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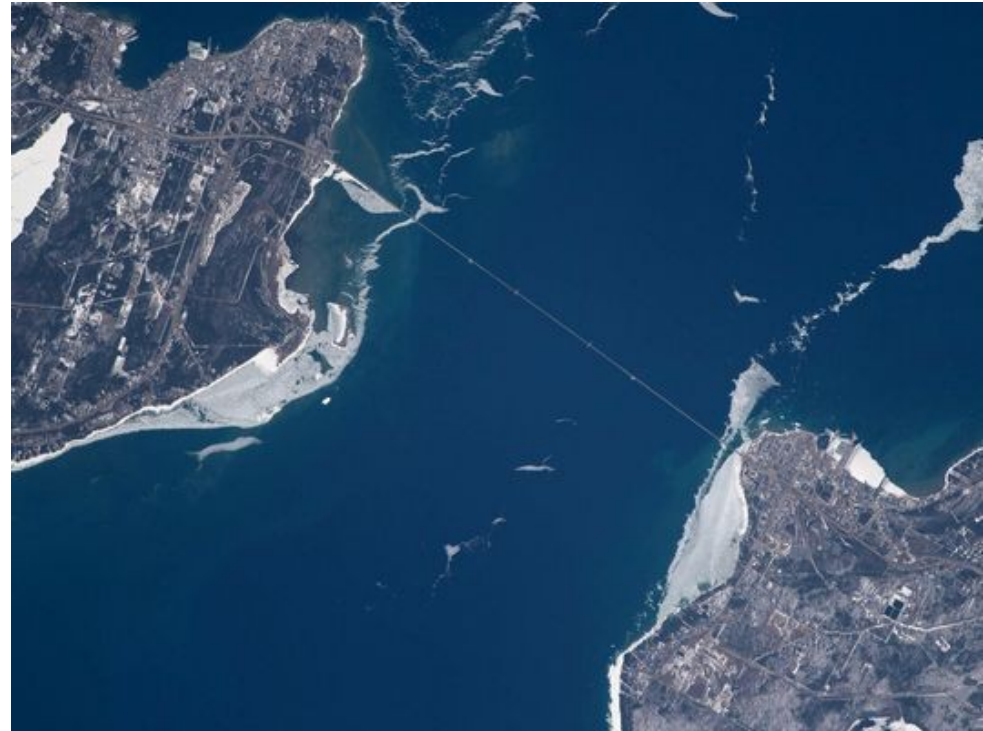
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# UPACC Spring Conference

**May 10 & 11, 2018  
Island Resort & Casino  
Harris, MI**



The Mackinac Bridge from the International Space Station on April 18, 2018. St. Ignace is at the top of the photo and Mackinaw City is at the bottom (Photo: International Space Station)



**Matt Wiese**  
**Marquette County Prosecuting Attorney**



Matt Wiese received his BS from Northern Michigan University, and his JD from Vermont Law School. Mr. Wiese served as an assistant prosecuting attorney during 1987-1997 and 2002-2012. He was elected as the Prosecuting Attorney for Marquette County, Michigan, in 2012.

Throughout his career in prosecution, he has specialized in prosecuting domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, and other crimes of personal violence. From 1997-1999, he worked as a civilian contractor with the United States Marine Corps, Coordinated Community Response to Domestic Violence Project, and as a staff attorney with the Battered Women's Justice Project.

From 1999-2002 Matt was the Associate Dean of Students at Northern Michigan University where he served as the judicial affairs officer and the Americans with Disabilities Act coordinator.

**Khadija Swims**  
**Senior Community Health Consultant**  
**Michigan Public Health Institute**



Khadija K. Swims is a Senior Community Health Consultant at Michigan Public Health Institute (MPHI), where she works primarily on the Michigan Child Death Review Program, a project that focuses on injury prevention. While she is new to the Medical Examiner Workgroup Project, Khadija brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to the project thanks to her work with numerous Medical Examiners across the state.

Khadija is currently on the MPHI Institutional Review Board and has served as an Evaluator for the Strong Start Healthy Start Home Visiting Program. Khadija has been a Domestic Foster Care Case Manager with Lutheran Social Services of Michigan, a Public Policy Fellow with Public Sector Consultants, and a Kent County Court Appointed Special Advocate. Khadija is passionate about advocating for the rights of children involved in the child welfare system, juvenile justice policy, and reforming the criminal justice system.

In 2007 Khadija was awarded the Master of Public Administration degree, and in 2016 a Juris Doctor degree and was the valedictorian speaker for her class.



**Eryn Hurley**  
**Associate Legislative Director of**  
**Human Services & Education**  
**NACo**

Eryn Hurley staffs NACo's Human Services and Education Policy Steering Committee. She previously served as a Legislative Assistant at NACo.

Eryn graduated from Denison University in 2014 with B.A.s in Environmental Studies and Women's Studies. Prior to joining NACo, Eryn worked as an Environmental Policy Intern at the Accord Group, where she prepared reports for corporate clients, researched and analyzed new technologies to promote sustainability and support public health and reported on various Congressional and Senate hearings.

