

Quality of Life

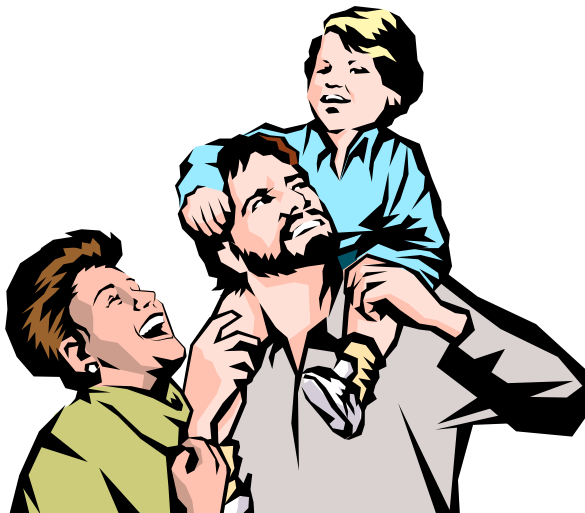
Many Americans dream of living in a place where it is safe to raise a family, where there is a sense of community, where cultural and recreational opportunities are abundant, diverse, and affordable.

Nestled on the northwest shore of Lake Michigan, Delta County offers 211 miles of freshwater shoreline, the longest of any county in the U.S., and hundreds of thousands of acres of State and National forests. Fishing, hunting, hiking, boating, golf, skiing, snowmobiling, and other outdoor activities are high on the list of things to do.

Cultural and other indoor activities are available, including an arts center hosting fine arts, music and dramatic art productions, and a range of craft guilds. There are a number of fine restaurants, movie theaters, libraries, the annual State Fair, and a casino within a few minutes drive of downtown Escanaba.

Quality also includes medical services. St. Francis Hospital offers a full range of in-patient and outpatient services, including a 24-hour physician staffed emergency department. Skilled nursing care facilities, hospice, assisted living, and home health care are also available in the community.

Delta County is people devoted to maintaining a neighborhood where families can grow and prosper, where children develop a sense of the importance of schools, environment, and family. It's just the place you've been dreaming of.



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MEDICAL FACILITIES



OSF St. Francis Hospital, which is fully accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organization (JCAHO), is a 110 bed facility owned and operated by OSF Healthcare System of Peoria, Illinois, one of the largest not-for-profit health care systems in the country with facilities in Illinois, Iowa and Michigan. In 1986, the hospital constructed a new acute care facility in Escanaba situated on 82 wooded acres. In 1995, an attached medical office building was constructed, and in 2000, an 11-unit kidney dialysis center was built on the hospital campus.

OSF St. Francis Hospital is the third-largest employer in Delta County. Over 580 employees collectively strive to fulfill a mission to provide quality health care services to the people they serve. More than 85 physicians on active and consulting staff provide over 26 specialties. Active staff physician specialties include Orthopedic Surgery, Family Practice, Pathology, Emergency Medicine, General Surgery, Anesthesia, Internal Medicine, Ophthalmology, Radiology, Ear, Nose, and Throat Surgery, Obstetrics/Gynecology, Podiatry, Pediatrics, Urology, Pulmonology, Critical Care Medicine, Geriatrics, Gastroenterology, Sleep Disorders, Neurology, Oncology, Nephrology, and Cardiovascular Services.

The Emergency Services Department is staffed 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, with physicians and nurses, all of whom are certified in Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS).

The Medical/Surgical Unit is an adult and pediatric inpatient floor that provides individual, holistic nursing care. Quiet, private and semiprivate rooms are staffed with highly skilled professional nurses.

The Ambulatory Care Unit serves patients on an outpatient basis for purposes such as pre-operative visits, same day care surgery, endoscopic procedures, chemotherapy, and blood transfusions.

The Obstetrics Department is designed for individual, personalized attention, where the overall focus is not only on the mother and newborn baby, but on the family. Childbirth Realities and Developing Life Education (C.R.A.D.L.E.) classes, Infant CPR, and breastfeeding classes are offered through the staff of this department.

