for Substance Abuse programs, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that this be tabled until the August meeting of the Board for further consideration at that time.

A communication from Senator Philip Hart, pledging his support on all revenue sharing matters, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Governor of the State of Michigan, William G. Milliken, regarding the Eighth Annual Distinguished Public Employees Awards Program was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that the communication be forwarded to the Personnel Committee with authorization to take action if they see fit to do so.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding their Bicentennial Awards Program was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding a seminar on "Grantmanship" was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that this item to be tabled until the next meeting, and that more information be obtained about this item.

A communication from the Dickinson County Board of Commissioners regarding Senate Bill #970 was read and placed on file.

Communications from Ishpeming City Manager, Robert Noe, and Negaunee City Manager Ron Cardone, regarding obtaining the services of an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney stationed in Ishpeming, Mich., was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that these communications be referred to the Budget & Executive Committee for consideration and study.

A communication from the National Association of Counties regarding H.R. 9719, Payment in lieu of taxes on Federal Land Bill, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that this communication be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee with authority to draw a resolution on behalf of the County Board of Commissioners.

Communications from CUPADD and State Representative Dominic J. Jacobetti, of the 108th District, regarding the Juvenile Justice Services Act 280, and the funds

available through this Act, was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the following Resolution be adopted.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Juvenile Justice Services Act (Public Act 280) requires the annual submission of a plan and budget for Child Care funding, and

WHEREAS, the legislature in the State Office of Juvenile Justice provided money incentives to promote a regional approach to Juvenile Justice Planning, and

WHEREAS, a comprehensive planning effort by the Central Upper Peninsula Planning and Development Commission is mutually agreeable to the Department of Social Services, the Juvenile Division of the Marquette County Probate Court, and the Marquette County Board of Commissioners,

THEN, HEREBY BE IT RESOLVED, that the Central Upper Peninsula Planning and Development Commission be designated the Marquette County Juvenile Justice Planning Agency for the fiscal year 1976-1977 for a sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00), payable from State grant appropriations, available to those counties completing such plans in cooperation with other jurisdictions.

A petition signed by eleven land owners on Twin Lakes, Republic Township, Marquette County, regarding regulation of Lake Levels for Twin Lakes was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that the petition be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee for action.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the Preliminary Hearing of the Tax Tribunal to be held August 9, 1976, in Lansing, relating to Sands Township's appeal of the Tax Allocation Board's setting of Tax limitations, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried by a roll call vote, that the Chairman, Clayton Anderson, be authorized to delegate who should represent the County on this appeal.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli.

A report of the County Lands and Buildings Committee was read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Personnel Committee setting wages and salaries for the County appointed, elected and non-union employees for the year 1976, retroactive to January 1, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Gaboury and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the recommended salaries be approved.

Position Present—Salary Recommended—Salary

Treasurer	—\$11,770.00—\$14,250.00
Clerk	—12,840.00—15,500.00
Register of Deeds	—11,770.00—13,500.00
Director - Tax Equal	—12,840.00—14,750.00
Controller	—17,655.00—19,000.00
Ass't. Controller	—13,000.00—14,000.00
District Court Judge	—29,614.00—31,000.00
District Court Judge	—29,614.00—31,000.00
Circuit Court Judge	—36,500.00—38,000.00
Circuit Court Judge	—36,500.00—38,000.00
Probate Court Judge	—29,209.00—31,000.00
Prosecutor	—25,000.00—26,500.00
Ass't Prosecutor	—18,000.00—19,250.00
Ass't Prosecutor	—18,000.00—19,250.00
Assistant Prosecutor	—18,000.00—19,250.00
Director - Planners	Office—14,980.00—16,250.00
	Sheriff—16,000.00—17,250.00
	Under Sheriff—14,300.00—16,000.00

Director - Emergency Services—10,000.00—12,250.00

Director - Maintenance Engineer—10,000.00—12,250.00

A report of the Personnel Committee for July 8, 1976, meeting was read and placed on file.

An Audit Committee report recommending that claims and accounts in the amount of \$163,186.25 be allowed and ordered paid was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried, that the claims and accounts be paid.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee, in regard to an engineering study of Lake Michigamme to gather information on which to base a decision on whether or not legal lake level should be established, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County contact the Department of Natural Resources and ask them to conduct an engineering study for the purpose mentioned.

Reports of the Environmental Quality Committee, Transportation Committee, CETA Committee and Welfare Contact Committee were read and placed on file.

A report from County Controller, Gary R. Yoder, regarding the approving, signing and publishing of the Report of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried by a roll call vote, that this report be signed, approved and published.

Departmental reports of Sheriff's Department, Commission on Aging, County Planner and Building Code Department, Office of Emergency Services, County Health Department, Acocks Medical Facility, County Road Commission, Treasurer's Department and Controller's Department were read and placed on file.

Chairman Anderson declared the Public Comment section of the meeting open.

Paul Gravedoni, of Negaunee, Michigan, president of the Marquette County Labor Council, spoke on hiring of prison inmates who have workpass privileges from the Marquette Prison on county buildings now being constructed. He advised against this policy when the County is experiencing such high unemployment rates at this time. He was informed by the County Board members that they would speak to the Contractor, Tom Shaw, Inc., about this matter, but were not sure that Mr. Shaw would comply with their requests.

County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, reminded the Board of Commissioners that there is a vacancy on the County Library Board that should be filled. Vacancy was created by the death of Ethel Catel of Ishpeming, Mich.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that the meeting be adjourned. Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk

August 25, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners Room of the County Courthouse at 1:30 p.m. on August 25, 1976.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Clayton J. Anderson, and the opening prayer was given by Father Thorne of St. Peter's Cathedral, Marquette, Michigan.

Roll call was held by the Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, finding the following Commissioners present or absent:

Present: Comm. Agnoli, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Absent: Comm. Alderton.

Salute to the flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried, that the minutes of the previous meeting be approved.

A communication from John Beerling, Supt.-Engineer of the County Road Commission, regarding the formula for distribution of Motor Vehicle Highway Funds was read and placed on file.

A resolution opposing the establishing of Health Service Agencies without having statutory authority to do so was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County Board adopt the resolution.

Chairman Clayton J. Anderson declared the week of Sept. 12 to 18, 1976, as "League of Women Voter Week" and urged all citizens to give appropriate recognition to this organization for their contributions toward responsible, effective and responsive government.

Chairman Anderson declared the "Public Comment" section of the meeting open.

Mr. Peter Embley of Marquette, Michigan, addressed the Board as to the need of "Energy Task Force" to study energy problems in the area.

Chairman Anderson declared the "Public Comment" section of the meeting closed.

Chairman Anderson declared nominations open to fill an unexpired term on the Marquette County Library Board. Comm. Gaboury nominated Mrs. Philomena Andriacchi, of Ishpeming, Michigan. There being no further nominations, it was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot be cast for Mrs. Andriacchi to fill the unexpired term ending July 1, 1981.

A communication from the Michigan Historical Commission advised the Board that the Marquette County Courthouse has been listed on the State Register of Historic Sites. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that thank you letters be sent to Mr. Paul Bilgen and to the Architectural Historical Committee for their efforts in making this listing possible.

A communication from the Marquette County Historical Society, Inc., thanking the County of Marquette for the annual contribution of \$1,000 was read and placed on file.

A communication from Representative Dominic J. Jacobetti regarding HB 6007 was read and placed on file.

A communication from the office of Juvenile Justice Services regarding Basic Grant Proposal for fiscal year 1976-77 was read and placed on file.

A communication from CUPPAD regarding Criminal Justice Program Project applications was read and placed on file.

A communication and resolution regarding Marquette County's membership in the OEDP and a request for a \$6,000 annual contribution was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that this matter be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and report.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties announcing a Seminar on "Grantmanship" was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Chairman, Clayton J. Anderson, be authorized to select Commissions and-or staff to attend.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding a meeting of Personnel Officers was read and placed on file.

A communication from E. Barry McGuire regarding Mental Health Department's method of billing for services was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties containing additional information in regard to personnel matters was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding the public Works-Countercyclical Anti-Recession Act was read and placed on file.

An announcement of a public hearing on Barrier Free Design Administrative Rule changes was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette Astronomical Society regarding the proposed building of a 16 inch telescope and observatory was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that this communication be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and report.

A communication from the Department of State Highways and Transportation regarding "Dial a Ride" Bus Systems was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that this communication be referred to the transportation authority for study.

A communication from the Cleveland-Cliff Iron Co. regarding Marquette County Zoning Regulations as they pertain to mineral resources, sand and gravel, was read.

It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that this communication be referred to the Planning Commission and the Cleveland-Cliff be notified of this referral.

Communications from Benjamin O. Pascoe, Magistrate, and the office of County Controller regarding case load of courts and number of warrants issued in the western end of the county were read and placed on file.

Communications from UPCAP and the Marquette County Health Department, each asking that their organization be designated as the coordinating agency for Substance Abuse Programs, were read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the County Budget and Executive Committee that a resolution be passed that would nominate the Marquette County Health Department as coordinating agency for Substance Abuse Programs was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the following resolution be adopted.

**RESOLUTION ON
NOMINATION OF COORDINATING
AGENCY FOR
SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Governor has mandated consolidation of coordinating agencies for Substance Abuse Services, AND

WHEREAS, the Office of Substance Abuse Services has requested two (2) representatives from each County Board of Commissioners to meet with state health department personnel to discuss the consolidation of agencies in the Upper Peninsula, AND

WHEREAS, the Dickinson-Iron and Delta-Menominee County Health Departments have requested the Marquette County Health Department to develop a proposal to serve as the Coordinating Agency for the five (5) county area, AND

WHEREAS, coordination can best be carried out by those who have been involved in developing the ongoing programs, AND

WHEREAS, the utilization of current program personnel would assure continuity and the momentum developed, AND

WHEREAS, the Board of Health has approved the proposal developed by the Marquette County Health Department, AND

WHEREAS, Act 56 provides that the coordinating agencies be designated by the Director of the Office of Substance Abuse Services in cooperation with the County Board of Commissioners,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Marquette County Board of Commissioners approves the proposal of the Marquette County Health Department for its role as the coordinating agency for Substance Abuse Services in Dickinson-Iron, Delta-Menominee, and Marquette Counties and further it recommends to the Director of the Office of Substance Abuse Services that the Marquette County Health Department be named as the coordinating agency for the five (5) county central region of the Upper Peninsula.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the participation in the five (5) county agency by Marquette County is contingent on the Marquette County Health Department being named as the Coordinating Agency.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee proposing the expenditure of \$2,000 for preliminary drawings for a county parking structure was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine, that the Board of Commissioners concur with the recommendations. A roll call vote was held and the motion defeated.

Ayes: Comm. May and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, Racine and Trapp.

Absent: Comm. Alderton.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee that a commemorative gavel be purchased and presented to Judge Bernard H. Davidson on his retirement, and his portrait be commissioned and hung in the Circuit Courtroom was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Board of Commissioners concur with the recommendation, purchase and present the gavel and have the portrait hung in the Circuit Courtroom.

Reports of the Special Budget and Executive meetings held on August 17 and 18, 1976, were read and placed on file.

A report of the August 11, 1976, meeting of the County Lands and Buildings Committee was read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Personnel Committee setting the 1976 pay increases for the County Mine Inspector and the Jail cook was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Board of Commissioners concur with the recommendation and set the County Mine Inspector's salary at \$11,440, the Jail cook's salary at \$3.25 per hour, and the Drain Commissioner's salary shall remain at \$1,500 per year.

A recommendation from the Personnel Committee that a resolution be adopted expressing appreciation to all who participated in the Emergency Medical Technician Training Program, and that certificates of appreciation be sent to each physician that participated in the program, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported

by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted and certificates of appreciation be awarded.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee that birch seedlings be purchased and planted at the county owned Brookridge property was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that \$280.00 be accepted from the Forestry Commission and used to purchase and plant these birch seedlings at the Brookridge property.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee that the Circuit Court be petitioned to determine the legal lake level of Twin Lakes in Republic Township was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Prosecuting Attorney, Gary L. Walker, proceed with the filing of the petition in the Marquette County Circuit Court.

Reports of the Transportation Committee and Welfare Contact Committee were read and placed on file.

A report of the Audit Committee recommending that claims and accounts in the amount of \$200,725.58 be paid was read. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that these claims and accounts be allowed and ordered paid.

Departmental reports from the Marquette County Road Commission, Sheriff's Department, Department of Emergency Preparedness, County Health Department, Acocks Medical Facility, County Planner, Controller and County Treasurer were read and placed on file.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for public comment. No comments were made and Chairman Anderson declared the public comment section closed.

A communication from Tom Shaw, Inc., requesting that the following items be submitted to arbitration in regard to the County Courthouse Construction Contract was read.

- A. Masonry
- B. Landscaping
- C. Stairs between old & new buildings
- D. Late start on the project

It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that this communication be referred to the Lands and Buildings Committee for action.

An announcement of a Seminar on financial management and grants to be held in Escanaba, Mich., on Sept. 15, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A report of the Union Negotiating Committee regarding the settlement of the County-Union labor contract was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan United Conservation Clubs asking support of the bottle bill now being studied by the State Legislature was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May and Trapp.

Nays: Comm. Leadbetter, Racine and Anderson.

Absent: Comm. Alderton.

A communication announcing a Seminar on Nutrition and Foods, to be held on Sept. 21, 1976, in East Lansing, Mich., was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried, that this communication be referred to the Cooperative Extension Office and Mel Nyquist.

A communication from the Commission on Aging and an application for submission to the Area Agency on Aging asking that Marquette County be designated as a Model Community for providing service to the elderly was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried, that the application be submitted.

Notice of a public hearing to be held in the Forsyth Township Hall in regard to improvements on M-35 was read and placed on file.

