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ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST
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MARQUETTE, MI
APRIL 2023 – JUNE 2023
JULY 1, 2023
(ALL TIMES: EASTERN)

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Program Information</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>
Public Health Needs		
	News	
	Local	
	Hourly R.O.S. Basis	
6/30		The U.S. Forest Service officials would like to remind the public to keep fire safety in mind and take precautions when recreating.
6/29-30		The Marquette County Sheriff's Office is investigating a break-in at the Krist Gas Station on the corner of U.S.-41 and Commerce Dr. in Marquette Township.
6/13-14		Marshfield Clinic Health System has started construction on the Regional Cancer Center in Iron Mountain.
6/13-14		An executive directive instructs state departments to help residents who may lose Medicaid coverage due to recent federal legislation.
6/5-6, 10-11		Pregnancy Resource Centers around the country have reported a string of attacks.
6/8		Fire crews continued putting out hot spots Tuesday within the Wilderness Trail Fire near Grayling as local roads reopened. The fire, estimated at 2,418 acres in size, is now 100% contained.
6/5		DNR firefighters and local partners are battling a wildfire in downstate Crawford County.

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6/4		DNR firefighters and local partners are battling a 1,000-acre wildfire in downstate Crawford County. The fire is located about 4 miles southeast of Grayling. Multiple closures are in place.	
6/1		About a dozen U.S. Forest Service wildland firefighters are working to contain a fire that was detected May 30 south of Munising near Lost Lake.	
5/29		On May 28 the Marquette County Sheriff's Office, along with the Marquette Township Fire Department, were dispatched to Jimmy Johns for a report of vehicles on fire in the parking lot. Both vehicles sustained heavy damage. Also damaged was the pedestrian bridge between the upper and lower parking lots. The bridge has been cordoned off and should be avoided.	
5/26-27		The name of the victim of Thursday's fatal crash in Marquette County has been released: 52-year-old Daniel Albert Charlebois of Skandia Township.	
5/25-26		On Thursday, the Marquette County Sheriff's Office responded to a fatal single vehicle crash in the ditch on County Road 550 near Saux Head Lake Road in Powell Township.	
5/18-19		Trinity Health Michigan is joining a new nationwide network of hospitals collaborating on suicide prevention.	
5/15-16		A legislative plan to set safe limits on the number of patients nurses can be assigned, curb excessive mandatory nurse overtime, and require hospitals to disclose their R.N. staffing, has been introduced in both the state house and senate.	
5/10-11		The DNR reports that a 150-acre prescribed burn on Drummond Island in Chippewa County was expected to start May 10.	
5/8		Troopers from the Michigan State Police are leading the investigation and search efforts for a missing 8-year-old Wisconsin boy last seen May 6 at approximately 1 p.m. while camping with his family in the Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park.	
4/26-27		Michigan State Police troopers from the Negaunee post were dispatched to a first aid incident at Superior Auto Parts in Negaunee Township. The 57 year old Negaunee resident was transported to UPHS – Marquette where he passed away from his injuries.	
4/17-18		In recognition of April as National Donate Life Month Secretary of State Benson is highlighting the life saving impact of organ donation.	

4/4-5		The St. Ignace City Council has approved the city's new fire agreement with Moran and St. Ignace Townships according to the St. Ignace News. The new agreement takes effect on Thursday, June 1 st . Under the agreement, the St. Ignace fire department will provide it's services to all three communities.	
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Church Bulletin Board PSA 9:45 AM – 9:48 AM 2:35 PM – 2:38 PM 6:35 PM – 6:38 PM R.O.S. Basis			
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5/11-21		The Marquette Seventh-day Adventist Church will have a free Dinner with the Doctor on May 21 st at 5:00 p.m.	
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4/12-23		The Marquette Seventh-day Adventist Church is presenting a free Dinner with the Doctor on Sunday April 23 rd at 5:00 p.m.	
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What's Happening PSA 6:15 AM – 6:18 AM 11:35 AM – 11:38 AM 7:45 PM – 7:48 PM R.O.S. Basis			
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5/20-6/30		The American Red Cross asks people to book a time to give blood or platelets now. All who come to give through May 31 will receive and exclusive Red Cross beach towel. Those who come to give June 1-30 will receive a \$10 gift card. Upcoming blood donation opportunities, May 22-June 15.	
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5/23-6/21		UPCAP is offering the nationally-recognized Respite Education & Support Tools (REST) training. The REST training will be held on Wednesday, June 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Memorial United Methodist Church in Gladstone.	
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4/25-30		The American Red Cross is reminding blood and platelet donors it's vital to make and keep donation appointments this month. Upcoming blood donation opportunities, April 20-30.	
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Focus on the Family
REC
2:00 PM -2:30 PM
10:00 PM -10:30 PM

6/19-20

Drs. Gary Chapman and Paul White help men and women recognize toxic work environments.

5/10-11

Dr. Gregory Jantz, a leading authority on mental and behavioral health, shares encouragement and help for those overwhelmed by feelings of guilt and shame associated with depression.

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6-26-30

Limestone Baptist Church will hold Keepers of the Kingdom VBS on July 10th -14th.

6/26-30

The Calumet AGLOW Christian fellowship is hosting a breakfast meeting Saturday, July 8 at 9:30 AM at the Harvest Church of the Keweenaw.

6/6-30

Marilyn Mam Piano concert will be at Bethel Baptist Church Sunday, July 23 at 6:00 PM.

5/27-6/30

UP CityFest 2023 will be at Mattson Lower Harbor Park July 1st from 12:00 PM – 10:00 PM.

5/30-6/19

Stompers & Chompers VBS will be held at Bible Baptist Church June 19-23 at 9:30 AM.