The Rehabilitation Services Department is staffed with physical and occupational therapists and two certified athletic trainers. The department is equipped with state-of-the-art rehabilitation equipment including CYBEX equipment and offers work hardening, functional capacity evaluations, isotonic and isokinetic testing, return-to-work, and educational programs.

A ten-bed Special Care Unit specializes in the care of critically ill medical and surgical patients. This unit, which contains cardiac monitoring equipment, is staffed with nurses who have been specially

trained to care for these seriously ill patients.

OSF Home Care extends the quality of hospital care into the patient's own home environment. This full-service agency offers nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, hospice services and a Maternal and Infant Support program.

Other specialties within OSF St. Francis Hospital include laboratory, respiratory therapy, medical imaging, lightspeed CT scanning capabilities, mammography, ultrasound, social services, pastoral care, volunteer services and diabetic education. In 2006, St. Francis Hospital opened a new Cardiac Diagnostic Center, featuring specialists from OSF and Upper Michigan Cardiovascular Associates.

OSF St. Francis Hospital is also committed to education. Through programs with Bay College, Northern Michigan University, Michigan State University, Ferris State University and other academic institutes, OSF offers a training site for nurses, medical students and other students in various health occupations.

OTHER HEALTH SERVICES:

Nearest regional medical center: Marquette (65 miles)

Extended care facilities: 4, total beds: 307

(Bishop Noa 906-786-5810, Christian Park Center 906-786-6907, Christian Park Village 906-786-0408, North Woods Assisted Living 906-789-2402, Lakeview Assisted Living 906-428-7000)

Physicians (MDs and DOs) in County: 45 plus 20 who practice in the County (visiting specialists).

Home health care providers:

1. Apria Home Health Care 789-1303
1323 Ludington St., Escanaba
2. Bay Shore Home Nursing 789-1284
2805 N. Lincoln Road, Escanaba
3. Great Lakes Home Medical 789-0692 or
3011 Danforth Road, Escanaba 789-0828
4. Marquette General Home Health & Hospice 789-1305
Doctor's Park, Suite 105, Escanaba
5. OSF Home Health Care and Bay de Noc Hospice 786-3915
3409 Ludington Street, Escanaba
6. North Woods Home Nursing and Hospice 789-2402
301 N. Lincoln Road, Escanaba

Dentists in Delta County: 21 (includes 1 orthodontist, 1 oral/maxillo-facial surgeon, 1 implantologist, and 1 periodontist)
Optometrists/Ophthalmologists in Delta County: 13

Source: OSF St. Francis Hospital, December, 2005

CHURCHES

Catholic	8
Protestant	56
Other	4



RECREATION - ATTRACTIONS - EVENTS

General:

Delta County is the crossroads of Michigan's Upper Peninsula. See historic Fayette Village, visit the William Bonifas Fine Arts Center, or try your hand at the finest walleye fishing in the world. For those who love the outdoors, Delta County offers extensive forests and wetlands, with over 200 miles of shoreline along the Bays de Noc at the head of Lake Michigan's Green Bay. For those who prefer the indoors, theater productions, art classes, gallery and musical offerings are regularly available.

Delta County offers a variety of lifestyles, from remote rural settings surrounded by woods, to affordable lakefront homes and in-town neighborhoods where schools, museums, and theaters are a short walk away.

The climate, much milder than the rest of the Upper Peninsula, invites outdoor activities year-round. Swimming, camping, hiking, tennis, volleyball or golf are widely available during summer. Autumn brings hunting season and spectacular color. All along the roadways, the woods burst into a glorious display of red, gold, yellow, and orange. In winter, visitors and residents alike enjoy cross-country skiing, ice skating, hockey, snowmobiling, and ice fishing on the Bays de Noc. Springtime runoff brings excitement to canoeing and canoe races. Any time of year is a good time to walk in Delta County, whether it's beaches, hiking trails, or the YMCA-sponsored indoor walking at the mall.