A resolution opposing the disposal of nuclear wastes in Michigan was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried by a roll call vote, that a resolution be adopted opposing the disposal of any nuclear wastes in Michigan.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee that the county accept \$15,000 from the Department of Natural Resources for the purpose of conducting an engineering study of Lake Michigan for use in establishing legal lake levels was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the \$15,000 be accepted and the County contract with an independent firm to conduct such a study, the cost not to exceed \$15,000.

A communication from the Department of Natural Resources regarding Youth Conservation Corp. Projects was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the communication be referred to the Environmental Quality Committee for study.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk

CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman, County Board of Commissioners

September 22, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met in the County Courthouse on September 22, 1976 at 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Clayton J. Anderson and the opening prayer was given by Rev. Deane Thompson of the Bethel Baptist Church of Marquette, Michigan.

Roll call was held by Deputy Clerk, Joy Schlais, finding all Commissioners present except Comm. Leadbetter, who appeared later in the meeting.

Salute to the Flag was given followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Three resolutions from the Friend of the Court Association of Michigan, regarding (1) Cooperation between Friend of the Court Associations. (2) Opposition to H.B. 5108, and (3) concern over the direction of Incentive (Rebate) Funds received by local governing units as a result of PL 93-647, were read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that all three resolutions be referred to the Welfare Contact Committee for study and report.

A communication and accompanying resolution from the National Ski Hall of Fame supporting the stand that the National Ski Hall of Fame remain at its present site in Ishpeming, Michigan, and a capital funds drive be organized to double the size of the building and displays, were read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Gaboury and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that a similar resolution be adopted and copies sent to the proper places.

Chairman Clayton Anderson declared the "Public Comment" section of the meeting open. There being no comments from the floor, the meeting continued with the items on the regular agenda.

Three resolutions submitted by the Marquette County Treasurer, James F. Sodergren, requesting that non-redeemable property, as described in the resolutions, be withheld from the Annual Tax Sale, so that they can be redeemed by the former owners as provided for in Act 206 of the PA of 1893, were read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that these three resolutions be adopted.

A resolution from the Alger-Marquette Community Mental Health Board, proposing the transfer of assets and liabilities, etc. from the Act 54 Board to the Act 258 of PA 1974 board, was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the resolution be adopted.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Counties of Marquette and Alger are concerned with provisions of the best possible mental health care for its citizens, and,

WHEREAS, the County of Marquette in coordination with Alger County elected to establish a Community Mental Health Program (CMHP) under the provision of Act 258, P.A. 1974 effective August 6, 1975 when Act 54, P.A. 1963 was repealed by Act 258, P.A. 1974.

THEN, HEREBY BE IT RESOLVED, that Marquette County agrees to transfer all assets, liabilities, financial and medical records of the Act 54 Board to the Act 258, P.A. 1974 Board.

I, Henry A. Skewis, Marquette County Clerk and Clerk of the Marquette County Board of Commissioners, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was passed by unanimous roll call vote at the September 22, 1976 meeting of the Marquette County Board of Commissioners.

Henry A. Skewis, Clerk

Copies to be sent to:

Alger County Clerk

Clayton Anderson, Chairman

Alger-Marquette Community Mental Health Board

Communications from John C. Bradshaw of the Dept. of Public Health, regarding Substance Abuse Services, coordinating agencies, were read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Townships Association, concerning the establishing of a County Dog Warden, was read and placed on file. Environmental Quality Committee is considering this matter in Committee at this time.

A Communication from retired Judge Bernard H. Davidson expressing his appreciation for past cooperation of Board of Commissioners while he served Marquette County as Judge of the 25th Judicial Circuit, was read and placed on file.

Communications from Senator Robert P. Griffin, acknowledging receipt of Board communications, were read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties, regarding Seminars and Workshops being offered by the Michigan Municipal League, through and I.P.A. grant, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried that the communication be referred to the County Planning Commission and the County Planner.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties, regarding Marquette County's 1977 dues in that organization, was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the 1977 dues in the amount of \$2,750.00 be allowed and paid.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties, regarding Public Works Capital Development and Investment Programs applications was read. Comm. May informed the board that these applications have been received and the communication was placed on file.

A communication from the University of Michigan regarding Seminars on the arbitration process, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the University of Michigan regarding Seminars on the Labor Relations, was read and placed on file.

A notice of an U.P. Employers Seminar on unemployment compensation to be held on October 7, 1976 at Keweenaw Park Resort, in Copper Harbor, Mich., was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that Chairman Anderson be authorized to appoint Commissioners to attend this Seminar.

A communication from Senator John A. Welborn, asking support on Proposal "C", the Tax limitation amendment, at the November 2, 1976 General Election, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried that the communication be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and report.

A communication from the Dept. of Management and Budget, State of Michigan and an accompanying lease for office space at 1010 West Washington St., Marquette, Michigan for use of the County Social Services Dept. were read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried by a roll call vote, that the lease be signed, witnessed and returned to the Dept. of Management and Budget.

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Coombs, Cheatham, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Doucette.

A communication from Michigan Upper Peninsula Travel and Recreation Association, regarding and UPTRA meeting to be held on September 22, 1976 at the Holiday Inn, in Marquette, Michigan, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Dr. Richard Potter of the County Health Dept., regarding the Upper Peninsula Public Health Conference to be held on Oct. 21-22, 1976 at the Ramada Inn, in Marquette, Michigan was read and placed on file.

A communication from John P. Farrell, Chairman of the Marquette County Planning Commission, recommending that the Board of Commissioners appoint an eighth member to the Planning Commission and that this eighth member be a representative of the Mining and Industrial sector, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried by a roll call vote, that the board concur with the recommendation and appoint such a member.

Communication from Adrian Pequet, former Sheriff of Marquette County and Raymond Buchkoe, former Warden of Marquette Prison, asking the board to consider naming the New County Jail in honor of Thomas Jernstad, former Sheriff, was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that these communications be tabled until the next regular meeting.

The minutes of the Michigan Association of County Personnel Officers meeting held on September 10, 1976, were discussed and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee, regarding the replacement of cars for the Sheriff's Dept. was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried by a roll call vote that bids be taken for two cars to replace the present cars used by the Dept.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee, regarding the Counties membership on the Marquette County O.E.D.P. Committee, payment of 1977 dues and representation of the Board of Commissioners on this committee, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Trapp and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a resolution be adopted and designating Comm. Trapp as the County's representative on the OEDP Committee for the period July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977 and that Comm. Alderton be designated as alternate and that dues in the amount of \$6,000.00 be allowed and appropriated by January 1, 1977, for payment to the OEDP committee.

A report of the Budget and Executive Committee of its September 1, 1976 meeting, was read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee, that the 1976 General Fund Budget be amended in the amount of \$130,657.00 and that it be off-set by non-budgeted revenues of \$40,000.00 from Building Code Dept., increased CETA revenues \$30,000.00 and the remaining \$60,657.00 from reduced appropriations for various other departmental budgets. It was moved by Comm. Racine supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the Board of Commissioners concur with this recommendation.

September 15, 1976

Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
Marquette, Michigan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At a meeting of your Budget and Executive Committee, adjustments to several 1976

department budgets totaling \$130,657.00 were presented to the committee as listed below.

Your committee recommends approval of these amendments and that the amount be offset by establishing a revenue budget of \$40,000.00 for Building Code fees; increasing CETA revenues by \$30,000.00; and the remaining \$60,657.00 from reduced appropriations for various 1976 department budgets.

1976 BUDGET AMENDMENTS

TAX EQUALIZATION	
Manatron Processing	\$7,812.00
Capital Outlay	361.00
COURTHOUSE	
Service Contracts	\$ 849.00
Telephone & Telegraph	185.00
Office Supplies	35.00
SHERIFF	
Uniforms & Accessories	\$ 1,800.00
Vehicle Maintenance	1,500.00
Insurance	200.00
JAIL	
Part-time Salaries	\$ 8,500.00
Uniforms & Accessories	202.00
Health Services	4,500.00
Utilities	22,000.00
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS	
Memberships	\$ 400.00
Office Supplies	100.00
Travel	1,500.00
CIRCUIT COURT	
Office Supplies	\$1,000.00
Law Library	1,500.00
REGISTER OF DEEDS	
Telephone and Telegraph	\$ 100.00
Capital Outlay	363.00
PROBATE COURT	
Legal Fees	\$4,600.00
CONTROLLER'S OFFICE	
Supplies	\$ 50.00
HOSPITALIZAION	\$37,100.00
SOCIAL SECURITY	\$12,000.00
WAGE INCREASES	\$25,000.00

Respectfully submitted,
 BUDGET AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
 Hope Y. Trapp, Chairman
 Orrin G. Doucette
 Joseph O. Racine
 E. Kenneth Goldsworthy
 Clayton J. Anderson
 Sally May

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding housing of prisoners from other counties in the Marquette County Jail, was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that this practice be allowed and a charge of \$8.00 per prisoner per day be approved.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee, regarding the purchase of a L-9541-101 Computer for accounting purpose, was read. It was moved by Comm. Agnoli, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy that this computer be purchased (L-9541-101) and the cost of the machine be included in the Courthouse Annex Fund. After some discussion it was then moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. May that the matter be tabled until the next meeting. The motion to table died on a roll call vote.

Ayes: Comm. Coombs, Gaboury, May and Trapp.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Doucette, Goldsworthy, Racine and Anderson.

A roll call vote was then taken on the original motion to purchase and the motion carried unanimously. The Controller, Gary Yoder was instructed to construct a list of the exact functions of this machine and supply a copy of this listing to both the County Clerk and County Treasurer.

Reports of the County Lands and Buildings Committee and Personnel Committee were read and placed on file.

A recommendation of the Personnel Committee, regarding the serving of civil papers by Sheriff Dept. Personnel, was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried that the serving of civil papers be left to

the decision of the Sheriff but that all fees for civil service done during county working hours be considered County business and the fees collected paid to the County Treasurer for deposit in the General Fund.

A recommendation and accompanying resolution from the Environmental Quality Committee, regarding the potential hazard to Lake Michigamme and to the health of the residents of Michigamme Township due to septic tank leakage, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a resolution be adopted, stating that a program of abatement and control be established to alleviate the existing situation and that the EPA be urged to provide necessary funding to do so.

A report of the Welfare Contact Committee was read and placed on file.

A report of the Audit Committee recommending that claims and accounts in the amount of \$214,905.70 be allowed and ordered paid. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs, and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that these claims and accounts be allowed and ordered paid.

Departmental reports from the County Health Dept., Commission on Aging, Emergency Services, County Planner, Sheriff Dept., County Road Commission, Controller and Treasurer were read and placed on file.

A card of appreciation to the County Board of Commissioners from the family of the late Thomas Jernstad, former Sheriff and County Commissioner, was read and placed on file.

A communication acknowledging receipt of a County Board resolution, by the U.S. Government, was read and placed on file.

A communication from CUPPAD regarding Local Public Works Workshop program to be held on September 28, 1976 at 1:30 p.m. in the Don Bottum University Center at N.M.U. was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Racine and carried that Chairman Anderson appoint persons to attend.

A communication from the Dept. of Management and Budget, State of Mich. advising the board that Marquette County's application for a planning assistance grant of \$15,650.00 has been selected through a priority rating system for funding during 1976-1977 program year, was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote that the board accept the grant and Board secretary Karen Chubb, notify the Dept. of Management and Budget of this action.

Chairman Anderson and the Board of Commissioners declared the month of October 1976, as "United Way of Marquette County Month" and urge each citizen of the county to give full support to this Fund Drive.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the United Way of Marquette County has been working since it's inception in 1974 helping to improve the quality of life for thousands of people in Marquette County; and

WHEREAS, their work has helped to develop for Marquette County an atmosphere of community spirit and has fortified the qualities of charity, goodwill and compassion for our fellowmen; and

WHEREAS, through the United Way thousands in the Marquette County area will join together in this one drive to make this one contribution which will help to carry on the work of twenty-two local agencies and through one of them, the United Way of Michigan, this same gift will reach out to many thousands more who are served by twenty-two additional agencies throughout the Upper Peninsula and the state; and

WHEREAS, the UNITED WAY OF MARQUETTE COUNTY enlists the time and energies of hundreds throughout the county in business, labor, government, education and those retired, all of who devote countless hours to making this fund drive a success;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that we, the Marquette County Board of commissioners, through our chairman, Clayton J. Anderson, do hereby proclaim the month of October as; UNITED WAY OF MARQUETTE COUNTY, and do hereby urge each citizen of the county to give their full support of this fund drive.

Clayton J. Anderson

Chrm. Marquette County Board of Commissioners

The Public section of the meeting was declared open by Chairman Anderson at which time several Candidates for the County Commission in the Nov. 2, 1976 Election, introduced themselves. The Public Section was then declared closed.

Concern was expressed by some of the Commissioners on the condition of County Road 565, and the recent fatal accident that occurred on this road. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried that the County Road Commission be contacted as to what work might be done to make this road safe.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried that the meeting be adjourned.

Clayton J. Anderson

Chairman Co. Board of Commission

Respectfully submitted,

JOY SCHLAIS, Deputy County Clerk

October 25, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met in the Courthouse in Special Session on October 25, 1976, at 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Anderson called the meeting to order and roll call was held by County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, finding the following results:

Present: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Absent: Comm. Agnoli, Doucette and Trapp.

Salute to the Flag was given.

It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried, that the minutes of the September 22, 1976, meeting of the Board of Commissioners be approved.

A reading of the Notice of Special Meeting to be held was read, as was the letter of request for a Special Meeting submitted to County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, and signed by at least one-third of the members of the County Board of Commissioners, namely: Comm. May, Alderton, Coombs, Doucette and Leadbetter.

A resolution authorizing an application for a Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Program grant for the renovation of the Marquette County Courthouse, with emphasis on historical preservation, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried unanimously by a roll call vote of all Commissioners present, that the resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Absent and not voting: Comm. Agnoli, Doucette and Trapp.

