

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION for the

TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2025 ~ SPECIAL ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors of the Cities and Townships of Marquette County, STATE OF MICHIGAN, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any qualified elector of Marquette County who is not already registered, may register to vote at the office of the City or Township Clerk's Office, the office of the County Clerk; a Secretary of State branch office, or other designated state agency. Registration forms can be obtained at www.mi.gov/vote and mailed to the Prospective Clerk listed below. Voters who are already registered may update their registration at www.expressSOS.com

The Last Day to Register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk is Monday, July 21, 2025

After this date, anyone who qualifies as an elector may register to vote in person with proof of residency in addition to proof of identity (MCL 168.492) at:

TOWNSHIP/ CITY	ADDRESS & PHONE	REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS	HOURS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 2 ND	HOURS ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 3 TH	HOURS ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 5 TH
Champion Township Clerk: Tanya Gatewood	Champion Township 1071 US 41 W., Champion 906-339-2920	Mon – Thursday 11:00am-2:00pm Friday 11:00am-1:00pm		11:00am-7:00pm	7:00am-8:00pm
Ishpeming Township Clerk: Nicole Hyry	Ishpeming Township 1575 US 41 W., Ishpeming 906-485-5411	Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm	8:00am-12:00pm	8:00am-12:00pm	7:00am-8:00pm
Negaunee City Clerk: Judy Iwanski	Negaunee City Office 319 W. Case St., Negaunee 906-475-7700	Monday – Friday 10:00am – 4:00pm	8:00am–4:00pm		7:00am-8:00pm
Negaunee Township Clerk: Rachel Sertich	Negaunee Township Office 42 M-35, Negaunee 906-475-7869	Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm	10:00am-2:00pm	11:00am-3:00pm	7:00am-8:00pm
Powell Township Clerk: Sharon Mattis	Powell Township Office 101 Bensinger, Big Bay 906-345-9345	Monday & Thursday 9:00am-12:00pm	8:00am–4:00pm		7:00am-8:00pm
Republic Township Clerk: Anna Griepentrog	Republic Township Office 279 Kloman Ave., Republic 906-376-8827	Monday-Thursday 9:00am – 4:00pm Friday 9:00am-3:00pm	7:00am-12:00pm	9:00am-12:00pm	7:00am-8:00pm
Richmond Township Clerk: Ethel Sundberg	Richmond Twp – Smith & Nicholas, Palmer 906-475-4180	Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm	8:00am–4:00pm		7:00am-8:00pm

Champion Township Proposal - General Fund Operating Millage Renewal

For the purpose of General Fund Operating, shall the expiring previously voted increase in millage for the Township of Champion, Marquette County, Michigan of 5.00 mills (\$5.00 per \$1,000 of taxable property value), reduced to 4.9043 mills (\$4.9043 per \$1,000 of taxable property value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 5.00 mills (\$5.00 per \$1,000 of taxable property value), and levied for a period of five consecutive years, 2026-2030 inclusive? This millage is estimated to generate \$129,535.88 in the first year.

Champion Township Renewal Proposition for Financing Emergency Medical Services

For the purpose of Emergency Medical Services, shall the expiring previously voted increase in millage for the Township of Champion, Marquette County, Michigan of 1.00 mills (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable property value), reduced to 0.9808 mills (\$0.9808 per \$1,000 of taxable property value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 1.00 mills (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable property value), and levied for a period of five consecutive years, 2026-2030 inclusive? This millage is estimated to generate \$25,907.18 in the first year.

Champion Township Proposal - Road Fund Repair & Maintenance Millage Renewal

For the purpose of Road Repair and Maintenance, shall the expiring previously voted increase in millage for the Township of Champion, Marquette County, Michigan of 2.00 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable property value), reduced to 1.9617 mills (\$1.9617 per \$1,000 of taxable property value) by the required millage rollbacks, be renewed at and increased up to the original voted 2.00 mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable property value), and levied for a period of five consecutive years, 2026-2030 inclusive? This millage is estimated to generate \$51,814.35 in the first year.

Powell Township Proposal - Operating Millage Renewal Proposition

Shall the total tax rate limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be levied in the Township of Powell, in the County of Marquette, and the State of Michigan, for all general purposes be renewed, as provided by Section 21, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, by two and one half mills (2.5) of the tentative taxable value of all property in the Township of Powell for a period of five (5) years from 2026 to 2030 all years inclusive, for all township purposes. (This millage is estimated to generate \$299,629.06 in the first year.)

Republic Township Proposal - Operating Millage Renewal Proposition

For the purpose of renewing the millage for operation purposes for Republic Township, shall the ad valorem taxes collected on all property within the Township of Republic, County of Marquette, Michigan, be continued in the amount of 5 mills (\$5.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years from 2026-2029 all years inclusive (the taxes collected from this renewal for the first year would amount to approximately \$409,300.00).

NEGAUNEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS - SINKING FUND MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Negaunee Public Schools, Marquette County, Michigan, be increased by and the board of education be authorized to levy not to exceed 2.4516 mills (\$2.4516 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) for a period of 10 years, 2027 to 2036, inclusive, to create a sinking fund for the purchase of real estate for sites for, and the construction or repair of, school buildings; for school security improvements; for the acquisition or upgrading of technology; for the acquisition of student transportation vehicles; for the acquisition of parts, supplies, and equipment used for the maintenance of student transportation vehicles; and all other purposes authorized by law; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2027 is approximately \$1,087,267.45?

Sample Ballot may be viewed at www.mi.gov/vote

LINDA K. TALSMA, MARQUETTE COUNTY CLERK