Delta County is home to a community of people who know how to work together to accomplish dreams. Here, work, home and recreation can be only minutes apart. Even when there's a drive from the country to work each day, the commute is relaxing and picturesque. Traffic jams are unknown. The pace is comfortable; the environment clean, casual and safe. Opportunities and services of cities much larger are available in an atmosphere of small-town friendliness.

Outdoor Activities:

Escanaba has 412 acres of parks within the City; Gladstone has over 500 acres of parks within its boundaries. Additional state parks and roadside parks are nearby, plus thousands of acres of national forest land.

Mile-long Ludington Park in Escanaba, which includes Aronson Island, is located on Little Bay de Noc. It offers a beach with lifeguards and bathhouse facilities, lighted tennis courts, picnic areas, Harbor Hideout playground designed by the children in Escanaba, an 18 station self-guided fitness circuit, a bicycle path, and boat ramp. Fishing is permitted on the municipal dock, a specially built accessible pier, and in the Sand Point area adjacent to the park.

You can play on the sand volleyball court or the softball diamond. On Wednesday nights during the summer, listen to the band concerts, and watch the full moon rise over the Bay.

A summer program for children operated by the William Bonifas Fine Arts Center, Art in the Park, visits many Delta County parks through the summer, engaging children in artistic activities.

Van Cleve Park in Gladstone offers a large sandy beach with lifeguards, bathhouse, diving platform, and picnic area. The residents of Gladstone worked together to build a wonderful fantasyland castle playground on the park grounds. The Gladstone Yacht Harbor is next to the park. A boat launch is available. Sailing lessons in small prams are available during the summer.

Canoe enthusiasts head for the Escanaba, Whitefish, Sturgeon, and Ford Rivers. The Escanaba River offers its best canoeing in the spring. It is a wide river that cuts through limestone beds. Canoe the Whitefish River from the end of April through the end of June for the best canoeing on this 28-mile route. Choose from one hour to eight hour lengths on the east or west branch of the river.



The Sturgeon River flows slowly through 41 miles of National Forest and turns into rapids. Six access points lie along the river. The Ford River is best during spring, flowing under bridges, past farmlands, uninhabited islands, and homes and camps surrounded by forest as it nears the bay.

Enjoy scuba diving off shipwrecks at Escanaba and the islands near Nahma where the remains of logging history can be seen.

Boating enthusiasts find excellent docking facilities at the Escanaba Municipal Yacht Harbor, Fayette State Park, and Gladstone Yacht Harbor as well as many other launching sites as they fish for northern pike, perch, splake, smallmouth bass, and walleye.

Fishing is a year-round sport in Delta County, with its 514 miles of riv-

ers, 148 inland lakes, the Bays de Noc, and Green Bay. Charter boats take you out for half, full-day, or overnight trips on Big Bay de Noc, Little Bay de Noc, or Green Bay waters for lake trout, salmon and walleye.



Rapid River has reclaimed its title of Walleye Capitol of the World with the Department of Natural Resources stocking the waters of Delta County. In summer, champion fishers from the Masters Walleye Circuit pull in upwards of 30 pounds of this favorite fish per team.

The many rivers and streams offer especially good fishing for brook trout.

As soon as the ice is strong enough, ice fishing shanties blossom overnight all over the best lake waters, and anglers pull in more lake fish.

September and October bring the fall color season. Each country road offers unique, breathtaking views of gold, red, yellow, and orange, splashed against the dark evergreens, with a picture-perfect backdrop of cliffs, blue lakes, or rivers.

After the color season comes hunting season. Deer, bear, ruffed grouse and rabbits are found on one million acres of hunting lands in the Hiawatha National Forest. Delta County is one of the best locations for whitetail deer hunting in the state.



Black bear are found in heavy forest cover near fall feeding sources. Ruffed grouses frequent aspen stands along the sides of streams, in lowland areas and the edges of uplands.