5/27-6/17

Walking with Families will be Saturday June 17, and will be hosted at the Marquette Care Clinic.

5/31-6/10

The Calumet AGLOW Christian Fellowship will host their monthly breakfast meeting Saturday, June 10 at 9:30 AM at the Harvest Church of the Keweenaw.

5/27-6/4

An evangelism training will be held at Bethel on June 4th from 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM volunteering at UP City Fest.

5/24-6/3		Redeemer Lutheran Church in Marquette will have a rummage and bake sale on June 3 rd , from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	
5/1-5/13		The Calumet AGLOW Christian fellowship will meet Saturday, May 13 at 9:30 AM for the monthly breakfast gathering at the Harvest Church of the Keweenaw in Calumet.	
4/1-5/4		WinSome Women Christian Retreats will be at the Great Lakes Center for the Arts in Bay Harbor, MI on May 4 & 5 and May 5 & 6.	
4/13-4/30		The Salvation Army in Escanaba is collecting returnable cans.	
4/18-4/29		“Friends of Northwoods Christian Academy” in Hurley, Wisconsin are planning to gather to discuss future plans, share ideas, and most importantly pray to discern God’s direction for the upcoming 2023-2024 school year.	
4/17-4/29		There is a Spring Bazaar on Saturday, 4-29-23 from noon to 3:00 PM at SS Peter & Paul Lutheran Church.	
4/1-4/15		Calumet AGLOW Christian Fellowship will hold their breakfast meeting at 9:30 AM on Saturday, April 15 at the Harvest Church of the Keweenaw in Calumet.	
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6/14-6/23		The Upper Peninsula Children’s Museum is holding chalk art festival, a part of Art Week on Wednesday June 21, from 10 AM – 4:00 PM.	
6/4-6/16		The annual Marquette County Community Resource Fair is Friday, June 16, in Marquette. The Feeding America Mobile Food Truck will be located at the Superior Dome from 2:00n – 2:00 PM.	
6/4-6/8		The Second Thursday Creative Series at the Upper Peninsula Children’s Museum “School’s Out!” is on June 8, from 5:30 – 7:30 PM.	
5/31-6/3		Superior Arts Youth Theatre (SAYT) will hold a can drive on Saturday, June 3 & Sunday June 4,	
5/15-5/27		A Community Plant Swap will be held Saturday, May 27 th in the parking lot of the Lakeshore Depot in Marquette.	

5/18-5/20		The first market of the Downtown Marquette Farmers Market's 24 th season in this Saturday, May 20, from 9 AM – 1 PM at the Marquette Commons.	
4/25-5/19		Registration is open for this summer's Becoming an Outdoors Woman program, set for June 2-4 in Marquette County.	
5/8-5/11		Celebrate with Marquette County Habitat for Humanity on May 11, at 3:30 PM as they break ground on their 110 th home build at 729 Carr St. in Negaunee.	
4/17-5/6		The Kids Consignment Sale will take place in Houghton May 3-6.	
4/27-28		The 2023 Construction Skills Challenge will take place Friday, April 28 in Negaunee.	
4/18-22		The Michigan Department of Natural Resources Eastern Upper Peninsula Citizens Advisory Council will meet April 26 in Newberry.	
4/1-22		The Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library will partner with Partridge Creek Farm to open a seed library starting April 22.	
4/7-13		The Second Thursday creativity series will be held at the Upper Peninsula Children's Museum on April 13.	
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6/29-30		Comedian Kenn Kington pokes fun at the difference between men and women.	
6/27-6/28		Dr. Tony Evans and Boundless host, Lisa Anderson discuss the purposeful, fulfilling life you can have when you're connected in community with others and they'll address the church's role in the lives of singles.	
6/26		Kari shares the importance of men fighting for what's right-- especially in spiritual battles.	
6-22-6/23		Milan and Kay Yerkovich help you understand how your attachment style impacts the way you relate to stress and how you can use stressful situations as opportunities to grow closer to your spouse.	
6/21		Eryn Lynum shares the value of appreciating God's creation as a spiritual practice, encouraging you to take your kids into the great outdoors.	
6/16		Our speakers remind us all to love and honor our dads, especially as we think of them this upcoming Father's Day.	

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6/14-6/15		Lee Strobel examines why our culture chases immorality and how we want to make a name for ourselves that survives the test of time.
6/12-6/13		Bob and Linda Lotich provide valuable advice on how to learn to be on the same team when it come to managing money.
6/8-6/9		Bruce and Serena Dyksen encourage the Church to come alongside young women with love and care when unplanned pregnancy in the picture
6/6-6/7		Matt and Lisa Jacobson return to discuss ways to serve each other well with love in marriage.
6/5		Hear Jonathan McKee's perspective on how to trim down the screen usage that is distracting us from better things, like spending time with our family and the Lord.
6/2		Sean and Lanette Reed share their story of getting married, having three children and moving multiple times within their first two years of marriage.
6/1		Dr. Jeff Myers asserts that we can work for the Lord in any job.
5/30		Dr. Koch emphasizes the point of having trustworthy friends who can help you meet your needs in healthy ways.
5/29		Heather Blalock courageously shares about her journey with her children, after the loss of her husband, and offers hope and encouragement to other military families as we remember them this Memorial Day.
5/26		Wendy Speake discusses how to ingest and digest the Word of God in a beneficial way.
5/25		Ginger Hubbard offers parents more practical advice for dealing with their children's back talk, whining, and lying.
5/24		Mark and Jill Savage explain how thy navigated infidelity and the biblical principles thy employed that allowed God to heal their relationship.
5/23		Pastor Rico Tice offers suggestions for sharing the Gospel with boldness, honesty and humility, and for overcoming the fear of rejection while sharing your faith.
5/22		Dr. David Gudgel shares his wisdom and insight as a dad.
5/18-5/19		Bill and Pam Farrel discuss differing approaches men and women take on marriage.
5/16-5/17		Julie Lowe helps you equip your child to face the challenges and dangers the world poses.
5/15		Author Chrystal Evans Hurst will encourage you to believe that it's never too late to re-discover your identity in God and reclaim those dreams from long ago.
5/12		Liz Curtis Higgs pays homage to all mothers by analyzing the relationship between Jesus and his own mother, Mary of Nazareth.

