

KEWEENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
SPECIAL MEETING  
December 6, 2019

A special meeting was held on Friday, December 6, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Courthouse in Eagle River, MI and began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The following commissioners were present: Jim Vivian, Del Rajala and Don Piche. Absent: Sandy Gayk, Bob DeMarois.

This meeting was posted on the door of the Courthouse and on the County website. The meeting was called for the Board to approve of the hiring of the maintenance/custodian position. Each Board member had the opportunity to come in and to review the 51 applications in order to have their say on who should be interviewed. Interviews of five candidates were completed on Monday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>. Rajala and Piche did the interviews and both chose to bring forth Mark Niemela as the candidate for the Board for hire.

Motion by Piche supported by Vivian and unanimously carried to approve hiring Mark Niemela at the amount set by the union contract effective January 1, 2020.

Motion by Rajala to adjourn at 10:12 a.m.

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Donald Piche, Chairman

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Julie A. Carlson, County Clerk