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### **MARQUETTE HIRES ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER**

The City of Marquette is proud to announce the appointment of Kyle Whitney as the new Assistant City Manager.

Kyle joins staff after spending nearly three years working for The Mining Journal, where he served most recently as the publication's local government correspondent. His knowledge of regional issues, interest in local government, and communications skills will greatly enhance broad public engagement and transparency as required by the Marquette City Charter.

Prior to joining The Mining Journal in early 2011, Kyle graduated from Northern Michigan University with a degree in English, and spent a year in Beijing, China, working as copy editor for a weekly English-language news magazine. While at NMU, he was also the Editor-in-Chief of the student newspaper, The North Wind.

"After living in the area for the better part of a decade, I am very much looking forward to working for the City of Marquette," he said. "I am excited to get to work and to do everything in my power to support the city staff and to further engage the Marquette community."

Kyle's first day on the job was Sept. 16.

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