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5/8-5/9		Jodie Berndt adds to the Praying the Scriptures series by encouraging couples to pray for their marriages.	
5/5		Our guests offer parents practical advice on teaching children responsibility by giving them age-appropriate chores.	
5/4		Dr. Os Guinness, shares about the moral crossroads in America and challenges you to build upon seven foundational stones to preserve freedom.	
5/1-5/2		Michael Anderson and Dr. Timothy Johanson encourage parents to stop trying so hard to raise “perfect” kids.	
4/28		Katharine Hill describes how nurturing, faith-filled families are more likely to have children who grow up to be healthy, happy and faith-filled adults.	
4/26-4/27		Bob and Dannah Gresh share how sexual sin nearly tore their marriage apart, but through God’s love they found healing and growth.	
4/25		Crystal Paine shares her four-step system that can help moms feel less frazzled and have more room to breathe in your everyday life.	
4/24		British evangelist J. John challenges believers to live up to our tremendous God-given potential by letting Jesus int the driver’s seat of our lives.	
4/21		Sally Clarkson describes many of the overwhelming “storms” or challenges that wives and mothers face in life.	
4/20		Pastor Sy Rogers explains how the lord helped him forgive a man who sexually molested him, which made Sy question his sexual orientation and even his gender for many many years.	
4/13-4/14		Psychologist Michael Anderson and Dr. Timothy Johanson explain how many parents waste time and energy on parenting strategies that don’t work, and offer practical suggestions for more effectively disciplining children and raising them to become well-adjusted adults.	
4/11-4/12		Debra Fileta warns about the typical pattern of changing a few externals in our lives but not working on our “internal wiring”.	
4/10		Realty TV stars Phil and Kay Robertson reflect on the tumultuous first years of their marriage and how God transformed their relationship by working of them individually.	
4/7		Bible teacher Ray Vander Laan provides historical context to first-century Jerusalem during Passover and explains the purpose behind Jesus’ offer of salvation.	
4/6		Pastor and author Bob Lepine encourages strengthening your marriage by working toward oneness with your spouse.	
4/5		Matt Bell explains how parents can teach their children to budget, tithe, save, invest and serve with the money they have at an age-appropriate level.	

4/3-4/4	Emily Colson explains how her view of God has changed, through years of struggling to raise an autistic son as a single parent.
News Local Hourly R.O.S. Basis	
6/30	The Michigan Department of Transportation has 2 road construction projects that started this week.
6/30	Governor Whitmer and the Michigan High-Speed Internet Office have announced the kick-off of a new statewide initiative to increase the “Affordable Connectivity Program” adoption, to help lower-income families pay for high-speed internet.
6/29-6/30	A new Marquette veterans home is fully funded. The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, veterans home construction grant program provided \$63.4 million dollars in fiscal year 2023 funding for the construction of the new state veteran home, to replace the D.J. Jacobetti Home.
6/29-6/30	The current detour of M-26 at the Silver River and Copper Harbor is scheduled to be lifted this Friday, June 30.
6/28/-6/29	June marks the time when Michiganders who use propane for home heating should start looking at locking in rates for supplies next winter.
6/27-6/28	M-DOT will be conducting routine maintenance on the Portage Lake Lift B ridge between Houghton and Hancock this Thursday.
6/26-6/27	The Family Research Council is running a campaign to encourage people to contact their elected officials to protect kids from gender ideology.
6/24-6/26	The Marquette County Road Commission will be closing County Road BA in Chocolay Township for replacement of a culvert.
6/23-6/25	The 2023 Michigan Cyber Summit will be held Wednesday, October 18 th .
6/21-6/22	Representative Brad Paquet has introduced legislation to ban gender re-assignment surgery and puberty blocking drugs for minors.
6/21-6/22	Michigan continues to be ranked in the bottom half of the United States for child well being.
6/19	The Marquette County Road Commission will be performing chip seal operations on the following roads, County Road 581 in Tilden

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		Township, County Road 587 and County Road 573 in Ishpeming Township.	
6/7-6/8		An M-28 culvert replacement is scheduled to begin June 8 th .	
6/6-6/7		Housing Attorney Jim Schaafsma with the Michigan Poverty Law Program says Michigan's state legislation won't be enough to help the overall housing situation. He says what is needed is significant increase in the supply of affordable housing.	
6/5-6/6		A detour for work on M-35 in Gwinn began Monday.	
6/2-6/4		Two car pool lots in the Upper Peninsula have been closed due to lack of use. Both of these lots - one in Naubinway and one in Hyde are now closed permanently.	
6/1-6/2		Representative Greg Markkanen of Hancock, made special visits to honor our veterans this recent Memorial Day.	
6/1-6/2		An M-129 rebuilding project is underway in Chippewa county just south of Sault Ste. Marie.	
5-31-6/1		Citizens for Traditional Values is rescinding it's endorsement of nine legislators because of their support to the changes to add sexual orientation and gender identity to the Elliott-Larson Civil Rights Act.	
5/26-5/28		Double red warning flags are not in place at state designated swim beaches along the Great Lakes in Michigan State Parks.	
5/25-5/26		Governor Whitmer joined federal, state and local leaders to break ground on a new 41,900 square foot facility that will transform 2 hangars into a new hangar equipped for fighter maintenance. Selfridge is a Joint Military community housing 4,000 families from all branches of the military.	
5/25-5/26		Two road projects in the Eastern U.P. got underway this week, according to the Michigan Department of Transportation. A mile of M-28 east of Hulbert Road in Chippewa County and to replace a culvert on M-123 at Otto/Brant Creek.	
5/24-5/25		The Michigan Department of Treasury offers help to taxpayers who missed the April 18 th deadline.	
5/24-5/25		A resurfacing project is underway in Iron County.	
5-24		M-DOT has lifted all Spring weight restrictions on all state trunkline highways in the state of Michigan.	
5/23-5/24		The Marquette County Road Commission has closed County Road AAP in Champion Township at it's crossing with Connors Creek until further notice due to a culvert failure.	

