June 23, 1982

The Marquette County Board of Commissioners met as a Committee of the Whole on June 23, 1982 at 10:15 P.M. in the Commissioners Room of the Courthouse Annex.

Chairperson Racine called the meeting to order, roll was called by Henry A. Skewis, County Clerk and the following roll was recorded: Present: Comm. Carlson, Juidici, LaMere, LaPin, Leone, Lowe, May, Steele, Villeneuve and Racine.
Excused: Comm. Farrell.

Chairperson Racine opened the meeting for public comment, none was forthcoming and Chairperson Racine declared the public comment section closed.

Approval of the agenda was by the general concensus of the County Board of Commissioners.

Comm. Leone gave a report on the Commission on Aging meeting he attended. He stated that he became aware of a program now in use in the county wherein emergency monitors have been issued to fifteen county persons who have physical problems. With these monitors the person, if in an emergency situation may request immediate help for himself/herself from a first responder team in the area. If a first responder team is not available then help will arrive from the local police department or any police unit in the area. Mr. Leone stated that this program is successful in other areas of the county. The master monitoring unit is at Bell Memorial Hospital and the program is funded in part by the Bell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. They have received requests for additional units that cost in the neighborhood of $400.00 each but money is not available at this time.

Comm. Villeneuve stated that he needs an alternate for himself on the AM/CAB Board, and asked the County Board to make the appointment in the near future.

Comm. Lowe reported that weather conditions may hold up the installation of Central Dispatch expansion equipment, and this is causing some concern over the order in which things should be done.

Comm. LaPin reported that at the EMS council meeting he had learned of the results of a questionnaire sent out by EMS that deals with ambulance service. Results are available from EMS.

It was reported that there are some problems in the change over from EDC I to EDC II in regard to money left over in EDC I. This matter will be resolved in the future, but there may be a need to mediate this problem.

Duane Beard, Controller reported that the Offender Aid Restoration has been given a new lease on life with the donation of $1,100.00 as reported by Sue Gagnon, director of OAR.

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

Respectfully Submitted,

Henry A. Skewis
County Clerk
1. Meeting Called to Order.
2. Roll Call by the Clerk.
3. Salute to the Flag and Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Public Comment.
5. Approval of the Agenda.
6. Robert Heiwig, UPTRA, will present an update on tourism in the area.
7. Progress Toward Objectives/Standing Committee Reports:
   a. Environment, Lands and Buildings Committee.
   b. Executive Committee.
   c. Finance Committee.
   d. Intergovernmental Relations Committee.
   e. Personnel Committee.
8. Community Boards/Commissions:
   a. Board of County Institutions.
   b. County Commission on Aging.
   c. Six County Consortium.
   d. Alger-Marquette Community Action Board.
   e. Central Dispatch Policy Board.
   f. CUPPAD Criminal Justice Committee.
   g. OEDP Committee.
   h. UPTRA.
   i. County EMS Council.
   j. EDC of the County of Marquette.
   k. Solid Waste Planning Committee.
   l. Region XI Area Agency on Aging.
   m. OAR/Marquette.
   n. MAC Committees.
10. Announcements.
11. Public Comment.