**COUNTY OF MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN
RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PUBLIC
WORKS APPLICATION**

WHEREAS, the Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Act of 1976, P.L. 94-369, has as its purpose the funding of local governmental public works projects; and

WHEREAS, the County of Marquette, Michigan is an eligible applicant for funding under Section 102(3) of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Marquette County Courthouse Rehabilitation has been developed by the County of Marquette, Michigan to renovate and update a 70 year old Courthouse with emphasis on historical preservation

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Marquette, Michigan authorizes the filing of a Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Program Application for the Marquette County Courthouse Rehabilitation, including all understandings and assurances contained therein, with the U.S. Economic Development Administration for financial assistance pursuant to the Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Act of 1976 and the regulations issued thereunder;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Gary Yoder be designated the authorized representative of the County of Marquette, Michigan and be directed to provide such additional information as may reasonably be required by the U.S. Economic Development Administration.

Clayton J. Anderson, Chairman
Marquette County Board of Commissioners

Date: October 25, 1976

Henry A. Skewis, Clerk
County of Marquette, Michigan

An agreement between Marquette County and Daverman Associates for architectural services regarding the courthouse renovation project was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote of all Commissioners present, that Daverman Associates be contracted with for this service.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

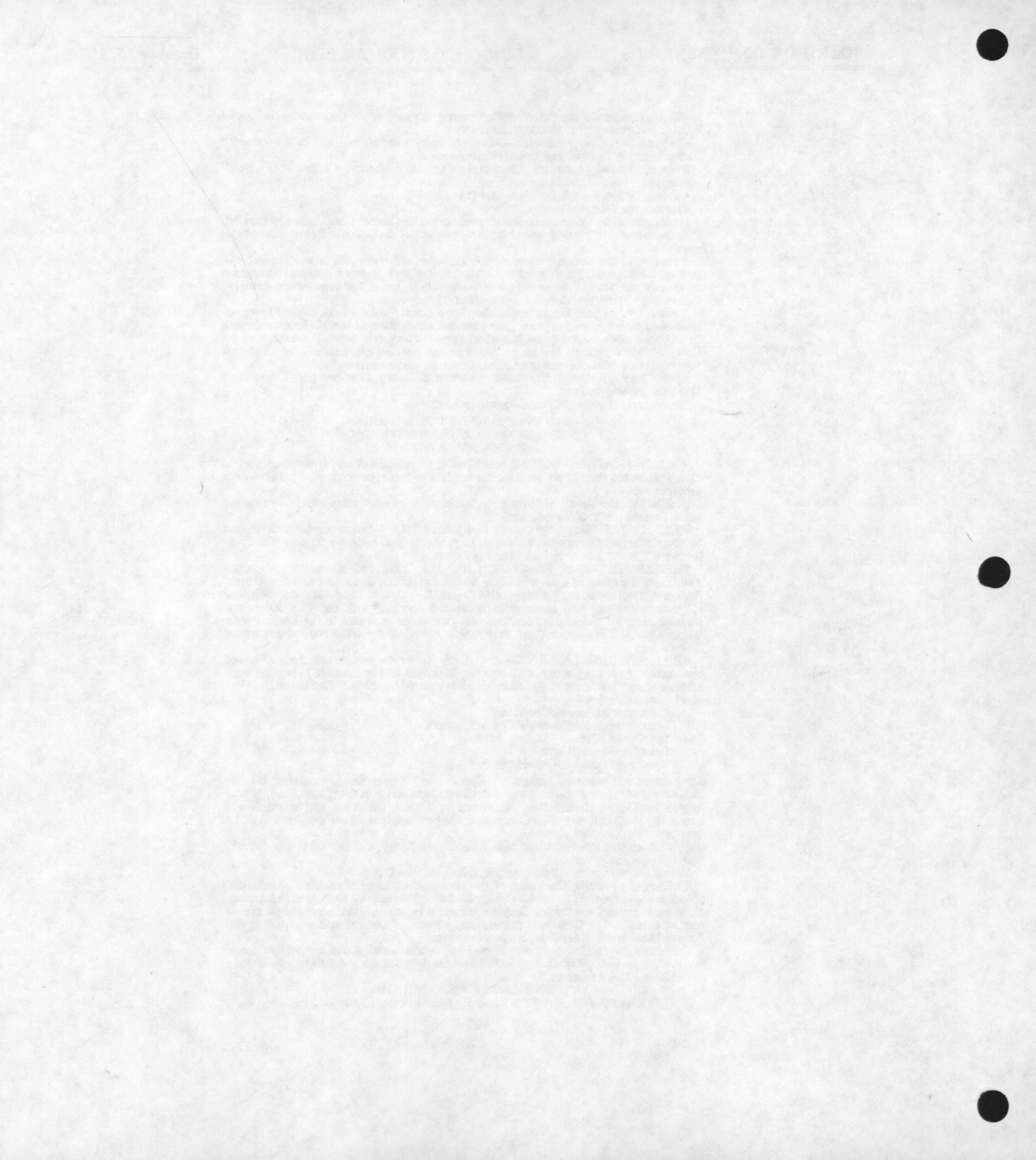
Absent and not voting: Comm. Agnoli, Doucette, and Trapp.

Mr. John P. Farrell, Chairman of the Marquette County Planning Commission, spoke on the proposed Marquette County Zoning Ordinance. He explained to the Commissioners present the Zoning Ordinance and its relationship to mineral and gravel mining permits. The Chairman of the County Board of Commissioners, Clayton Anderson, thanked Mr. Farrell for his presentation.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman, Board of Commissioners



October 12, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met on October 12, 1976, in the Commissioners' Room of the County Courthouse, at 10:00 a.m., for the purpose of holding its annual meeting and public hearing on the proposed 1977 budget.

Opening prayer was given by Rev. John Shiverak of the Chancery Office of Diocese of Marquette.

Roll call was taken by Henry A. Skewis, County Clerk, finding the following Commissioners present or absent.

Present: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Coombs, Cheatham, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Absent: None.

Salute to the Flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that the minutes of the previous meeting be accepted and approved.

A presentation of an inscribed gavel and stand to retired Judge Bernard H. Davidson, of the 25th Judicial Circuit, for his many years (13½) of devoted service to Marquette County and its citizens, was made by Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, Clayton J. Anderson. Chairman Anderson joined with all residents of the county and expressed their gratitude to Judge Davidson. Judge Davidson thanked the Board members for this remembrance and expressed his appreciation for their cooperation in regard to Circuit Court matters.

A communication from Choccolay Township requesting the Board's adoption of a resolution regarding Building Code and Health Department requirements for buildings constructed in areas having Special Flood Hazards was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that such a resolution be adopted.

WHEREAS, the County of Marquette has adopted and is enforcing the Michigan State Construction Code in the Charter Township of Choccolay and WHEREAS, the foresaid prohibits any person, firm or corporation from erecting, constructing, enlarging, altering, repairing, improving, moving or demolishing any building or structure without first obtaining a separate building permit for each building or structure from the Marquette County Building Inspector and,

WHEREAS, the Marquette County Building Code Department must examine all plans and specifications for the proposed construction when application is made for a building permit and,

WHEREAS, the County of Marquette by and through its Health Department is enforcing a health code which includes review of the design of new or replacement water supply and sanitary sewage disposal systems.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of the County of Marquette as follows:

1. That the Marquette County Building Code Department shall review all building permit applications for new construction or substantial improvements to determine whether proposed building sites will be reasonably safe from flooding. If a proposed building site is in a location designated as having a flood hazard any proposed new construction or substantial improvement (including prefabricated and mobile homes) must:

- Be designed or modified and anchored to prevent flotation, collapse or lateral movement of the structure.
- Use construction materials and utility equipment that are resistant to flood damage.
- Use construction methods and practices that will minimize flood damage.

2. That the Marquette County Health Department shall require new or replacement water supply systems and or sanitary sewage systems to be designed to minimize or eliminate infiltration of flood waters into the system and discharge from the systems into flood waters and require on site waste disposal systems to be located so as to avoid impairment of them or contamination from them during flooding.

Resolutions from the County Treasurer's office regarding property to be redeemed from the Department of Natural Resources under Section 131-C of Act 206, Public Acts of 1993, were read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that these resolutions be adopted.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for Public Comment. No comments were made so Chairman Anderson declared the public comment section closed.

The matter of naming the new county jail after former Sheriff Thomas Jernstad was again discussed. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried, that the County Board of Commissioners go on record of maintaining the present policy of not naming public buildings after individuals because of the many worthy persons that might not be considered.

A communication from County Clerk Henry A. Skewis called the attention of the Board to appointments necessary on the following County Boards.

County Planning Commission (3 year term)

Term of Kenneth Tuominen expires 11/31/76.

Term of Joseph O. Racine expires 11/31/76.

It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that these two appointments be tabled until the November meeting.

County Planning Commission. New member to be appointed for three year term expiring 12/31/79.

It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried, that Mr. Karel T. Pekarek, of County Road 550, Marquette, Mich., be appointed for a three year term on the County Planning Commission, term to expire on Dec. 31, 1979.

Social Services Board. Term three years, Governor's appointment.

Term of James Dompiere on 11/1/76.

It was moved by Comm. Agnoli, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a letter be sent to Governor William G. Milliken asking that Mr. James Dompiere be reappointed to serve again on the Social Services Board.

A communication from the League of Women Voters of Marquette County regarding the mistake in the minutes of September 22, 1976, County Board of Commissioners meeting wherein Karol Peterson was referred to as representing the League of Women Voters in her capacity as a member of the Marquette County Planning Commission. Karol Peterson is representing the County of Marquette as a private citizen on this board. It is incidental that she is a member of the League of Women Voters.

A communication from the Michigan Commission and Office of Service to the Aging, announcing a workshop regarding Nursing Home Care, to be held in Lansing, Michigan, on October 18, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the American Arbitration Association advising the Board of an arbitration hearing in the case of Tom Shaw, Inc. vs. County of Marquette, to be held in the County Courthouse on November 11, 1976, at 10:00 a.m., before Arbitrator Dr. R.L. Hennessy, was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that this communication be referred to the County Lands & Buildings Committee and copies be sent to the Prosecuting Attorney and to David Tulas of Daverman Associates.

A communication from Senator Robert P. Griffin acknowledging receipt of correspondence regarding courthouse renovation funds was read and placed on file.

Communications from Senator Philip Hart and Representative Philip Ruppe regarding the payment in lieu of taxes bill, HR-9719, were read and placed on file.

A copy of a communication from Judge Edward A. Quinell to Rep. Jeffrey D. Padden regarding the court's views on the one day-one trial concept for jury duty was read and placed on file.

A communication from Department of Labor regarding CETA funds programs compliance to Regulation 95.15c of the CETA Act was read and placed on file.

A communication regarding the publishing and purchasing of the National Association of Counties' Year Book 1976 was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that a copy of this Manual be purchased for use of the Controller's office.

A communication from Governor William G. Milliken regarding the "Seafarer" project was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that this communication be tabled until the next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners.

A communication from the National Scientific Corporation regarding services available for federal funding assistance was read and placed on file.

A report from the Budget and Executive Committee stating they would not make a recommendation on Proposal "C", the State Tax Limitation amendment at this time, was read and placed on file.

A recommendation and accompanying resolution regarding support of SB-985, 986 and 987, the bill placing restrictions on ambulances, were read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette, that the Board concur with the recommendation and pass the resolution. A roll call vote was held and the vote recorded as follows:

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter and Racine.

Nays: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, May, Trapp and Anderson.

The motion was defeated by the tie vote and the resolution was not adopted.

A recommendation and an attached resolution from the Budget and tax dollars to Michigan were read. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Board concur with the recommendation and adopt the resolution.

RESOLUTION
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,
MARQUETTE COUNTY

WHEREAS, An analysis of the flow of tax dollars from the states to the Federal Treasury and back shows Michigan is receiving less for its federal tax dollar than any other state—only .65 cents returned for every one dollar paid; and,

WHEREAS, The County of Marquette, in the industrial state of Michigan in the heartland of America, has been and continues to be plagued with economic distress; and, WHEREAS, Other Great Lakes States—Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Wisconsin—are likewise big losers in this federal tax flow and counterflow; and,

WHEREAS, The 30-year trend whereby this flow of money from the industrial states of the Midwest and Northeast is accelerating annually and may become an even more severe strain on the people of Michigan, and of the Great Lakes states.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Commissioners, on the 12th day of October, 1976, implores the Governor of the State of Michigan to form a coalition with the governors of our neighboring states for the purpose of seeking redress in the Congress, or, if necessary and possible, in the courts, to the end that this economic injustice be relieved; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the governing bodies of municipalities and townships in Marquette County are hereby advised of this action and encouraged to join in a coalition to correct this inequity; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Michigan State Legislature, Michigan Association of Counties, the Michigan Municipal League and the Michigan Township Association, be apprised of this injustice and encouraged to join in an effort to seek relief; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the members of the U.S. Congress representing the County of Marquette be hereby petitioned to seek remedies appropriate to the needs of the people of the County.

A report of the special meeting of the Budget and Executive Committee held on September 29, 1976, was read and placed on file.

A report of the October 7, 1976, meeting of the Personnel Committee was read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee in regard to the hiring of a firm to do an engineering study regarding Lake Michigamme was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried by a roll call vote, that this recommendation be returned to the Environmental Quality Committee for further study and evaluation.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Doucette, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli, Coombs, Gaboury, May and Trapp.

Chairman Anderson declared the public hearing on the 1977 County Budget open.

County Clerk Henry A. Skewis orally submitted the 1977 budget and spread of taxes levied. After much discussion, it was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County Budget for 1977 be adopted.

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Trapp and Anderson.

Nays: None.

Chairman Anderson declared the public hearing on the 1977 County Budget closed.

