



MARQUETTE CITY ELECTION BOARD
July 13, 2023

A regular meeting of the Marquette City Election Board was duly called and held on July 13, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. with Board members and Staff meeting in City Hall, Commission Chambers.

PRESENT: Judy Berglund, Sue Menhennick, Linda Roe, Margaret Schwalm, City Clerk Kyle Whitney.

Also present, Deputy City Clerk, Rachel Quayle

Approval of the Agenda

It was moved by Margaret Schwalm, supported by Linda Roe, and carried unanimously to approve the agenda as presented.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Approval of Minutes

The Board reviewed minutes of the April 27, 2023 meeting.

It was moved by Judy Berglund, supported by Margaret Schwalm, and carried unanimously to approve the meeting minutes from the April 27, 2023 Election Board meeting.

Resolution Delegating Duties

Clerk Kyle Whitney explained the Board's role and responsibilities as it relates to elections which are laid out by the City Charter and laws of the State of Michigan. The State does provide the Election Board the ability to delegate specific duties to the local clerk or an authorized assistant. The purpose of the proposed resolution is to delegate these specific duties.

It was moved by Sue Menhennick, supported by Linda Roe, and carried unanimously to adopt the Resolution to delegate specific election duties.

Update: Review of Election Activities

City Clerk Kyle Whitney gave a legislative update as it relates to Proposal 22-2. He explained Proposal 22-2 makes specific constitutional changes related to elections in Michigan and recently passed legislation lays out how those changes will be implemented on the ground. He discussed early voting and precinct consolidations and how it may impact the City of Marquette.

Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting is at 4 p.m. on Thursday, October 5, 2023 to appoint November election inspectors.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:34 p.m.

Rachel Quayle, Deputy City Clerk
For: Marquette Election Board