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5/23-5/24		Partial lifting of weight restrictions on Marquette County roads is now in place.	
5/19-5/21		The Michigan Office of Highway Safety Planning (OHSP) has announced a “Click it or Ticket” seat belt enforcement campaign that will run through June 4 th .	
5/17-5/18		The National Guard and Alpena County are investing more than \$50 million dollars in runway repairs and upgrades at the Alpena Combat Readiness Training Center (CRTC) and the Alpena Regional County Airport.	
5/16-5/17		M-DOT plans to invest about \$2.9 million dollars to repair three bridges in Iron and Ontonagon Counties.	
5/16-5/17		The U/.S. 41/M-26 Portage Lake Lift Bridge between the cities of Houghton and Hancock will be undergoing work.	
5/15-5/16		County Road LG (River Road) in Republic Township is now open to traffic.	
5/12-5/14		Governor Whitmer proclaimed May as Military Appreciation Month in Michigan.	
5/11-5/12		The Michigan Public Service Commission is holding several technical conferences aimed at boosting reliability and resilience of it’s power grid.	
5/11-5/12		Attorney General Nessel announced that consumers who were tricked by Turbo Tax’s owner Intuit, into paying for free tax service, will begin receiving checks from a \$141 million dollar multi state settlement announced in May 2022.	
5/9-5/10		The Marquette County Road Commission has closed County Road LG (River Road) in Republic Township until further notice due to flooding conditions.	
5/9-5/10		The Michigan Department of Transportation invites the public to discuss the upcoming M-129 and I-75 business spur projects in Sault Ste. Marie.	
5/8-5/9		Construction work is underway in St. Ignace by Semco Energy. The company is in the process of replacing all the gas main pipelines and service line on the I-75 business loop.	
5/8-5/9		MDOT, Forsyth Township and Marquette County Road Commission plan to invest approximately \$4.4 million dollars to rebuild 6.6 miles of M35 from East of Smith Street to the East Branch of the Escanaba River in Gwinn.	

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5/5-5/7		The Keewenaw County Department of Transportation will be replacing the Silver River bridge near Eagle Harbor this summer.	
5/4-5/5		Crews from the Houghton County Road Commission will be constructing a box culvert at the intersection of U.S. 41 and Massie Road in Houghton County near Chassell.	
4/27-4/28		Michiganders who need assistance with their heating bills can now apply for the Home heating Credit.	
4/26		The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) reports that there are 5 prescribed burns scheduled today in 5 counties, including one in the Upper Peninsula.	
4/24		County Road LG (River Road) in Republic Township is now open to traffic. County Road 482 (Greenwood Mine Road) remains closed until further notice.	
4/22-4/23		Transgenderism being allowed in public schools has let to the question of minors transitioning at young ages.	
4/21-4/23		April is National Safe Digging Month. Miss Dig 811 marks underground utilities in advance to prevent damage and potentially deadly consequences.	
4/20-4/21		A new report found thousands of Michigan families using housing choice vouchers are often left out by landlords who refuse to rent to them.	
4/19-4/20		County Road CG (Steel Bridge Road), County Road CD (Mail Route Road), and County Road HD (Harlow Lake Road) are now open to traffic. County Road 482 (Greenwood Mind Road) and County road LG (River Road) remain closed until further notice.	
4/15-4/17		The Marquette County Road Commission has announced several road closures. County Road 482 (Greenwood Mine Road) in Tilden Township is closed and County Road CD (Mail Route Road) in Ely Township is closed at it's crossing with Green Creek. County Road CG, (Steel Bridge Road) is closed until further notice at the bridge over the Middle Branch of the Escanaba River in Ely Township due to flooding conditions and County Road LG (River Road) in Republic Township is closed until further notice due to flooding conditions.	
4/13-4/14		The Marquette County Road Commission has closed Harlow Lake Road in Marquette Township at County Road 550 until further notice due to flooding condition.	
4/10-4/11		The Defense Department this April is observing the "Month of the Military Child." Governor Whitmer says "Month of the Military Child" recognizes the important role military children play	