October 12, 1976

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
Marquette, Michigan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Finance and Taxation, having had under consideration the various taxes for 1975 and prior years charged back and rejected by the Auditor General and County Treasurer, respectfully recommends that the same be charged up to the several Townships and Cities in which the lands lie and that the said taxes be assessed against the said land where practicable, and that the same be entered separately on the respective assessment rolls as "Rejected Taxes."

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, MARQUETTE COUNTY

Rejected Taxes Charged Back by Auditor General as of June 30, 1976

	County Tax	School & Township Taxes	Total
Chocolay Township	9.54	49.08	58.62
Total	9.54	49.08	58.62

Respectfully submitted,
FINANCE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE

By: HOPE Y. TRAPP, Chairman

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
Marquette, Michigan

+Spec. Ed. Tax 1.50
Voc. Tech. Tax 1.00
Total 2.50

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your Finance and Taxation Committee recommends that the County taxes, the Intermediate School District taxes and the Special Education taxes to be raised on the 1976 tax rolls, be apportioned between the three cities and the nineteen townships according to the tabulation which follows:

SUBDIVISION:	STATE EQ.	COUNTY TAX		INT. SCH. DISTRICT TAX		SPECIAL EDUCATION	
	VALUATION	RATE	LEVY	RATE	LEVY	RATE	LEVY
CITIES:							
Ishpeming	30,580,973	6.80	207,950.62	0.235	7,186.53	1.000	30,580.97
Marquette	122,778,902	6.80	834,896.53	0.235	28,853.04	1.000	122,778.90
Negaunee	18,211,555	6.80	123,838.57	0.235	4,279.72	1.000	18,211.55
TOWNSHIPS:							
Champion	1,871,811	6.80	12,728.32	0.235	439.88	1.000	1,871.81
Chocolate	17,866,900	6.80	121,494.92	0.235	4,198.72	1.000	17,866.90
Ely	8,316,100	6.80	56,549.48	0.235	1,954.28	1.000	8,316.10
Ewing (Delta Co.)	1,198,403	6.80	8,149.14	0.150	179.76	2.500	2,996.00
Forsyth	15,047,600	6.80	102,323.68	0.235	3,536.19	1.000	15,047.60
Humboldt	3,402,720	6.80	23,138.50	0.235	799.64	1.000	3,402.72
Ishpeming	11,573,155	6.80	78,697.45	0.235	2,719.69	1.000	11,573.16
Marquette	12,959,550	6.80	88,124.94	0.235	3,045.49	1.000	12,959.55
Michigamme	4,001,296	6.80	27,208.81	0.235	940.30	1.000	4,001.30
Negaunee	10,554,710	6.80	71,772.03	0.235	2,480.36	1.000	10,554.71
Powell	6,945,610	6.80	47,230.15	0.235	1,632.22	1.000	6,945.61
Republic	6,612,563	6.80	44,965.43	0.235	1,553.95	1.000	6,612.56
Richmond	4,450,069	6.80	30,260.47	0.235	1,045.77	1.000	4,450.07
Sands	3,709,996	6.80	25,227.97	0.235	871.85	1.000	3,710.00
Skandia	3,002,000	6.80	20,413.60	0.235	705.47	1.000	3,002.00
Tilden	5,397,700	6.80	36,704.36	0.235	1,268.46	1.000	5,397.70
Turin (Delta Co.)	694,500	6.80	4,722.60	0.150	104.18	2.500	1,736.25
Wells (Wells Sch. Dist.)	4,362,390	6.80	29,664.25	0.235	1,025.16	1.000	4,362.39
Wells (Delta Co.)	349,305	6.80	2,375.27	0.150	52.40	2.500	873.27
West Branch	2,059,400	6.80	14,003.92	0.235	483.96	1.000	2,059.40
TOTALS:	295,947,208		2,012,441.01		69,357.02		299,310.52

DETAIL OF LOW GRADE IRON ORE SPECIFIC TAXES - 1976

CITY OF ISHPERING

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	11.9328	32,297.13
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.4124	1,116.20
Special Education Tax	1.000	1.7548	4,749.51
General Operating Tax	18.000	31.5867	85,492.08
City Public Improvement Tax	4.500	7.8967	21,373.09
School Tax	24.615	43.1948	116,910.38
School Bond Tax	1.836	3.2218	8,720.07
TOTALS:	<u>56.986</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>270,658.46</u>

CITY OF NEGAUNEE

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	12.9437	45,888.07
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.4473	1,585.77
Special Education Tax	1.000	1.9035	6,748.30
General Operating Tax	22.500	42.8286	151,836.17
School Tax	20.000	38.0699	134,965.61
School Bond Tax	2.000	3.8070	13,496.60
TOTALS:	<u>52.535</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>354,520.52</u>

ELY TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	15.2518	1,272.49
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.5271	43.98
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.2429	187.13
Township Tax	3.350	7.5137	626.88
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	26.200	58.7642	4,902.81
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	7.000	15.7003	1,309.91
TOTALS:	<u>44.585</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>8,343.20</u>

HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	15.9681	15,536.72
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.5518	536.89
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.3483	2,284.86
Township Tax	1.350	3.1701	3,084.46
School Tax	26.200	61.5240	59,861.90
School Bond Tax	7.000	16.4377	15,993.63
TOTALS:	<u>42.585</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>97,298.46</u>

NEGAUNEE TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	19.8918	22,363.18
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.6874	772.81
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.9253	3,288.74
Township Tax	1.150	3.3640	3,781.95
Community Center Tax	2.000	5.8505	6,577.37
Fire Protection Tax	1.000	2.9253	3,288.74
School Tax	20.000	58.5052	65,773.96
School Bond Tax	2.000	5.8505	6,577.37
TOTALS:	<u>34.185</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>112,424.12</u>

REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	18.1333	153,804.31
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.6267	5,315.59
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.6667	22,618.60
Township Tax	6.370	16.9866	144,078.15
School Tax	22.095	58.9200	499,751.84
School Bond Tax	1.000	2.6667	22,618.61
TOTALS:	<u>37.500</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>848,187.10</u>

RICHMOND TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	20.1870	219,078.45
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.6976	7,570.67
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.9687	32,217.68
Township Tax	1.150	3.4140	37,050.27
Fire Protection Tax	2.500	7.4217	80,543.64
School Tax	20.000	59.3736	644,349.15
School Bond Tax	2.000	5.9374	64,435.35
TOTALS:	<u>33.685</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>1,085,245.21</u>

TILDEN TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	14.9994	98,545.13
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.5184	3,405.86
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.2058	14,491.97
Township Tax	2.350	5.1836	34,055.93
Township Debt Service Tax	1.750	3.8602	25,361.28
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	26.200	57.7920	379,689.88
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	7.000	15.4406	101,443.79
TOTALS:	<u>45.335</u>	<u>100.0000</u>	<u>656,993.84</u>

RECAP OF COUNTY SHARE OF LOW GRADE IRON ORE SPECIFIC TAX:

City of Ishpeming	32,297.13
City of Negaunee	45,888.07
Ely Township	1,272.49
Humboldt Township	15,536.72
Negaunee Township	22,363.18
Republic Township	153,804.31
Richmond Township	219,078.45
Tilden Township	<u>98,545.13</u>
TOTAL:	<u>588,785.48</u>

ESTIMATED REVENUES TO SUPPLEMENT TAX LEVY - 1977

	<u>Actual 1975</u>	<u>Estimated 1977</u>
<u>TO GENERAL FUND:</u>		
Circuit Court Services and Costs	48,771.18	50,000.00
District Court Costs and Fees	83,055.23	105,000.00
Friend of the Court Services	5,275.50	25,000.00

Probate Court Services	10,425.19	10,000.00
County Treasurer's Services	3,342.64	6,000.00
County Clerk's Services	8,771.01	8,000.00
Register of Deeds' Services	81,648.60	90,000.00
Commercial Forest Reserve	14,689.62	10,000.00
State Swamp Tax	30,017.03	30,000.00
Licenses and Permits	40,818.59	20,000.00
Fines and Forfeitures	36,653.79	14,000.00
Interest Earned	72,663.78	50,000.00
Township Liquor Licenses	4,105.50	4,600.00
Rental Properties	--	131,186.00
State Payment - Airport Security	13,267.50	19,000.00
State Payment - Probate Judge's Salary	14,968.18	16,352.00
State Payment - Income Tax Refund	384,947.35	407,400.00
State Payment - Revenue Sharing	--	--
State Payment - Friend of the Court	48,770.88	52,932.00
State Payment - Marine Safety	4,910.34	5,400.00
State Payment - CETA Funds	121,094.34	5,000.00
Reimbursements	38,753.39	15,000.00
Refunds	11,827.33	8,000.00
Building Permit Fees	--	40,000.00
Tax Collection Fees	--	25,000.00
TOTALS:	<u>\$1,078,794.91</u>	<u>\$1,147,870.00</u>

FINANCE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE
BUDGET AND TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1976-1977

Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
Marquette County, Michigan

Ladies and Gentlemen: - Your Committee on Finance and Taxation, having had the matter under consideration, respectfully recommends that there be raised by taxation for the current year, 1976, the following amounts for the purpose herein set forth:

COUNTY TAX		2,012,441.01
LOW GRADE IRON ORE SPECIFIC TAX		588,785.48
SOCIAL SERVICES FUND	113,974.00	
COUNTY ROAD FUND	250,000.00	
COUNTY AIRPORT FUND	93,200.00	
COUNTY PARKS FUND	19,800.00	
COUNTY HARBOR OF REFUGE FUND	8,500.00	
ACOCKS MEDICAL FACILITY FUND	150,957.00	
CHILD CARE FUND	95,000.00	
COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND	282,704.00	
COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING	38,612.00	
JAIL AND ANNEX DEBT RETIREMENT FUNDS	147,137.50	
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND	100,000.00	
GENERAL FUND	2,590,235.44	
<u>Legislative:</u>	77,950.00	
101 Board of Commissioners	77,950.00	
<u>Judicial:</u>	596,345.00	
131 Circuit Court	192,399.00	
136 District Court	195,202.00	
141 Friend of the Court	33,422.00	
145 Jury Commission	8,700.00	
148 Probate Court	85,603.00	
154 Juvenile Division	81,019.00	
<u>Administration:</u>	770,511.50	
191 Elections	8,520.00	
215 County Clerk	72,113.00	
223 Controller	57,143.00	
225 Tax Equalization	94,337.00	
229 Prosecuting Attorney	141,228.00	
236 Register of Deeds	57,799.00	
248 Tax Allocation Board	1,540.00	
253 County Treasurer	68,945.00	
265 Building & Grounds	133,349.00	
275 Drain Commissioner	1,800.00	
287 Plat Board	4,905.00	
289 Postage Meter	15,000.00	
291 Courthouse & Jail Printing	15,000.00	
681 Soldiers' Funerals	26,450.00	
711 Public Statistics	500.00	
731 Co-op and Extension	27,768.00	
801 Planning Commission	44,114.50	
<u>Law Enforcement:</u>	628,489.50	
301 Sheriff	237,410.00	
331 Marine Safety	22,245.00	
332 Snowmobile Control	11,298.00	

351 Jail	282,002.00	
372 Building Code	38,954.50	
375 Mine Inspector	12,070.00	
426 Emergency Services	24,510.00	
<u>Health:</u>		137,450.00
602 Dog Wardens	600.00	
605 Contagious Diseases	500.00	
648 Medical Examiner	10,700.00	
650 State Institutions	125,650.00	
<u>Miscellaneous:</u>		269,137.00
941 Misc. & Contingencies	85,637.00	
951 Hospitalization Premiums	84,000.00	
954 Appraisal Maintenance	500.00	
954 Compensation Insurance	14,000.00	
957 Social Security Taxes	85,000.00	
<u>Special Appropriations:</u>		110,352.44
101-143-969 Law Library	3,500.00	
101-223-969 Audit	6,000.00	
101-602-969 Animal Shelter	10,000.00	
101-611-969 U.P. Areawide Comp. Health	2,587.44	
101-612-969 Bay Cliff Health Camp	1,500.00	
101-649-969 Community Mental Health	71,715.00*	
101-746-969 Historical Society	1,000.00	
101-785-969 Soil Conservation Dist.	950.00	
101-856-969 OEDP	500.00	
101-857-969 U.P. Tourist Association	600.00	
101-891-969 AMCAB	2,500.00	
101-901-969 County Harvest Festival	3,500.00	
101-901-969 CUPPAD	6,000.00	
TOTAL TAXES - - - - -		2,601,226.49
FEES AND OTHER REVENUES TO THE GENERAL FUND - - - - -		1,147,870.00
REVENUE SHARING TO PAY A PORTION OF THE		
HEALTH DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATION - - - - -		<u>141,023.45</u>
GRAND TOTAL - - - - -		3,890,119.94

* This budgeted amount is subject to change, pending final appropriation by Alger County.

Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
Marquette, Michigan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your Budget and Executive Committee has had under consideration the various salaries on the County payroll. We, therefore, make the following recommendations for salaries of the several County Elective and Appointive Officers, Deputies, Clerks, Secretaries, etc., to the various departments, effective as of January 1, 1977, for the period up to and including December 31, 1977.

The salary schedule for employees listed herein is intended to apply to fully-trained personnel employed by the County of Marquette for a period of 90 days or more. New employees are to be employed at a starting salary of 90% of the salary fixed for the employee's position in this schedule and a 90-day probationary training period shall follow employment.

It is to be understood that all fees received by the County Clerk, County Treasurer, Sheriff, Register of Deeds and Judge of Probate be turned over to the County Treasurer on the last day of each month for deposit in the proper county funds.

