



# CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA MARCH 21, 2017

Marc D. Tall, Mayor  
Ronald J. Beauchamp, Mayor Pro-Temp  
Patricia A. Baribeau, Council Member  
Ralph B. Blasier, Council Member  
Michael R. Satterm, Council Member

James V. O'Toole, City Manager  
Robert S. Richards, CMC City Clerk  
Ralph B. K. Peterson, City Attorney

City Council Chambers located at: City Hall – 410 Ludington Street – Room C101 – Escanaba MI 49829

The Council has adopted a policy to use a Consent Agenda, when appropriate. All items with an asterisk (\*) are considered routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council Member or citizen so requests, in which event, the item will be removed from the General Order of Business and considered in its normal sequence on the Agenda.

## CITY MANAGER INTERVIEWS – MARCH 21, 2017

CALL TO ORDER  
ROLL CALL

### City Manager Interviews

#### **6:00 p.m. Darcy Long of Amery, Wisconsin.**

**Background:** Mr. Long served as the City Administrator/Zoning Administrator in Amery, WI (since 2008). His background includes experience in budgeting, financial management, public works and utility management, planning and zoning administration and economic development. Mr. Long attained a Bachelor's of Science – Political Science Degree from Lake Superior State University, a Masters of Public Administration from Northern Michigan University and is a Certified Public Manager from Texas Tech University.

#### **6:45 p.m. William Yost of L'Anse, Michigan.**

**Background:** Mr. Yost is the owner/manager of Flat Fish USA which is a manufacturer and distributor of water filters. Mr. Yost's background includes experience in municipal management serving communities such as the Village of Lake Odessa, MI, City of Iron River, MI, City of Stambaugh, MI and the Village Manager of Baraga, MI. Mr. Yost attained a Bachelor's of Science Degree from Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI and an Associate Degree of Technology in Computer-Aided Drafting and Design from Gogebic Community College, Ironwood, MI.

#### **7:30 p.m. Jeff Thornton of Negaunee, Michigan.**

**Background:** Mr. Thornton most recently served as the City Manager of Negaunee, MI from March 2011 to February 2016. Mr. Thornton's background includes experience in budgeting and financial planning, labor negotiations, electrical power planning, public works and utility management, planning and zoning administration and has been an active member in the Michigan Municipal League Board of Trustees, and the Upper Peninsula Municipal Managers Association. Mr. Thornton has attended the Alpena Community College, Michigan State University, Lansing Community College and the Disney Institute.

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT  
ANNOUNCEMENTS  
ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully Submitted

James V. O'Toole  
City Manager



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STATE OF MICHIGAN

NOTICE OF CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a special meeting will be conducted by the **Escanaba City Council on March 21, 2017, at 6:00 p.m., City Hall, Room C101, 410 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan.** The purpose of the meeting is to conduct City Manager interviews, and/or act on any other items to be brought up by Council.

**March 21, 2017 6:00 p.m., City Hall, Room C101**

This notice is given in accordance with Act 267 of the 1976 Public Acts of State of Michigan and Chapter II, Section 5, of the Escanaba City Charter. The City of Escanaba will provide necessary, reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon five (5) days notice to the City of Escanaba. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the City of Escanaba by writing or calling the below named City Clerk. Public notice will be given regarding any changes of the above meeting.

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