		supporting military families during deployments, relocations and other challenging circumstances.
	4/5-4/6	State individual income tax returns must be mailed or e-filed by 11:59 p.m. on Tuesday, April 18 th this year.
Corrections/ Courts	News Local Hourly R.O.S. Basis	
	6/28-6/29	Detectives from the Negaunee Post learned of and incident involving an unreported assault and arson. The subject, Julie Boxley, is a 52-year old female from Ishpeming. She is charged with third degree arson and assault with intent to do great bodily harm.
	6/21-6/22	On June 20 th Michigan Attorney General Nessel charged 8 former and current employees of Alger Correctional Facility in Munising with felony counts related to the 2019 in-custody death of former inmate Jonathan Lancaster. All are charged with one count of involuntary manslaughter which is a 15 year felony.
	6/14-6/15	A Grand Jury has returned a superseding indictment against 63 year old Gerald Bennett of Detroit. According to the superseding indictment, Bennett was hired by a man named Quinn James to kill a 16 year old high school sophomore, who was abducted and killed in January 2018. According to the charge, Bennett told the fellow inmate that he would fake incompetency to give the inmate time to be released from custody and complete the killing on Bennett's behalf.
	5/29-5/30	The U.S. Attorney's Office for the Western District of Michigan announced that charges have been filed against 62 year old Andrew Howard of Frankfort. One count of tampering and one count of vandalism at Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore in August of 2022.
	5/29	On May 26, Marquette County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a two vehicle personal injury crash on M-95 Near Kingfisher Road in Republic Township. All occupants were transported to UPHS Marquette for injuries. The Hubbell woman was lodged at the Marquette County Jail on alcohol related charges after being medically cleared.

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5/22-23, 27-28		A Clinton couple was jailed unconstitutionally for ten days without bond and subsequently forced to wear tethers in a case of alleged abuse of their adopted children.	
5/26-28		Michigan State Police from the St. Ignace post are investigating a homicide that occurred in Mackinac County, just north of Hessel. A 34 year old female subject was taken into custody. Joelle Chamberlain has been charged with open murder and is being held without bond in the Mackinac County Jail.	
5/22-5/23		Attorney General Dana Nessel has announced that 41 year old Patricia Nash, a registered nurse, was charged with 2 counts of intentionally placing false information on a medical chart.	
5/19-5/21		28 year old Jamar Warren of Rochester Hills has been arraigned in 41B district court on charges of a false report ofr threat of terrorism and using a computer to commit a crime after he threatened a Macomb County Circuit Court Judge.	
5/4-5/5		A federal indictment was unsealed charging 3 Nigerian men with sexually extorting numerous young men and teenage boys in Michigan and across the U.S. charging one of them with causing the death of 17 year old Jordan Demay of Marquette.	
5/2-5/3		The former Flint Township Clerk, 59 year old Kathy Funk of Flint was sentenced in Genesee County Circuit Court April 25 th . Funk was sentenced to 2 years probation, 6 months of house arrest and tether compliance, a \$1000 dollar fine and \$1000 in court costs on one count of misconduct in office, to which she plead no contest.	
4/11-4/12		Six Colorado men have plead guilty to taking fish by an illegal method, stemming from an incident along the Manistee River in October 2022.	
4/10-4/11		Rick Johnson, former chair of the Michigan Medical Licensing Board and 3 others have agreed to plead guilty and cooperate in an ongoing investigation of bribery. Those charged include: 70 year old Rick Johnson of Leroy, 70 year old John Dalaly of West Bloomfield, 45 year old Brian Pierce of Midland and 32 year old Vincent Brown of Royal Oak.	
4/7-4/9		The Michigan State Police Computer Crimes Unit Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force announced the arrest of 49 year old Samuel Walter Numinous of Marquette for child sexually abusive material.	
4/6-4/7		34 year old Justin Larval of Kingsford was convicted on March 30 th as a habitual 4 th offender for the assault of a 7 year old girl. Hew has been previously registered as a sex offender.	

4/4-4/5 The Michigan State Police Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force has announced the arrest of 18 year old Tyler Lee Mason of Saint Ignace was charged with multiple counts of possession of child sexually abusive material, including one aggravated count, and using a computer to commit a crime.

Substance Abuse

News
Local
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5/15-5/16 Detectives from the Upper Peninsula Substance Enforcement Team concluded a year-long investigation with the arrest of a Baraga County man last week. The man was arrested for three counts of delivery of cocaine and one count of possession with the intent to deliver cocaine.

Government Issues

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6/28-6/29 A U. S. House Bill would create a standard of “Clear and Convincing Evidence” for federal asset forfeitures and would create the right to a government funded counsel for forfeiture targets who can’t afford a lawyer.

6/27-6/28 Citizens for Traditional Values announced that a house bill on institutional desecration is before lawmakers on destruction of property.

6/26-6/27 The Michigan House of Elections Committee approved to enroll Michigan in the national popular vote interstate compact.

6/23-6/25 House bills would require that prosecutors redact the addresses and telephone numbers of victims and witnesses when turning over discovery to the defense.

6/19-20, 24-25 A measure has been signed into law adding protections under the Elliott-Larson Civil Rights Act for women who choose to terminate a pregnancy.

6/22-6/23 On June 16th a Wisconsin federal court ordered En bridge Energy to shutter portions of Line 5 pipeline within 3 years and pay the tribe nearly \$5.2 million dollars for trespassing.