The salary schedule follows:

YEARLY SALARY

Circuit Judge (2) - - - - -	11,500.00
Secretary-Assignment Clerk, Circuit Court (2) - - - - -	8,731.00
Bailiff-Circuit Court - - - - -	10,036.00
Friend of the Court - - - - -	12,551.00
Prosecuting Attorney- - - - -	26,500.00
Assistant Prosecuting Attorney (3)- - - - -	19,250.00
Legal Secretary, Prosecutor's Office- - - - -	8,731.00
County Clerk- - - - -	15,500.00
Deputy County Clerk - - - - -	10,731.00
Deputy Court Clerk, County Clerk's Office (2) - - - - -	8,731.00
Account Clerk, Clerk's Office - - - - -	8,294.00
Clerk, County Clerk's Office- - - - -	7,312.00
County Treasurer- - - - -	14,250.00
Deputy County Treasurer - - - - -	10,731.00
Account Clerk, County Treasurer's Office (4)- - - - -	8,294.00
Judge of Probate- - - - -	31,000.00
Probate Registrar - - - - -	12,551.00
Deputy Registrar- - - - -	9,495.00
Reporter, Probate Court - - - - -	8,731.00
Recorder, Probate Court - - - - -	8,076.00
District Court Judge (2)- - - - -	7,150.00
Magistrate, District Court- - - - -	12,551.00
Recorder-Sec'y, District Court (2)- - - - -	9,495.00
Clerk of the District Court - - - - -	9,495.00
Clerk, District Court (3) - - - - -	8,076.00
Limited Magistrate, District Court- - - - -	9,495.00
Bailiff, District Court - - - - -	9,737.00
Register of Deeds - - - - -	13,500.00
Deputy Register of Deeds- - - - -	10,731.00
Clerk, Register of Deeds (3)- - - - -	8,076.00
County Controller - - - - -	19,000.00
Assistant Controller- - - - -	14,000.00
Secretary, Controller's Office- - - - -	8,731.00
Tax Equalization Personal Property Examiner - - - - -	11,296.00
Tax Equalization Director - - - - -	14,750.00
Tax Equalization Deputy Director- - - - -	12,005.00
Tax Equalization Tax Roll Clerk - - - - -	10,695.00
Tax Equalization Fieldman (3) - - - - -	10,695.00

Secretary, Tax Equalization Dept. - - - - -	8,076.00
County Planner- - - - -	16,250.00
Assistant Planner - - - - -	11,296.00
Secretary, County Planner's Office- - - - -	8,076.00
Electrical Inspector, Bldg. Code Dept.- - - - -	12,551.00
Structural Inspector, Bldg. Code Dept.- - - - -	10,695.00

YEARLY SALARY

Probation Officer, District Court - - - - -	11,296.00
Probation Director, District Court- - - - -	15,400.00
Probation Secretary, District Court - - - - -	8,076.00
Plumbing Inspector, Building Code Dept. - - - - -	12,551.00
Receptionist- - - - -	7,312.00
Board Secretary - - - - -	9,100.00
Sheriff - - - - -	17,250.00
Undersheriff- - - - -	16,000.00
Sergeant, Sheriff's Dept. (2) - - - - -	14,659.00
Matron-Clerk, Sheriff's Dept. (2) - - - - -	8,008.00
Maintenance Supervisor, Courthouse- - - - -	12,250.00
Janitor, Courthouse (7) - - - - -	7,312.00
Secretary, Agricultural Office- - - - -	8,076.00
Clerk, Agricultural Office- - - - -	7,312.00
Juvenile Division Director- - - - -	13,795.00
Juvenile Division County Juvenile Officer - - - - -	12,551.00
Juvenile Division Probation Officer (2) - - - - -	11,296.00
Juvenile Division Secretary - - - - -	8,731.00
Juvenile Division Secretary - - - - -	8,076.00
Emergency Preparedness Director - - - - -	12,250.00
Drain Commissioner- - - - -	1,500.00
Mine Inspector, 44.00 per day, not to exceed 5 days per week.	

A contingency fund in the amount of \$44,637.00 has been established to cover salary changes for Department heads and employees.

It is further recommended that all office or other allowances now in effect are to be continued until altered by action of the Board of Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

FINANCE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE

By Dorothy Trapp Chairperson

Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
Marquette, Michigan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your Finance and Taxation Committee recommends that the various departments in the Courthouse and Jail Group keep within the budgets as adopted at the annual meeting and that no clerk hire or salaries be paid beyond the amount fixed by the Board of Commissioners.

In the case of an emergency or in case a department requires additional funds or needs some special equipment which could not be foreseen at the time of the annual meeting, we recommend that the head of that department, together with the Controller, present the matter to the Board of Commissioners for their consideration and that they grant, where deemed necessary, authority to exceed the figures established in the annual budget.

If it develops that the amount stipulated in the budget of any department exceeds the need of that department, or if a sum authorized is found unnecessary, then we recommend that authority be granted to transfer a sum or surplus to some other department by proper resolution of the Board of Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

FINANCE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE

By Shane J. Trapp, Chairman

MARQUETTE COUNTY

RESUME OF CITY AND TOWNSHIP TAXES

CITY OF ISHPEMING

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 22,601,900	REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 24,634,817	
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 5,626,800	PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 5,946,156	
TOTALS:		\$ 28,228,700		\$ 30,580,973	
					FOR FISCAL
	TAXES		TAX RATE	PERCENT	PERIOD
County Tax	207,950.62		6.800	11.9328	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	7,186.53		0.235	0.4124	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	30,580.97		1.000	1.7548	7-1-76= 6-30-77
City General Operating Tax	550,457.51		18.000	31.5867	1-1-77=12-31-77
City Public Improvement Tax	137,614.38		4.500	7.8967	1-1-77=12-31-77
School Tax	752,750.65		24.615	43.1948	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Board Tax	56,146.67		1.836	3.2218	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	1,742,687.33		56.986	100.0000	

CITY OF MARQUETTE

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 115,488,456
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 7,290,446
TOTALS:		\$ 122,778,902

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 115,488,456
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 7,290,446
	\$ 122,778,902

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	834,896.53	6.800	12.1973	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	28,853.04	0.235	0.4215	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	122,778.90	1.000	1.7937	7-1-76= 6-30-77
City Contingent Tax	1,596,125.73	13.000	23.3184	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Library Tax	184,168.35	1.500	2.6906	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Tax	3,218,648.92	26.215	47.0224	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax	859,452.31	7.000	12.5561	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	6,844,923.79	55.750	100.0000	

CITY OF NEGAUNEE

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 13,954,542
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 1,181,342
TOTALS:		\$ 15,135,884

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 16,488,979
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 1,722,576
	\$ 18,211,555

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	123,838.57	6.800	12.9437	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	4,279.72	0.235	0.4473	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	18,211.55	1.000	1.9035	7-1-76= 6-30-77
City General Purpose Tax	409,759.99	22.500	42.8286	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Tax	364,231.10	20.000	38.0699	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Sinking Fund Tax	36,423.11	2.000	3.8070	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	956,744.04	52.535	100.0000	

CHAMPION TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 1,174,355
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 697,456
TOTALS:		\$ 1,871,811

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 1,174,355
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 697,456
	\$ 1,871,811

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	12,728.32	6.800	13.3111	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	439.88	0.235	.4600	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	1,871.81	1.000	1.9575	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	13,757.81	7.350	14.3878	4-1-76= 3-31-77
Fire Protection Tax	4,679.52	2.500	4.8938	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	49,041.45	26.200	51.2871	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	13,102.67	7.000	13.7027	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	95,621.46	51.085	100.0000	

CHOCOLAY TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 17,423,800
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 443,100
TOTALS:		\$ 17,866,900

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 17,423,800
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 443,100
	\$ 17,866,900

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	121,494.92	6.800	13.8071	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	4,198.72	0.235	.4772	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	17,866.90	1.000	2.0304	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	89,334.50	5.000	10.1523	1-1-77=12-31-77
Township Bond Tax	53,600.70	3.000	6.0914	1-1-77=12-31-77
School Tax	468,380.78	26.215	53.2284	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax	125,068.30	7.000	14.2132	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	879,944.82	49.250	100.0000	
Rejected County Tax	9.54			
Rejected Township and School Taxes	49.08			
GRAND TOTAL TAXES	880,003.44			

ELY TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 6,417,850
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 1,898,250
 TOTALS: \$ 8,316,100

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 6,417,850
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 1,898,250
 \$ 8,316,100

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	56,549.48	6.800	15.2518	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	1,954.28	0.235	0.5271	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	8,316.10	1.000	2.2429	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	27,858.94	3.350	7.5137	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	217,881.82	26.200	58.7642	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	58,212.70	7.000	15.7003	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	370,773.32	44.585	100.0000	

EWING TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 870,100
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 232,200
 TOTALS: \$ 1,102,300

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 966,203
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 232,200
 \$ 1,198,403

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	8,149.14	6.800	17.4740	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax (Delta)	179.76	0.150	0.3855	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax (Delta)	1,797.60	1.500	3.8545	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Vocational-Tech. Ed. Tax (Delta)	1,198.40	1.000	2.5697	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	7,190.42	6.000	15.4182	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax	28,120.53	23.465	60.2981	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	46,635.85	38.915	100.0000	

FORSYTH TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 13,281,950
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 1,765,650
 TOTALS: \$ 15,047,600

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 13,281,950
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 1,765,650
 \$ 15,047,600

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	102,323.68	6.800	17.3536	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	3,536.19	0.235	.5997	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	15,047.60	1.000	2.5520	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	107,590.34	7.150	18.2468	4-1-76= 3-31-77
Community Center Tax	30,095.20	2.000	5.1040	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax	331,047.20	22.000	56.1439	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	589,640.21	39.185	100.0000	

HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP

(Nice Sch. Dist.) VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 1,940,345
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 528,866
 TOTALS: \$ 2,469,211
 (Republic Sch. Dist.) VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 285,080
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 236,639
 TOTALS: \$ 521,719
 GRAND TOTALS: \$ 2,990,930

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 2,276,834
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 546,735
 \$ 2,823,569
 REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 334,517
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 244,634
 \$ 579,151
 \$ 3,402,720

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	23,138.50	6.800	15.9681	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	799.64	0.235	0.5518	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	3,402.72	1.000	2.3483	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	4,593.67	1.350	3.1701	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	73,977.51	26.200	61.5240	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	19,764.98	7.000	16.4377	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL	125,677.02	42.585	100.0000	
School Tax (Republic Sch. Dist.)	12,796.34	22.095		7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (Republic Sch. Dist.)	579.15	1.000		7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	139,052.51			

ISHPEMING TOWNSHIP

(NICE Sch. Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 8,150,500
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,006,292
TOTALS:		\$ 10,156,792
(Ish. City Sch. Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 1,310,750
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 105,613
TOTALS:		\$ 1,416,363
GRAND TOTALS:		\$ 11,573,155

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 8,150,500
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,006,292
	\$ 10,156,792
REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 1,310,750
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 105,613
	\$ 1,416,363
	\$ 11,573,155

	TAXES
County Tax	78,697.45
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	2,719.69
Special Education Tax	11,573.16
Township Tax	15,623.76
Township Debt Service Tax	11,573.16
Fire Protection Tax	28,932.89
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	266,107.95
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	81,012.08
TOTAL	496,240.14
School Tax (Ish. City Sch. Dist.)	34,863.78
TOTAL TAXES:	531,103.92

TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
6.800	14.7553	1-1-77=12-31-77
0.235	0.5099	7-1-76= 6-30-77
1.000	2.1699	7-1-76= 6-30-77
1.350	2.9294	4-1-76= 3-31-77
1.000	2.1699	4-1-76= 3-31-77
2.500	5.4248	4-1-76= 3-31-77
26.200	56.8515	7-1-76= 6-30-77
7.000	15.1893	7-1-76= 6-30-77
46.085	100.0000	
24.615		7-1-76= 6-30-77

MARQUETTE TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 11,178,450
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 1,781,100
TOTALS:		\$ 12,959,550

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 11,178,450
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 1,781,100
	\$ 12,959,550

	TAXES
County Tax	88,124.94
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	3,045.49
Special Education Tax	12,959.55
Township Tax	27,863.03
Fire Protection Tax	32,398.88
School Tax	373,429.43
School Bond Tax	16,199.44
TOTAL TAXES	554,020.76

TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
6.800	15.9064	1-1-77=12-31-77
0.235	0.5497	7-1-76= 6-30-77
1.000	2.3392	7-1-76= 6-30-77
2.150	5.0292	4-1-76= 3-31-77
2.500	5.8480	4-1-76= 3-31-77
28.815	67.4035	7-1-76= 6-30-77
1.250	2.9240	7-1-76= 6-30-77
42.750	100.0000	

MICHIGAMME TOWNSHIP

(Republic Sch. Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 3,168,750
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 426,450
TOTALS:		\$ 3,595,200
(NICE Sch. Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 500
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ -0-
TOTALS:		\$ 500
GRAND TOTALS:		\$ 3,595,700

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 3,574,282
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 426,450
	\$ 4,000,732
REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 564
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ -0-
	\$ 564
	\$ 4,001,296

	TAXES
County Tax	27,208.81
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	940.30
Special Education Tax	4,001.30
Township Tax	33,490.85
School Tax (Republic Sch. Dist.)	88,396.17
TOTAL	154,037.43
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	14.78
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	3.95
TOTAL TAXES	154,056.16

TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
6.800	17.6623	1-1-77=12-31-77
0.235	.6104	7-1-76= 6-30-77
1.000	2.5974	7-1-76= 6-30-77
8.370	21.7403	4-1-76= 3-31-77
22.095	57.3896	7-1-76= 6-30-77
38.500	100.0000	
26.200		7-1-76= 6-30-77
7.000		7-1-76= 6-30-77

NEGAUNEE TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 8,335,050
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 2,219,660
 TOTALS: \$ 10,554,710

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 8,335,050
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 2,219,660
 \$ 10,554,710

