

MARRIAGE LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Marquette County Clerk's Office
234 W. Baraga Ave
Marquette, MI 49855
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Office Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

FEES:

Marquette County Residents.....\$20.00
Out of State Residents.....\$30.00
Waiver of 3-day Waiting Period.....\$25.00

- A marriage license is valid for 30 days after the issue date. You cannot apply for the marriage license more than 33 days before the date of marriage.
- Michigan residents apply in their County of residence.
- After the application is complete, there is a three day waiting period. You will be told when you apply when you can come back to the County Clerk's Office and pick your license up. The three day waiting period can be waived with approval from the County Clerk for a fee of \$25.00

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTATION IS NEEDED TO APPLY FOR A MARRIAGE LICENSE:

- Certified Birth Certificate 'Passports are not accepted in lieu of birth certificates'
- Current Photograph Identification – State ID or Driver's License
- Judgment of Divorce (if Applicable)
- Social Security Numbers (Cards are not required)

RESIDENCY

- A person must apply for a marriage license in the County Clerk's office of the County in which either the man or woman reside but can get married anywhere in the State of Michigan
- If both parties are non-Michigan residents, the marriage license must be obtained from the County Clerk in the county in which the marriage is to be performed

AGE REQUIREMENT

- 18 years and older and be able to enter into legal contracts.

WITNESS REQUIREMENT

- Two witnesses are required and they must be 18 years of age or older