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6/22-6/23		Governor Whitmer has sent a letter to President Biden requesting a disaster declaration for the counties of Baraga, Gogebic, Iron, Marquette and Ontonagon, following assessment of damage to the area after flooding was caused by record snow melt.	
6/20-6/21		Attorney David Kallman has spoken out against legislation that amends Michigan's Ethnic Intimidation Law and expands it to criminalize hate speech and make hate speech a felony.	
6/19-6/20		A new law which takes effect July 1 st will allow for hands free technology and help make Michigan roads safer.	
6/16-6/18		Governor Whitmer has signed legislation allowing law enforcement agencies to enter into agreements to collect reimbursement for all or part of the cost of an employee's academy training, based on the length of service. If the employee voluntarily leaves employment with the agency within 4 years of completing academy training.	
6/12-13, 17-18		The Thomas More Law Center has filed a brief on a proposed rule change by the Michigan Supreme Court that would require all judges in Michigan to refer to all parties by their preferred personal pronouns.	
6/15-6/16		Governor Gretchen Whitmer has signed legislation expanding absentee voting for Michigan service members overseas.	
6/14-6/15		May revenues reflect sustainable tax relief for seniors, working families and the corporate income tax relief, exceeding expectations for the state.	
6/12-6/13		Michigan Attorney Nessel is calling on the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to clarify the federal rules requiring telemarketers to obtain consent between an individual consumer and one specific seller or business entity before making telemarketing robocalls and texts.	
6/9-6/11		Governor Whitmer has joined state officials and anti distracted driving leaders to sign 3 bills aimed at reducing distracted driving and saving lives by ensuring that drivers have their full attention on the road with the use of hands free technology.	
6/2-6/4		Governor Whitmer has appointed Brittany Bulleit to the 12 th circuit court for Baraga, Houghton and Keweenaw Counties. Bulleit is the Houghton County Prosecutor.	
5/29-30, 6/3-4		The Colorado Court of Appeals has again ruled against cake artist Jack Phillips for refusing to create a cake to celebrate a gender transition.	
5/30-5/31		The Michigan Department of Insurance and Financial Services (DIFS) has ordered the website of a fake bank to be taken down after	

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		issuing a temporary cease and desist order against an entity calling itself Ocean Wave Bank.	
5/24-5/25		The National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) voiced its disappointment and concern over the passage of Senate Bill 14, which would repeal a prohibition on state agencies promulgating rules stricter than those at the federal level without providing a rationale for such action.	
5/15-16, 20-21		The Abortion Civil Right Bill that could require employers pay for abortion surgery and leave time has been voted out of the House Judiciary Committee and was to go the House of Representatives for a vote.	
5/15-5/16		Marquette County Register of Deeds, Aidan McKindles, resigned her position effective on April 24 th , due to her resignation from Marquette County. The committee met and appointed Tonya Nelson as the new Register of Deeds for Marquette County.	
5/15-5/16		Flags were lowered to half-staff in recognition of Peace Officers Memorial Day.	
5/8-9, 13-14		Governor Whitmer has signed legislation mandating universal background checks for all firearms, and the safe storage of guns.	
5/12-5/14		the City of Houghton is taking on Walmart in a fight for justice and fairness.	
5/12-5/14		A new law spares organizations from having to go through the FBI to do background checks.	
5/10-5/11		Last month, Governor Whitmer declared a state of emergency in 8 U.P counties as floodwater damaged roads, bridges, utilities, homes, businesses and other infrastructure.	
5/10-5/11		Governor Whitmer has signed bipartisan legislation ensuring that absentee voter ballots from military and overseas voters are counted if received up to 6 days after an election.	
5/1-2, 6-7		People had been encouraged to comment in opposition to the Biden administration's proposal to remove religious protections from student college groups, and organizations being denied grants due to their religious faith.	
5/1-5/2		A state of emergency has been declared in eight Upper Peninsula counties due to rapid Spring snow melt which has caused flooding and damage in Western and Central Upper Michigan.	
4/24-25, 29-30		A bill by Senator Erika Geiss would add abortion to the Elliott-Larson Civil Rights Act, placing it on an equal footing with pregnancy.	

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4/25-26		A battle continues in the courts over the abortion drug Mifepristone.	
4/21-23		The 34 th annual U.S. Capitol Bible Reading Marathon began April 22 nd and will continue through Wednesday, April 26 th .	
4/19/420		Governor Whitmer activated the State Emergency Operation Center (SEOC) due to flooding caused by snow melt in several counties in the Upper Peninsula.	
4/19-4/20		Representatives of 51 tribes and first nations have presented a demand to the United Nations to call on Canada to end it's support for the Line 5 Pipeline.	
4/18-4/19		A new law sponsored by Linda Carter will restore prevailing wage in Michigan.	
4/17-4/18		Governor Whitmer signed two gun control bills last week that will establish universal background checks for all firearm purchases and safe storage requirements.	
4/17-4/18		On Friday, Governor Whitmer declared a state of emergency for Gogebic and Houghton Counties to help recovery following Spring flooding.	
4/10-11, 15-16		Representative James Desana voted no on gun laws that came before the State House.	
4/13-4/14		Rob Coppersmith, Executive Vice President of the Michigan Infrastructure & Transportation Association (MITA) issued a statement after passage of bi-partisan legislation that would allow for the placement of automated speed cameras in construction zones.	
4/13-4/14		Great Lakes Gun Control Rights is condemning a decision by Michigan Speaker of the House Joe Tate that no longer allows staff to carry weapons in self-defense in the State House building.	
4/12-4/13		Governor Whitmer released a statement after a ruling in the Alliance for Hippocratic Medicine vs FDA. A judge has suspended approval of the use of Mifepristone.	
4/12-4/13		State Treasurer Rachel Eubanks has announced the state income tax will decrease to 4.05% for 2023, The lowest tax rate since 2007.	
4/11-4/12		The Michigan Public Service Commission has authorized Upper Peninsula Power Company to raise customer rates by a total of \$10.8 million dollars after a settlement agreement was reached with all parties involved in the request.	
4/3-4, 8-9		The Democrat majority in Lansing is working quickly to repeal abortion laws in Michigan.	

4/6-4/7 On Wednesday, Governor Whitmer signed bi-partisan legislation repealing the 1931 law that had previously banned abortion.

Education

What's Happening
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5/31-6/13 MSU-UPREC Forage Field Day is Tuesday, June 13th.