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL
				PERIOD
County Tax	71,772.03	6.800	19.8918	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	2,480.36	0.235	0.6874	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	10,554.71	1.000	2.9253	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	12,137.91	1.150	3.3640	4-1-76= 3-31-77
Community Center Tax	21,109.42	2.000	5.8505	4-1-76= 3-31-77
Fire Protection Tax	10,554.71	1.000	2.9253	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax	211,094.20	20.000	58.5052	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Sinking Fund Tax	21,109.42	2.000	5.8505	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	360,812.76	34.185	100.0000	

POWELL TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 4,908,851
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 130,988
 TOTALS: \$ 5,039,839

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 6,814,622
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 130,988
 \$ 6,945,610

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL
				PERIOD
County Tax	47,230.15	6.800	18.6302	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	1,632.22	0.235	0.6438	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	6,945.61	1.000	2.7397	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	50,702.95	7.300	20.0000	4-1-76= 4-31-77
School Taxes	147,003.84	21.165	57.9863	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	253,514.77	36.500	100.0000	

REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 5,594,250
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 1,018,313
 TOTALS: \$ 6,612,563

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 5,594,250
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 1,018,313
 \$ 6,612,563

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL
				PERIOD
County Tax	44,965.43	6.800	18.1333	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	1,553.95	0.235	0.6267	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	6,612.56	1.000	2.6667	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	42,122.03	6.370	16.9866	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax	146,104.58	22.095	58.9200	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax	6,612.56	1.000	2.6667	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	247,971.11	37.500	100.0000	

RICHMOND TOWNSHIP

VALUATION: REAL ASSESSED \$ 3,274,362
 PERSONAL ASSESSED \$ 1,175,707
 TOTALS: \$ 4,450,069

REAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 3,274,362
 PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL. \$ 1,175,707
 \$ 4,450,069

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL
				PERIOD
County Tax	30,260.47	6.800	20.1870	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	1,045.77	0.235	0.6976	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	4,450.07	1.000	2.9687	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	5,117.58	1.150	3.4140	4-1-76= 3-31-77
Fire Protection Tax	11,125.17	2.500	7.4217	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax	89,001.38	20.000	59.3736	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Sinking Fund Tax	8,900.13	2.000	5.9374	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	149,900.57	33.685	100.0000	

SANDS TOWNSHIP

(Gwinn Area Community)	VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,362,530
		PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 604,966
	TOTALS:		\$ 2,967,496
(Mqt. City Sch. District)	VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 742,500
		PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ -0-
	TOTALS:		\$ 742,500
	GRAND TOTALS:		\$ 3,709,996

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,362,530
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 604,966
	\$ 2,967,496
REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 742,500
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ -0-
	\$ 742,500
	\$ 3,709,996

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	25,227.97	6.800	22.6403	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	871.85	0.235	0.7824	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	3,710.00	1.000	3.3294	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Tax (Gwinn Area Community)	65,284.91	22.000	73.2479	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL	95,094.73	30.035	100.0000	
School Tax (Mqt. City Sch. Dist.)	19,464.64	26.215		7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (Mqt. City Sch. Dist.)	5,197.50	7.000		7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	119,756.87			

SKANDIA TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,779,700
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 222,300
		\$ 3,002,000

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,779,700
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 222,300
	\$ 3,002,000

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	20,413.60	6.800	21.8053	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	705.47	0.235	0.7536	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	3,002.00	1.000	3.2067	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	3,452.30	1.150	3.6877	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (Gwinn Area Sch. Dist.)	66,044.00	22.000	70.5467	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	93,617.37	31.185	100.0000	

TILDEN TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,947,900
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,449,800
TOTALS:		\$ 5,397,700

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,947,900
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,449,800
	\$ 5,397,700

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	36,704.36	6.800	14.9994	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	1,268.46	0.235	0.5184	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	5,397.70	1.000	2.2058	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	12,684.59	2.350	5.1836	4-1-76= 3-31-77
Township Debt Service Tax	9,445.98	1.750	3.8602	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	141,419.74	26.200	57.7920	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	37,783.90	7.000	15.4406	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	244,704.73	45.335	100.0000	

TURIN TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 626,000
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 68,500
TOTALS:		\$ 694,500

REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 626,000
PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 68,500
	\$ 694,500

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	4,722.60	6.800	18.9336	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax (Delta)	104.18	0.150	0.4177	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Vocational-Technical Ed. Tax (Delta)	1,041.75	1.500	4.1765	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax (Delta)	694.50	1.000	2.7843	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	2,083.50	3.000	8.3531	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax	16,296.44	23.465	65.3348	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	24,942.97	35.915	100.0000	

WELLS TOWNSHIP

(Wells Sch. Dist) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,026,250	REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,210,390
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,152,000	PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,152,000
TOTALS:		\$ 4,178,250		\$ 4,362,390
(Escanaba Area School Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 127,700	REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 139,305
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 210,000	PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 210,000
TOTALS:		\$ 337,700		\$ 349,305
GRAND TOTALS:		\$ 4,515,950		\$ 4,711,695

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	32,039.52	6.800	20.6061	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax (Wells)	1,025.16	0.235	0.7121	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax (Wells)	4,362.39	1.000	3.0303	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	28,976.92	6.150	18.6364	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (Wells)	82,078.37	18.815	57.0151	7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (Wells)	-0-	-0-	-0-	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL	148,482.36	33.000	100.0000	
Int. Sch. Dist. Tax (Delta)	52.40	0.150		7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax (Delta)	523.96	1.500		7-1-76= 6-30-77
Voc.-Tech. Education Tax (Delta)	349.31	1.000		7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Tax (Escanaba Dist.)	9,483.63	27.150		7-1-76= 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (Escanaba Dist.)	492.52	1.410		7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	159,384.18			

WEST BRANCH TOWNSHIP

VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 2,049,200	REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 2,049,200
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 10,200	PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 10,200
		\$ 2,059,400		\$ 2,059,400

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	14,003.92	6.800	21.8053	1-1-77=12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	483.96	0.235	0.7536	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	2,059.40	1.000	3.2067	7-1-76= 6-30-77
Township Tax	2,368.31	1.150	3.6877	4-1-76= 3-31-77
School Tax (Gwinn Area Sch. Dist.)	45,306.80	22.000	70.5467	7-1-76= 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	64,222.39	31.185	100.0000	

A communication from Dominic J. Jacobetti, Chairman of the House Appropriation Committee, regarding the priority set for the Michigamme water project was read and placed on file.

A communication from the National Association of Counties regarding Revenue Sharing and the Public Works Employment Act of 1976 was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Health Department regarding a U.P. Health Conference to be held in Marquette County in October, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Trapp, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that Chairman Anderson be authorized to appoint persons to attend this conference.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding by-laws for the MAC personnel officers was read and placed on file.

A communication from the U.S. Coast Guard, commending Deputy Sheriff Tom Mallett and Bruce Belisle for their work with the Coast Guard on Search and Rescue missions, was read and placed on file.

Chairman Clayton J. Anderson declared the public comment section open.

The Board was addressed by Don Mourand in regard to the forming of a Regional Commission to oversee the Carp River Forge Project, and their application for a \$53,000.00 grant for the project. It was moved by Comm. Alderton, supported by Comm. Trapp and carried, that the matter be referred to the County Lands and Buildings Committee for discussion at the October 13, 1976, meeting of that Committee.

Public comment section was then declared closed by Chairman Clayton J. Anderson.

At the request of Comm. Trapp, James F. Sodergren advised the Board of Commissioners of the forthcoming report of the Special Specific Tax Study Committee. He stated that the majority decision indicated that:

1. They believe the present specific ore taxing system to be inequitable.
2. They recommend that the system, as it applies to open pit operation, be changed.
3. That the basis for application of the tax vote be readjusted to reflect the pellet price, the F.O.B. mine value.
4. That the rate remain at the same 2 per cent.
5. That the rate be tied to changes in the state wide millage.

Chairman Anderson reminded all Commissioners of the Michigan Association of Counties Fall Conference to be held on October 28, 29, 1976, in Escanaba.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk
CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman
Marquette County Board of Commissioners

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November 17, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met at 7:00 p.m., on November 17, 1976, in the County Courthouse.

Present: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Absent: Comm. Trapp.

Opening prayer was given by Pastor Keith Pederson of the Peace Lutheran Church, Marquette, Michigan.

Salute to the Flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioners Agnoli and Gaboury introduced Mr. Peter Bollero and Mr. Frank J. Leone, the two newly elected County Commissioners who will serve in their districts in 1977.

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It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the minutes of the October 12 and October 25, 1976 meetings be approved and accepted.

A resolution from Mecosta County regarding proposed budget cuts for the Cooperative Extension Offices in the State was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Agnoli and carried by a roll call vote, that similar resolution be drafted and sent to the State Legislators and to the Governor.

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, May, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Goldsworthy and Leadbetter.

A resolution from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding a substitute bill that would affect Section 9 of Act 56 of the P.A. of 1973, in the designation of coordinating agencies for the office of Substance Abuse Services was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be passed and copies sent to our legislators by a Mail-O-Gram.

A communication from the office of Juvenile Justice Services and an accompanying agreement regarding a three-county (Marquette, Menominee and Dickinson) Youth Work Project Grant of \$45,000 were read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that Chairman Clayton J. Anderson sign the agreement on behalf of the County.

A communication from the office of Juvenile Justice Services acknowledging receipt of the basic grant application for fiscal year 1976-1977 for youth work projects was read and placed on file.

A communication from the office of Juvenile Justice Services authorizing a 50 per cent reimbursement of local expenditures from the child care fund for State Fiscal Year Oct. 1, 1976, in an amount not to exceed \$24,592.00 for vocational schooling at local child center supportive services, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Planning Dept. and a word phrase correction sheet to be inserted in the proposed Zoning Ordinance, and a communication from Mr. John Beerling, Supt. Engineer of County Road Commission, objecting to the County Road Commission being required to obtain a mining permit before taking gravel from a gravel pit, as stated in the ordinance, were read. After much discussion, it was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Racine, that the Zoning Ordinance be adopted as corrected by the word phrase correction sheet. This motion was defeated on a roll call vote.

Ayes: Comm. Cheatham, Coombs, May and Racine.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter and Anderson.

It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the proposed Zoning Ordinance be referred back to the Planning Commission for revision and re-presentation at the December 22, 1976, meeting.

It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried, that the recommendations and revision talked about be listed by Karen Chubb, Secretary of the Board, and given to the Planning Commission for study in making any revisions, these being:

1. Mining permits for numerals, sand gravel and top soil be eliminated.
2. Provision be made to exclude all Preliminary Plats on which the approval of any one of the agencies required to sign have been granted as of the date of adoption of the Zoning Ordinance.
3. County gravel permits not be required.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for Public Comment.

Michael Quayle, 227 Rock St., Marquette, Mich., representing deputies of the Sheriff's Dept. asked the Board:

Is it a policy of the County Board to allow a new position to be created in a department without the approval of the complete Budget and Executive Committee and the Personnel Committee after the 1977 budgets were approved? He was advised to contact the Personnel Committee. The instance is the creation of a new position of sergeant in the Sheriff's Department. Chairman Anderson felt that this was set as a temporary position. Comments will be referred to the Personnel Committee for a reply.

Donald Mourand, representative of the Carp River Forge Project, invited all Commissioners to attend the meeting to review the planning study, the meeting to be held on Monday, November 22, 1976, at 7:30 in the Lakeview School in Negaunee, Mich. Copies of the study will be available at that time.

Donald K. Potvin, Commissioner elect from the 4th District, questioned the advisability of purchasing portraits of retired judges while not doing the same for other individuals who have also served the County.

A communication from Comm. Hope Y. Trapp announcing her resignation as County Commissioner for the 1st District was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. May and carried, that the resignation be accepted with regret, and that Mrs. Trapp be commended for her service and a suitable certificate of appreciation be presented to her.

The County Board of Commissioners then took under consideration the appointment of a person to serve out the unexpired term of Mrs. Trapp in the 1st District. Chairman Anderson declared nominations open for appointment to this district. Comm. Leadbetter nominated David Allie, of Marquette, Mich. Comm. Racine nominated John P. Farrell, of Marquette, Mich. Chairman Anderson then declared nominations closed. A voice vote was held and it was determined that Mr. John P. Farrell was the person who had the largest number of votes.

Mr. Farrell 8 votes. Mr. Allie 3 votes. Mr. Farrell was elected to serve for the unexpired term that expires on December 31, 1976.

A communication from the Michigan Extension Service announcing an Assessors school to be held on November 30, Dec. 1 and 2, 1976, in Marquette, Mich., was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Department of State Police praising Undersheriff Gerald Sherbinow for his work at the Seney Refuge Fire was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Boise Interagency Fire Center in regard to the service provided by the County Office of Emergency Services in the Seney Refuge Fire operation was read and placed on file.

Communications from the National Association of Counties and the Michigan Association of Counties regarding payments in lieu of tax legislation were read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding the Federal Assistance Retrieval Systems Service available, and an accompanying agreement for service provided in regard to Federal Grants that may be available, were read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the agreement be signed and the service subscribed to.

A communication from Henry A. Skewis, County Clerk, regarding the terms of members of the Planning Commission expiring was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that Mr. Kenneth Tuominen of Ishpeming, and Mr. Joseph O. Racine be reappointed to succeed themselves on the Marquette County Planning Commission, their terms to expire December 31, 1979.

Acknowledgment was received from Governor William G. Milliken's Office for the reappointment of James Dompierre of Negaunee, Mich., to the County Social Services Board, this term to expire October 31, 1976.

A communication from John A. Fallon of Gwinn, Mich., announcing his resignation from the Alger Marquette Community Mental Health Service Board was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that this resignation be accepted with regret and a certificate of appreciation be presented to him.