**Sheriff Gregory Zyburt**  
**Marquette County**



Sheriff Greg Zyburt has 38 years of law enforcement experience. Prior to taking office as Sheriff on January 1, 2017, he was the Chief of Police in Chocoday Township for 32 years. Prior to that, he worked as a patrolman in the former Mid-Township Police Department. His early experience with body-worn cameras led to an invitation to testify before a White House criminal justice panel in 2015 and to serve as a Department of Justice consultant. In 2000, Sheriff Zyburt supplemented his training by graduating from the FBI National Academy in Quantico, Virginia.

During his career, Sheriff Zyburt has served on many Law Enforcement Boards/Committees and continues to do so as Sheriff. He has also been very active in community service over the years and is still an active member of the Critical Incident Stress Management Team, Marquette Area Public Schools District Crisis Team and Salvation Army Executive Board.

**Lynn Johnson**  
**Crisis Service Supervisor**  
**Pathways**



Lynn Johnson is a Limited License Psychologist in Marquette, Michigan with 27 years of mental health experience. He has been providing crisis services in clinic and hospital settings throughout his career.

Mr. Johnson is currently the Crisis Services Supervisor at Pathways CMH and coordinator of the Jail Diversion Pilot Program grant.

Thursday, May 10, 2018

**\*\* Please note all times are Eastern Daylight Time \*\***

12:15 p.m. **Registration**

1:00 p.m. **Call to Order**

**John Waltman**, UPACC Vice President  
Pledge of Allegiance

1:05 p.m. **Human Trafficking Awareness 101**

**Marlene Mottes**, Victim's Advocate  
US Department of Justice

1:50 p.m. **MERS Update**

**Leon Hank**, CFO  
Municipal Employees Retirement System

2:30 p.m. **Break**

2:45 p.m. **Opioids & Their Impact on Local Government**

**Eryn Hurley**, Assoc. Legislative Director  
Human Services & Education ~ NACO

3:30 p.m. **Michigan's Medical Examiner System Update**

**Khadija Swims**, Senior Community  
Health Consultant  
Michigan Public Health Institute

4:15 p.m. **Mental Health Jail Diversion Alternative ~ Panel Discussion**

**Sheriff Gregory Zyburt**, Marquette County  
**Matt Wiese**, Marquette County Prosecutor  
**Lynn Johnson**, Crisis Services Supervisor  
Pathways

## Thursday, May 10, 2018 cont.

5:00 p.m. **Hospitality Hour**

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6:00 p.m. **Dinner**

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## Friday, May 11, 2018

8:15 a.m. **Breakfast**

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9:00 a.m. **MAC Update & Legislator Forum**

10:30 a.m. **UPACC Business Meeting**

- Treasurer's Report
- Approval of 2017 Fall Meeting Minutes
- Election of Officer / Legislative Committee Appointees
- Commissioner Comments/Resolutions
- New Business/Old Business
- Public Comment
- Future Conference Dates

***October 18 - 19, 2018***

***May 9 - 10, 2019***

***October 10 - 11, 2019***



**Marlene F. Mottes**  
**Victim's Advocate**  
**UP Department of Justice**

Ms. Mottes, was formerly an at-home mom for 10 years, enjoyed raising her 3 children and being actively involved in her Iron County, MI, community in which she was named "Community Minded Women of the Year" in 1994.

Marlene spent 11 years as the Crime Victim's Rights Coordinator for the Iron County Prosecuting Attorney's office and Victim Services Program Coordinator for the Volunteer Victim Advocate Program she developed for the Iron County Sheriff's Department. During this time, she was named by Senator Carl Levin as the "Crime Fighting Mom of the Year" in 2003.

In 2005, Marlene exited the criminal justice system to take the position of 4K-12 School Counselor/Dean of Students at the Beecher Dunbar Pembine School District in Pembine, Wisconsin, until March of 2017. She continued to be actively involved in Victim Services as a volunteer and board member for the Caring House, Inc. in Iron Mountain.

Eventually Marlene found her way back into Victim Services in 2017 for a position with the Department of Justice, US Attorney's Office Western District of Michigan as a Victim Advocate handling all victim crimes with special time and consideration dedicated to Indian Country Victim issues and prevention and awareness teaming with UP providers including Indian Country. In this new role, Marlene was asked to assist with several initiatives including the Human Trafficking Task Force re-development, Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Programs (SANE), and Opioid education and prevention campaign. She is currently the UPHTTF Group Leader/Administrator.

**Leon E. Hank**  
**CFO**  
**Municipal Employees Retirement System**



Since 2011, Leon E. Hank has served as the Chief Financial Officer of the Municipal Employees Retirement System (MERS) of Michigan where he is responsible for overseeing the MERS finance, IT, and actuarial services.

Leon served as a State of Michigan employee for 34 years, where he held four of the state's top financial management positions under Governors Blanchard, Engler, Granholm, and Snyder.

In 2001, Leon won two of the top national awards for Excellence in Government Finance Leadership. In 2007, he won Michigan's Technology Leadership award given by Government Technology magazine. Leon holds a MBA degree from MSU, a finance degree from CMU, and he is a certified public accountant.