5/20-6/19 Michigan State University Extension is now offering My Way to Wellness, ten video lessons. Classes are offered in two-month blocks, starting May 2023 through December 2023. Register any time from May 1 until June 19.

4/5-6/30 U.P. Teen Defensive Driving School is set for June 28th through June 30th.

News
Local
Hourly R.O.S. Basis

6/26-6/27 Benzie County school district parents reached out to Great Schools Initiative to file a complaint at the district level, for multiple violations of the sex education law in Michigan.

6/19-6/20 Representative Dave Prestin has introduced a bi-partisan plan to require Michigan schools to carry Narcan, a common medication used to counteract an Opioid induced overdose.

6/8-6/9 Michigan students will again benefit from the addition of 36 police officers trained in the teaching, educating and mentoring (TEAM) school liaison program.

6/1-6/2 As part of Michigan's 529 Awareness Week, families are encouraged to save with MET for their child's college education.

5/31-6/1 Earning a 4 year degree is one path toward a rewarding career. However, that path is not the only one available to aspiring professionals. Enrolling in a vocational program can provide students with the skills necessary to engage in high demand and well paying jobs, reports the Iron Mountain Kingsford Daily News.

5/17-5/18		Construction Connect wrapped up it's pilot program. The CCUP collaborated to develop a program that is skill based, labor and industry approved and directly linked to real workplace situations.	
5/9-5/10		In Marquette and Alger Counties voters supported a special education millage that will have a positive impact on all 12 public school districts and 1 public school academy in the 2 county area for the next 20 years.	
5/5-5/7		North Dickinson County school district maintains about 1,000 acres of school forest. Director of Support Services, Darrell Oman says those tracts generate revenue for the district through periodic tree harvests.	
4/26-4/27		Governor Whitmer is reminding high school seniors to complete the FAFSA by May 1 st to be given priority consideration for some State of Michigan financial aid programs.	
4/26-4/27		Great Schools Initiative (G.S.I.) has filed complaints on behalf of parents in Oakland County and Benzie school districts that are in violation of Michigan state laws surrounding sex education.	
4/7-4/9		Wayne State University has developed a program to help students who left with debt and no diploma, come back and finish what they started.	

Tourism

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6/14-6/23		A group of local singers and instrumentalists is presenting a Gaither-style, patriotic production called "Our Godly Heritage," Thursday, June 29 th and Friday, June 30 th at 7 pm CST at the Kingsford High School Auditorium.	
6/14-6/30		Skandia Community Day is on Saturday July 15 th .	
6/14-6/30		The City of Negaunee Fire Department is hosting the 128 th Annual Upper Peninsula Volunteer Firefighters Tournament July 28 th -30 th .	
6/6-6/23		Friends of the Ishpeming Carnegie Public Library will have a sale of used books on Friday, June 30 th .	

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	5/24-6/30	The Negaunee City Band concerts will start on Wednesday, June 14 th at 7:340 PM. The band will play weekly through August 9 th .	
	5/23-6/3	Copper Range Historical Museum in South Range will hold its Annual Open House on Saturday, June 3, from noon to 3 PM.	
News Local Hourly R.O.S. Basis	6/30-7/2	The Nature Conservancy has announced the closure of the snowmobile only portion of Trail #3 up to Brockway Mountain in the Keweenaw Heartlands to traffic for the summer.	
	6/23-6/25	The City of Negaunee announced the completion of its anticipated beach expansion project on Teal Lake.	
	6/20-6/21	Michigan Natural Resources Commission in Roscommon and the Michigan DNR approved the regularly scheduled 3 year duration of deer regulations, which will be in effect for the 2023, 2024 and 2025 hunting seasons.	
	6/16-6/18	As traffic picks up on the Mackinac Bridge with the traditional increase during the warmer season travel, so does the work required to maintain this engineering icon.	
	6/16-6/18	Summer in the Eastern Upper Peninsula draws many campers to the region, however this year could be challenging for some campers due to unexpected closure of 6 campgrounds in the Hiawatha National Forest. Brevoort Lake, Lake Michigan, Carp River, Monocle Lake, Soldier Lake and Bay View campgrounds are all closed.	
	6/15-6/16	The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District has identified Little Lake Harbor, located near Newberry, as a critical need for dredging due to significant shoaling and shoreline flooding.	
	6/9-6/11	An underutilized property in Republic Township will soon be transformed into a high quality 18 hole Disc Golf Course.	
	6/9-6/11	The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) encourages everyone to take advantage of “3 Free” weekend on Saturday June 10 th and Sunday, June 11 th . Its 2 full days when Michigan residents and out of state visitors can grab a fishing rod, ride the off road trails and visit state parts, boating access sites and other outdoor locations all free of charge.	
	6/7-6/8	The Department of Technology, Management, and Budget has begun the search for the 2023 Michigan Christmas tree.	