The Board was reminded that the term of Jack Rombouts of Marquette on the County Road Commission, Airport Commission and Parks Commission expires Dec. 31, 1976. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that Jack Rombouts be appointed to succeed himself on these three commissions for a six year term ending Dec. 31, 1982.

A communication from Judge William Easton of the 96th District Court calling the Board's attention to the manner in which the Nov. 2, 1976, election was handled by the personnel of the County Clerk's office was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and carried, that the County Board of Commissioners extend public appreciation to the County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, and to the personnel in that department for the fine performance of duty on the Nov. 2, 1976, elections.

A communication from the Bay Cliff Health Camp Executive Director, John A. Vargo, acknowledging that the receipt of the \$1500.00 payment for service rendered to children of Marquette County at Bay Cliff this year was read and placed on file.

An announcement of the Public Employees Distinguished Service Award Banquet, to be held in Lansing, Mich., was read and placed on file.

An acknowledgment from John X. Jamrich, President of Northern Michigan University, of receipt of a certificate of appreciation for Northern's participation in the Emergency Technical Medical Program was read and placed on file.

Communications from Philip Ruppe, U.S. Congressman, Philip Hart, U.S. Senator, and Robert Griffin, U.S. Senator, acknowledging receipt of material concerning Local Public Works Capital Development and Assistance Act were read and placed on file.

A communication from Dr. Richard Potter, Director Marquette County Health Dept., regarding the need for additional personnel in the Social Services Dept. for service to Child Protection Act 238, P.A. 1975, was read and placed on file.

A communication and map from the County Road Commission regarding traffic and accident patterns on County Road 565, in Forsyth Township, was read, discussed and placed on file.

A communication from the Parks Commission and County Road Commission regarding the use of Youth Conservation Coop Projects at Perkins Lake Park was read and placed on file.

A communication in regard to a seminar on Economy Workshops, to be held in various parts of the country, was read and placed on file.

A communication from CUPPAD regarding Industrial Development Projects was read and placed on file.

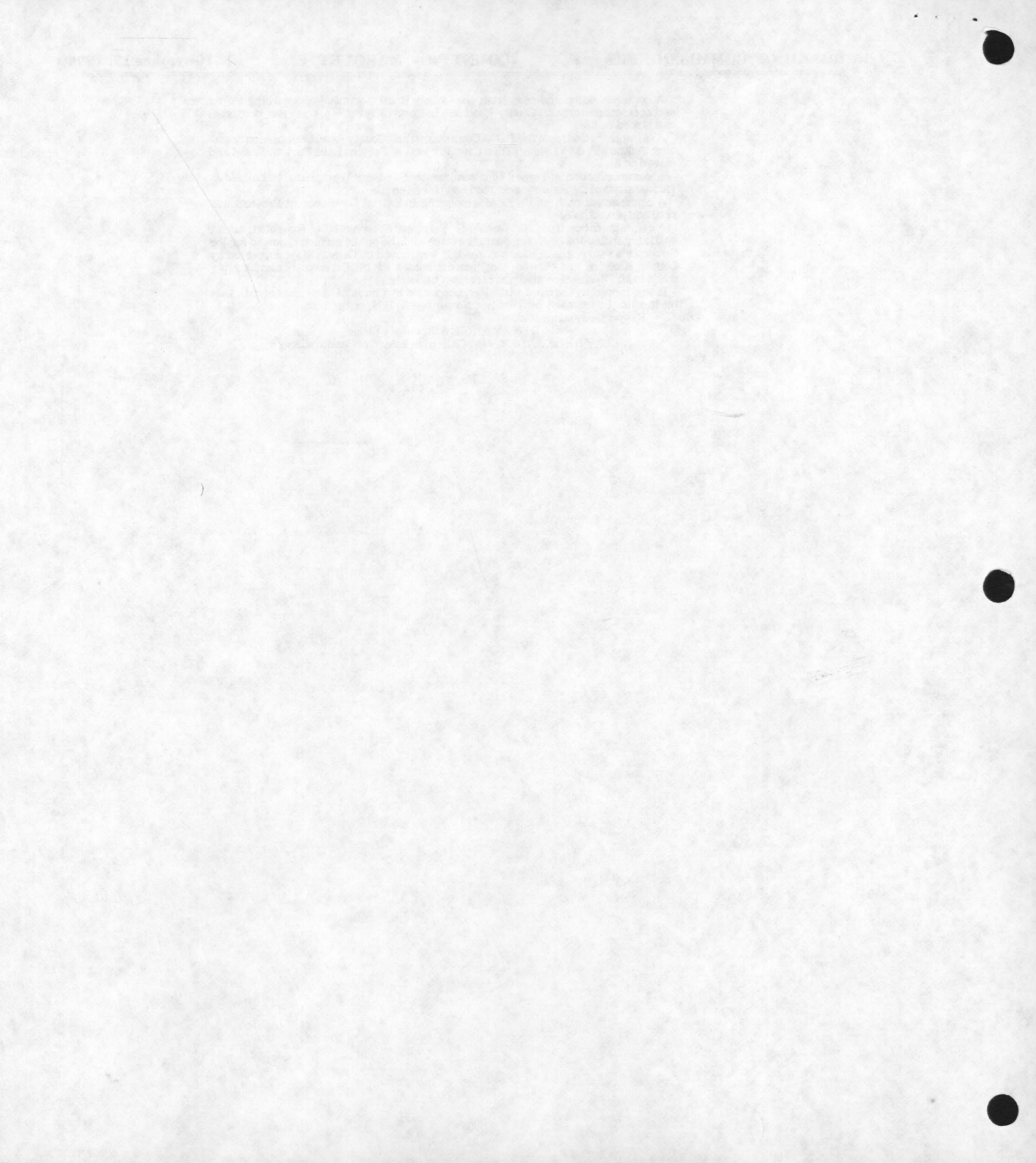
A communication from Mr. Donald G. Yerb, 412 E. Seventh St., Houghton, Mich., 49931, regarding the Seafarer-Sanguine issue and the public opinion required for the Governor's veto on the matter was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried, that the communication be placed on file and a reply made to Mr. Yerb acknowledging receipt of his letter.

It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Agnoli and carried, that the meeting be recessed until Friday, November 19, 1976, at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk

CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman, Board of Commissioners



November 19, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners reconvened their monthly meeting on November 19, 1976, at 3:00 p.m. in the County Courthouse.

Roll call was held. Present: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson. Absent: None.

The meeting resumed with the consideration of the communication from Gov. William G. Milliken regarding Seafarer-Sanguine. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that a letter be sent to Gov. Milliken stating that, because of the highly controversial nature of the issue, it is possible that only a U.P. wide vote of the people would be acceptable to all of the people but, that it is the feeling of the Board of Commissioners, that the cost of such an election should be paid entirely by the State, through necessary legislation, as the cost of an election such as this would work a hardship on budgets of counties, especially those who have already held elections on this issue.

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Doucette.

A communication regarding a Public Hearing on Stipulation for Entry of Consent Order and Final Order concerning the abatement of particulate emission from Pioneer Pellet Plant in Negaunee Township was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that a member of the Board of Commissioners be authorized to attend.

A communication from Brown and Root, Inc., regarding the awarding of the contract to study establishing Lake Michigan lake levels was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that Brown and Root be contacted to explain any misunderstanding between them and the County Board of Commissioners.

A communication from the Upper Peninsula Health Systems Agencies, Inc., regarding action taken by them in the form of a resolution to support the application of the Palmer Nursing Home, for financial support, to establish a 122 bed nursing home facility in Ishpeming, was read. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Cheatham and carried, that a letter endorsing the resolution be sent to Gov. William G. Milliken and to our local Legislators.

A communication from Michigamme Township acknowledging the County Board's support in their need for new water and sewer facilities was read and placed on file.

A communication from Congressman Philip E. Ruppe advising the County Board of the amount of return on each Federal tax dollars to the 11th Congressional District was read and placed on file.

Communications from the Ishpeming Public School and Negaunee Public School informing the County Board that they feel that the manner and rate of assessing iron ore under the Specific Tax Formula should remain as it is now was read and referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the purchase of two new Sheriff Department vehicles was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that two vehicles be purchased from Hornbogen Auto Sales of Marquette, Mich., for the purchase price of \$11,176.30, including the trade in of two vehicles in present use.

A communication and resolution from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the request for staffing for the youth home be placed on the 1977 CUPPAD project list. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the resolution be adopted to secure \$28,250.00 of financial assistance with the county's share being 50 per cent, or \$14,125.00.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee to purchase a commemorative gavel for presentation to Judge Michael DeFant upon his retirement, and to have his portrait commissioned and hung in the new Probate Court was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. May and carried by a roll call vote, that the recommendation be concurred with and the purchase made.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee to appropriate an additional \$5,000.00 to the Child Care Fund for 1976 expenditures was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried by a roll call vote, that the \$5,000.00 be transferred from the General Fund into the Child Care Fund for 1976 expenditures.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee to allow an additional \$50.00 petty cash for the County Clerk's Dept. was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, to increase the petty cash fund of the County Clerk's Dept. to \$100.00 by adding the \$50.00 authorized.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee to appropriate an additional \$368.00 to be added to the local share of financing of the Detention Home Staffing Project needed due to the fiscal year change was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Gaboury and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, to concur with the recommendation and appropriate the \$368.00 to be used as stated.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Buildings Committee that Marquette County consent to be sponsoring agency for the Carp River Forge Grant-Project, and that they establish a commission to include Marquette County, Negaunee City and Negaunee Township, was read. It was moved by Comm. Alderton, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County act as the sponsoring agency, but that no commission be established at this time and the units of government mentioned be so notified.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Buildings Committee that Levine Bros. Plumbing, Inc., of Marquette, Mich., be authorized to install a direct pipe from the washing machine to the sewer at the youth home was read. It was moved by Comm. Alderton, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried by a roll call vote, that the Board concur with the recommendation and direct the work be done for an estimated price of \$295.00.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Doucette, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli and Coombs.

A recommendation by the County Lands and Buildings Committee that H.H. Pellow and Sons be hired to construct a water shed on the roof of the youth home at a cost of \$85.00 was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Racine and carried by a roll call vote, that the Board concur with the recommendation and have the work done for the estimated price of \$85.00.

Ayes: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Doucette, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Coombs.

A recommendation from the Personnel Committee that the hourly wages for part time employees of the youth home be set as follows: \$3.00 per hour after 90 days of employment and 90 per cent of \$3.00 per hour for the first 90 days for new employees working part time was read. It was moved by Comm. Goldsworthy, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried unanimously by a roll call vote, that the Board concur with the recommendation and pay the rates mentioned.

A recommendation of the Environmental Quality Committee that the Board of Commissioners appoint a member of the Board of Commissioners to serve on the three county Solid Waste Resource Recovery Implementation Committee was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Agnoli and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that a member of the Board of Commissioners be authorized to serve on this committee.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee that the contract for the engineering study on Lake Michigan be awarded to Coleman Engineering Co. of Iron Mountain, Mich., was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the contract be awarded Coleman Engineering Co. of Iron Mountain, Mich., for the estimated price of \$10,120.00, and that all other bidders be notified of the awarding of the bid.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee that the Prosecuting Attorney, Gary L. Walker, be authorized to take the necessary steps through Circuit Court action to determine the legal lake level of Twin Lakes, and that the attached resolution be approved to establish the method by which the cost of the project would be financed, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Gaboury and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Board of Commissioners concur with the recommendation, adopt the resolution and begin the court action.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, two-thirds of the property owners on Twin Lakes, Marquette County, signed and submitted a petition to the Marquette County Board of Commissioners requesting that a legal lake level be determined for Twin Lakes; and,

WHEREAS, the Marquette County Board of Commissioners acted unanimously to have the Circuit Court petitioned to ascertain a legal lake level; and,

WHEREAS, a means of financing the project must be established; then,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Marquette County Drain Commissioner set up a special assessment district for Twin Lakes, Marquette County, to cover the cost of the determination of a legal lake level; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, to direct the Marquette County Prosecuting Attorney to petition the 25th Judicial Circuit Court, Marquette County, to determine a legal lake level for Twin Lakes.

A recommendation from the Environmental Quality Committee that a groin be constructed by the Army Corp. of Engineers near Picnic Rocks in Marquette, Mich., to reduce erosion on the shoreline and the project include nourishing the beach with non-polluting sediments was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the Board concur with the recommendation and allow the project be constructed.

A recommendation from the Welfare Contact Committee regarding H.B. 5108, which would place the Friend of the Court under the supervision of the Board of Commissioners was read. The Board of Commissioners was informed that the H.B. 5108 had been defeated and the issue was no longer valid.

Monthly reports of the Transportation Committee were read and placed on file.

Audit reports for the months of October and November, 1976, were read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that claims and accounts in the amounts of \$244,999.15 for month of October, 1976, and \$190,309.52 for the month of November, 1976, be allowed and ordered paid.

Reports of Marquette County Health Dept., Emergency Services Dept., Commission on Aging, Sheriff's Dept., County Road Commission, Acocks Medical Facility, Planning Commission and Building Code Dept., Treasurer's Dept. and Controller's Dept. were read and placed on file.

A recommendation from the County Controller, Gary P. Yoder, to set the millage rates and specific tax for Humboldt Township to reflect the two mill garbage pick up and land fill tax and correct the rates set for Humboldt Township on October 12, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Alderton and carried by a roll call vote, that the following rates be established for Humboldt Township.

HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP

(Nice Sch. Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$1,940,345	REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$2,276,834
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 528,866	PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 546,735
	TOTALS:	\$2,469,211		\$2,823,569
(Republic Sch. Dist.) VALUATION:	REAL ASSESSED	\$ 285,080	REAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 334,517
	PERSONAL ASSESSED	\$ 236,639	PERSONAL STATE EQ. VAL.	\$ 244,634
	TOTALS:	\$ 521,719		\$ 579,151
	GRAND TOTALS:	\$2,990,930		\$3,402,720

	TAXES	TAX RATE	PERCENT	FOR FISCAL PERIOD
County Tax	23,138.50	6.800	15.2518	1-1-77-12-31-77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	799.64	0.235	0.5271	7-1-76- 6-30-77
Special Education Tax	3,402.72	1.000	2.2429	7-1-76- 6-30-77
Township Tax	11,399.11	3.350	7.5137	4-1-76- 3-31-77
School Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	73,977.51	26.200	58.7642	7-1-76- 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (NICE Sch. Dist.)	19,764.98	7.000	15.7003	7-1-76- 6-30-77
TOTAL	132,482.46	44.585	100.0000	
School Tax (Republic Sch. Dist.)	12,796.34	22.095		7-1-76- 6-30-77
School Bond Tax (Republic Sch. Dist.)	579.15	1.000		7-1-76- 6-30-77
TOTAL TAXES	145,857.95			

DETAIL OF LOW GRADE IRON ORE SPECIFIC TAXES

HUMBOLDT TOWNSHIP

	<u>AD VALOREM RATE</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX</u>
County Tax	6.800	15.2518	14,839.77
Intermediate School Dist. Tax	0.235	0.5271	512.86
Special Education Tax	1.000	2.2429	2,182.31
Township Tax	3.350	7.5137	7,310.71
School Tax	26.200	58.7642	57,176.66
School Bond Tax	7.000	15.7003	15,276.15
TOTALS:	44.585	100.0000	97,298.46

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Farrell, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Anderson.
Nays: Comm. Agnoli.

A communication from Thomas Hazelwood, Director of Six County Consortium for Employment and Training, reminding the County Board of Commissioners that it will be necessary to file a letter of intention to remain in the Consortium before December 1, 1976, was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that a letter of intention be sent to Mr. Hazelwood.

A communication from Gladys Rajala, Ishpeming Township Clerk, regarding the November 2, 1976, election as it relates to Proposal E, the tax limitation proposal, and an answering letter from County Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, were read and placed on file.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for Public Comment. There was no response from the public and the public section was declared closed.

It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that the Personnel Committee study and review methods to honor long-term employees of the County in some manner upon their retirement.

There being no further business to come before the Board of Commissioners, it was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Agnoli and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk

CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman, County Board of Commissioners

December 22, 1976

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met on December 22, 1976, at 1:30 p.m., in the County Courthouse.

Opening prayer was given by Father Claude Pulvermacher, Chaplain at Marquette Branch Prison.

Roll call was held by Clerk, Henry A. Skewis, finding the following Commissioners present: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine, Farrell and Anderson. Absent: None.

Salute to the Flag was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that the minutes of the November 17, 1976, and November 19, 1976 meetings be approved and accepted.

Certificates of appreciation for devoted service to the county were presented to Comm. Bertil Agnoli, Richard C. Coombs, Orrin Doucette, Samuel P. Gaboury, E. Kenneth Goldsworthy, John S. Leadbetter and Hope Y. Trapp, by Board Chairman, Clayton J. Anderson.

A recommendation of the Environmental Quality Committee in regard to the proposed Marquette County Zoning Ordinance was read and a lengthy discussion was held. It was moved by Comm. Leadbetter, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Marquette County Zoning Ordinance no. 75-4 be approved and adopted, and that its effective date be the date it is approved by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that a letter of thanks be sent to the Marquette County Planning Commission expressing the gratitude of the County Board of Commissioners for a job "well done".

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee that the County Board of Commissioners endorse the majority opinion of the Specific Tax Study Committee, regarding changes in the Specific Tax on iron ore, was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried by a roll call vote, that the County Board of Commissioners endorse the Specific Ore Tax Study Committee's majority report recommendations, and the State Legislators be urged to affect the changes outlined in this majority report, and that copies of the reports, both majority and minority, be sent to Governor William G. Milliken and all of the 110 State Legislators and 38 State Senators.

Ayes: Comm. Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, May, Racine, Farrell and Anderson.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli, Alderton and Leadbetter.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open to Public Comment. The meeting resumed as per the agenda as no comment was made.

A resolution from Bay County regarding changes in No Fault Insurance was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Alger County regarding the change-over from Act 54 Mental Health Board to Community Mental Health Program, and the transfer of records, was read and placed on file.

A resolution from Alger County regarding their opposition to the abandonment of the Lake Superior and Ishpeming Railroad trackage between Marquette County and Alger County was read and referred to the Transportation Committee for study and report.

A communication from Don Mourand of the Carp River Forge Park Assoc., was read and placed on file.

A communication from Menominee County advising the Board that Menominee County was withdrawing from the Six County Consortium Agreement was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Michigan Association of Counties regarding quarterly payments of the counter cyclical-antirecession funds under the Public Works Act was read and placed on file.

A communication from the Marquette County Commission on Aging regarding the failure of the Region XI Area Agency on Aging to send applications for additional Title III Older American Act Funds to the Marquette County Commission on Aging was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that a letter be sent to Mr. Ron Kivi of the office of Service to the Aging, to the Governor and to all U.P. Legislators, expressing the County Board's concern over this deliberate action, and asking that an investigation be made as to why this action was taken by the Region XI Area Agency on Aging.

A communication from the Straits Furniture and Equipment Co. of Mackinaw City, Mich., was read and placed on file.

A communication from the City of Marquette regarding the permit to occupy the Courthouse Annex was read and placed on file.

A communication from Senator Robert P. Griffin regarding a letter received from the County Board on Seafarer was read and placed on file.

Comm. Richard C. Coombs asked permission to introduce some of the members of the State Champion Marquette Senior High School Redettes girls basketball team to the County Board. Comm. Coombs moved, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that the following proclamation be issued and copies of it sent to Coach Barb Crill, the Marquette Senior High School, and to each of the young ladies on the championship team:

**PROCLAMATION
MARQUETTE COUNTY BOARD
OF COMMISSIONERS**

WHEREAS, The Marquette Senior High School Girls Basketball Team completed the 1976 Season with a perfect 25 win 0 loss record; and,

WHEREAS, The 1976 "Redettes" Team won the Michigan State High School Class A Championship by defeating Our Lady of Mercy, Detroit, by a score of 68 to 41; and,

WHEREAS, This feat constitutes the first Michigan State Class A Championship ever captured by any Upper Peninsula team; and,

WHEREAS, For the past eight seasons the Marquette Senior High Girls Basketball Team, under the leadership of their coach, Barb Crill, have compiled an outstanding record of 125 wins and 8 losses.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE PROCLAIMED, On December 22, 1976, the Marquette County Board of Commissioners have recorded these accomplishments and believe them to be of worthy recognition by the people of the County of Marquette and of the people of the Upper Peninsula.

MARQUETTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Clayton J. Anderson, Chairman
John P. Farrell
Richard C. Coombs
John S. Leadbetter
E. Kenneth Goldsworthy
Bertil Agnoli

James Alderton
Samuel Gaboury
Ruby Cheatham
Joseph O. Racine
Orrin G. Doucette
Sally May

A communication from the Department of Natural Resources regarding name designations on maps of the East Branch, West Branch, Middle Branch and Escanaba River was read and placed on file.

Chairman Anderson declared nominations open for appointments on the Community Mental Health Board. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Gaboury and carried, that Janet Sonaglia, of Marquette, Rev. William Greer, of Marquette, and Harry Miron of Republic, be appointed to succeed themselves on this board for the three year terms ending December 31, 1979.

The appointment to fill the vacancy created on the Community Mental Health Board by the resignation of John Fallon, of Gwinn, was deferred until the regular January, 1977, meeting.

Nominations were declared open for the appointment of one person to the Harbor Commission. Comm. May nominated Sara McClellan of Marquette. Comm. Coombs nominated Robert T. Apple of Marquette.

A roll call vote was held, finding Sara McClellan elected for the three year term ending December 31, 1979.

Nominations were declared open for the appointment of one person to the Forestry Commission. It was moved by Comm. Alderton, supported by Comm. Doucette and carried, that Peter Nurmela of Ishpeming be appointed to succeed himself on the Forestry Commission for a three year term ending December 31, 1979.

Nominations were declared open for three members of the Special Election Scheduling Committee for the year 1977. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. May and carried, that Robert I. Pascoe, Champion Township Clerk, Lambert Chard, Ishpeming City Clerk, and William Jennings, Negaunee City School Board member, be appointed to succeed themselves on this committee for the year ending December 31, 1977.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the position of part-time secretary for the Emergency Services office was read. It was moved by Comm. May, supported by Comm. Racine and carried by a roll call vote, that the position and budget appropriation for temporary and part-time secretary for the Emergency Services Department be transferred to the County Controller's Department.

Ayes: Comm. Alderton, Cheatham, Coombs, Doucette, Gaboury, Goldsworthy, Leadbetter, May, Racine and Farrell.

Nays: Comm. Agnoli and Anderson.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the expanding of the Senior Citizen Meal Program was read. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County Board authorize the Sheriff Department to expand the Senior Citizens Meal Program to five days per week on a trial basis, and that Title VII funds pay for the cost of utilities, food consumed by the senior citizens, salary for an additional person to aid in preparing these meals and payment of the jail cooks assistance in the meal preparation.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the positions of full time clerk in office of Register of Deeds and the Probation Officer in Juvenile Division of Probate Court was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the position of Probation Officer, Juvenile Division of Probate Court, be reinstated for the year 1977, and that there be the establishing of position of full time clerk in office of Register of Deeds, that countercycle-antirecession funds be used to maintain these positions, and that the respective departmental budgets for the year 1977 be amended to reflect the changes.

A recommendation of the Budget and Executive Committee regarding the salary of the position of Executive Secretary of the Board was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Cheatham and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that this salary be established as \$10,111.00 per year, effective as of September 21, 1976, and that funds to cover this increase be transferred from the contingency fund.

A recommendation from the Budget and Executive Committee regarding a transfer of funds within the 1976 Treasurer's budget was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Alderton and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that \$600.00 be transferred from the printing and binding to salary — part-time and temporary, within the 1976 Treasurer's budget.

A recommendation from the County Lands and Buildings Committee regarding parking spaces was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the County enter into an agreement with the Catholic Diocese of Marquette to lease the property adjacent to St. Peter's Cathedral on the west side fronting on Baraga Avenue, consisting of fifteen parking spaces at \$5.00 per month, effective January 1, 1977. The County will be responsible for the snow removal.

Reports of the November 23, 1976, and December 2, 1976, meetings of the Personnel Committee were read and placed on file.

A report of the December 13, 1976, Transportation Committee meeting was read and placed on file.

A report of the November 23, 1976, meeting of the CETA Committee was read and placed on file.

Reports of the November 18, 1976, meeting of the CETA Committee was read and placed on file.

Reports of the November 18, 1976, and the December 16, 1976, meeting of the Welfare Contact Committee were read and placed on file.

A report of the Audit Committee regarding monthly claims and accounts was read. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that claims and accounts in the amount of \$225,530.49 be allowed and ordered paid.

A recommendation from the County Controller, Gary R. Yoder, regarding Sheriff Department vehicle maintenance costs was read. It was moved by Comm. Racine, supported by Comm. Goldsworthy and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that the Sheriff Department Budget for 1976 be increased \$1200.00 for vehicle operating expense and the increase to be offset by funds on hand in the General Fund.

A recommendation from the County Controller, Gary R. Yoder, regarding the Courthouse Annex Construction Fund was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Doucette and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that \$125,000.00 be transferred from the Revenue Sharing Fund to the Annex Construction Fund to cover equipment costs in the Courthouse Annex.

A recommendation from County Controller, Gary R. Yoder, regarding funds remaining in the Jail Construction Fund was read. It was moved by Comm. Cheatham, supported by Comm. May and unanimously carried by a roll call vote, that after all outstanding claims and accounts are paid from the Jail Construction Fund, the remainder be transferred to the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

Reports from the Sheriff Department, Acocks Medical, Commission on Aging, Marquette County Health Department, County Building Code Department and Planner, Emergency Services, County Road Commission, Treasurer Department and Controller Department were read and placed on file.

A communication from Michigan Association of Counties regarding amounts of Federal Revenue Sharing monies available to Marquette County for fiscal years 1977-1978-1979 and 1980, was read and placed on file.

A communication from Upper Peninsula Travel and Recreational Association concerning a meeting to be held in Marquette, Mich., on January 10, 1977, at 10:00 a.m., was read. It was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Leadbetter and carried, that the Chairman Clayton Anderson, appoint a Commissioner to attend this meeting.

A communication from Hope Y. Trapp stating she will not take office as County Commissioner, District No. 1, was read and referred to the Organizational Meeting to be held on January 3, 1977.

A notice of the reorganizational meeting of the County Board of Commissioners to be held on January 3, 1977, at 1:30 p.m., in the County Courthouse, was read and placed on file.

Chairman Anderson declared the meeting open for Public comment. Mr. Peter Embley, of Marquette, Mich., spoke on the need of a committee to study energy needs and possible consolidation of all county electrical utilities as one utility.

Comm. Coombs stated that he felt the County should study some way of establishing awards for employees with over fifteen years of continuance service. Comm. Leadbetter remarked that this was being considered by the Personnel Committee for future action.

A communication from Dr. Roy E. Heath, Dean of Graduate Studies, N.M.U., regarding proposal to bring a training site for olympic skiers to Marquette County was read and referred to the next Board Meeting.

Comm. Doucette called the Board's attention to HB 6580 that relates to a supplement by the State to the Prosecuting Attorney's Department for work involved in the prosecution of Cases involving residents of Marquette Branch Prison. It was moved by Comm. Doucette, supported by Comm. Coombs and carried, that this HB 6580 be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Comm. Coombs, supported by Comm. Racine and carried, that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted with
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from

CLAYTON J. ANDERSON, Chairman
Marquette County Board of Commissioners
HENRY A. SKEWIS, County Clerk