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6/6-6/7		The “Bring Back Calumet Initiative” is underway. It’s a collaborative effort to rehabilitate and revitalize many of the historic buildings in the Village of Calumet.	
5/30-5/31		The Mackinac Bridge toll collector, Pat Rigley is leaving the booth. For just short of 30 years, he has served as an ambassador of sorts at the Mackinac Bridge. Rigley holds the record for the most vehicles processed in an hour with 489 vehicles served.	
5/26-5/28		This Memorial Day weekend, Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is moving orange barrels to the side of the road and removing lane restrictions on road and bridge projects statewide to ease traffic delays for holiday travelers.	
5/19-5/21		A pair of Peregrine Falcons has returned to the Sault Ste. Marie International Bridge.	
4/28-4/30		The Michigan Department of Natural Resources has recognized 2023 Pure Michigan Hunt winner, which included one Upper Peninsula man, reports the Iron Mountain Kingsford Daily News.	
4/28-4/30		The Mackinac Island Transportation Committee deemed 3 proposals for winter ferry service submitted by Shepler’s Ferry Company and Mackinac Island Ferry Company inadequate to meet the standards of the City’s 2021 ferryboat franchise.	
4/27-4/28		The U. S. Coast Guard Sector Sault Ste. Marie and local agencies will be conducting an emergency response training exercise in Charlevoix and Beaver Island on Friday, April 28 th and Saturday April 29 th .	
4/20-4/21		Coast Guard Sector Sault Ste. Marie concluded “Operation Taconite” the Coast Guard’s largest domestic ice breaking operation on April 9 th .	
4/21-4/23		Governor Whitmer recently announced the “Fresh Coast Maritime Challenge,” a first of its kind program in the United States, that puts Michigan at the forefront of sustainable maritime transportation including recreational boating activities, marina innovation, as well as commercial activities on the Great Lakes.	
4/12-4/13		The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has updated it’s state forest road maps.	
4/7-4/9		Two historic U.P. Lighthouses will make progress on long-term preservation efforts. The Rock of Ages Lighthouse Preservation Society will use a contractor to rehabilitate the 132-foot-tall structure by cleaning and painting the exterior. The Keweenaw County Historical Society will hire a contractor to rehabilitate the Eagle Harbor Lighthouse tower.	

4/7-4/9	Spring turkey licenses remain available for an Upper Peninsula hunt that begins April 22 nd .
4/5-4/6	The Marquette County Board voted unanimously on March 21 st to change the name of Sawyer International airport to Marquette Sawyer Regional Airport.

Needs of the Elderly

Focus on the Family
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4/18-4/19	Jim Burns provides hope for your marriage, your friendships, and your future as you seek to pursue the next calling God has on your life in the empty nest years.
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Employment/
Unemployment

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Hourly R.O.S. Basis

6/29-6/30	The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate edged down by 1/10th of a percentage point to 3.7% between April and May.
5/3-5/4	Michigan workers will have a hard time taking advantage of Michigan's recent tax cut since the Michigan Department of Treasury says it will not be updating the current schedules to reflect the tax cut. Employers can try to figure out the lower withholding amounts on their own, but if they do not withhold enough, they are subject to penalties.
4/24-4/25	Governor Whitmer issued a statement showing the unemployment rate fell to 4.1% in March and the labor force increased by 10,000.
4/24-4/25	In January, the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) proposed the non-compete clause rule, which would bar employers from preventing workers from working for or establishing a competing business within a certain time period after leaving a job.

Environment

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Hourly R.O.S. Basis

- 6/12-6/13 Urban wood is a new concept in using wood from trees that are brought down for reasons other than their wood value.
- 6/3-3/5 The Mackinaw Straights Corridor Authority will be meeting on Monday, June 5th regarding the progress of the Line 5 Pipeline.
- 5/5-5/7 Cargo ships that sail rather than use fuel may be on the horizon.
- 5/3-5/4 The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers says it has delayed the construction of the Enbridge Line 5 tunnel an additional 1½ years due to receiving too many comments.
- 5/1-5/2 Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) personnel are anticipating they will soon be able to continue to search for the source of an unregulated water supply near a roadside access point in Greenland Township.

Economy

News
Local
Hourly R.O.S. Basis

- 6/5-6/6 Governor Whitmer announced a new dairy processing facility in Southwest Michigan that will support the agriculture industry.
- 5/22-5/23 Lasco Development Corporation has announced a strategic partnership with Peninsula Fiber Network. The partnership between the two Marquette-based companies will offer comprehensive network services to Lasco’s customers and partners.
- 5/2-5/3 The Port of Monroe will become the first port in Michigan to build a container terminal.
- 5/1-5/2 Cleveland-Cliffs has reported first quarter results for the period ending March 31,2023. First quarter 2023 revenues of \$5.3 billion were up compared to \$5.0 billion in the fourth quarter of 2022.
- 4/28-4/30 The M.E.D.C. granted “Match on Main” grants. Two projects in the U.P. were given grants. Velodrome Coffee in Marquette received a \$25,000 grant. Another \$25,000 grant was given to Bird’s Eye Outfitters in Sault Ste. Marie.

4/18-4/19	A vacant building in downtown Calumet is to become a mixed-use development, including the home of a locally-owned cooperative “Frozen Farms.”
4/14-4/16	Billerud has temporarily idled its Escanaba paper mill for up to three weeks as a precautionary measure due to a Blastomycosis fungal infection outbreak.
4/12-4/13	The Michigan Strategic Fund awarded McClellan Realty a \$1.5 million dollar grant for the project that will turn an abandoned building in downtown Sault Ste. Marie into retail space and apartments.
4/3-4/4	The Michigan Department of Treasury has announced that more than \$59.5 million is being distributed among 224 municipalities and counties as part of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marijuana Act.
4/3-4/1	A major construction project scheduled to begin this fall at the Mackinac Bridge is being restructured, according to the St. Ignace News.

Needs of Young People

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5/3	Jon and Dawn Stone advocate for supporting these children through foster care.
4/17	Scarlet Hiltibidal will help educate parents about the beauty and body obsessed mindset that many teen girls adopt.
6/2-6/4	Women’s health needs change as they age, but one group that is often overlooked is adolescents. Michigan parents are urged to check in with their teens regarding physical and mental healthcare.
5/18-5/19	The Michigan Department of Treasury reminds young adults who have experienced foster care on or after their 13 th birthday they are eligible to apply for a scholarship from the “Fostering Futures Scholarship Trust Fund.”