Waterfowl hunters find ducks and Canada geese on wetlands specially preserved and maintained for this purpose, on river mouths and lake shorelines. Check hunting regulations when purchasing your license.

Many miles of trails provide excellent wilderness hiking. You can take a short hike along shoreline ridges, hunt for limestone fossils, or view lighthouses, hardwood forest, and Fayette State Park's historic townsite, a ghost town which was a thriving iron smelting town in the not-too-distant past. Or walk along 40 miles of ancient Chippewa Indian portage route from Lake Michigan to Lake Superior, following a ridge overlooking the Whitefish River basin that runs from Rapid River to Munising.



If you don't want to hike the 40 miles, you can do it on horseback. Camping and water are available along the trail. Other shorter wooded farm trails also provide horseback riding enjoyment.

Camping sites are plentiful throughout the county, from primitive to the most modern.

If you like golf, Delta County is a dream come true, with six 18-hole and three 9-hole golf courses, and 1 miniature golf course - all offering a variety of terrain. All of these courses except one 9-hole course are within a 10-minute drive of Escanaba. The public is welcome to play at all of them, and visitors will find that green fees are quite moderate. With all this, and the low population, you won't have to wait long for a tee time!



Cross-country skiers choose from nine miles of trails through evergreen forests along the Day's River between Gladstone and Rapid River, almost eight miles of cedar ridges and hardwood hills within Escanaba city limits, over seven miles in historic Fayette State Park, or eight miles of red pine stands and cedar groves in the Hiawatha National Forest in Rapid River.



The Gladstone Sports Park offers downhill skiing with T-bar and four rope tows. The park has three runs; the longest is 1000 feet long. The vertical drop is 110 feet. A tube run has been added which is popular with youngsters. Instruction, snow making, night skiing, eating facilities, and snowboarding are also available.



Ice skaters make use of the two indoor rinks at the Wells Sports Complex, and many area parks have outdoor ice rinks during the winter.

Snowmobiling is a big sport in the Upper Peninsula. Two groomed trails, the Felch Grade Trail and the Nahma Grade Trail, pass through Delta County and connect with others that go across the U.P. and into Wisconsin. Many of these trails follow old railroad beds.

Indoor Activities:

Those who prefer indoor activities find art galleries, museums, theaters and a casino easily accessible.



The William Bonifas Fine Arts Center is a multidimensional arts center. A wide variety of visual, performing, cultural, and literary arts unique to the U.P. are available at the Center. The Alice Uren Powers Gallery showcases regional arts and travelling art exhibitions. A full schedule of performing arts activities take place throughout the year.

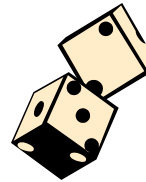
Players de Noc Community Theater group performs regularly at the 240-seat William Bonifas Theater. The Center also sponsors special theatrical programs by touring companies throughout the year, including a production for children led by the Missoula Children's Theater touring group, and concerts by the Superior String Alliance.

Bay Area Art Association utilizes the studio and pottery shop areas of the Arts Center for its multi-media artist gatherings. Its members sponsor the annual Waterfront Art Festival in August and the Holiday Guild Fair in November. The Waterfront Art Festival, held at Ludington Park during the first weekend of August, shows the works of over 100 artists and draws crowds of up to 10,000 each year.

Small group activities in basketwork, pottery, quilting, weaving and spinning, combine with the Art Center's classes and workshops to present a creative and productive atmosphere for the arts to flourish throughout our area. The Center also serves as an information center for cultural, literary, and historic related arts in Michigan.

Willow Creek Cinema has eight full sized movie screens and can facilitate over one thousand viewers. It is located in the west end of the city.

Only thirteen miles west of Escanaba, the Hannahville Indian Community offers Las Vegas-style gambling at the Chip-In's Island Resort & Casino, bingo at its bingo hall, traditional Potawatami crafts at its gift shop, a restaurant, a swimming pool with heated sand, and 112 comfortable, well-appointed rooms at its motel. In summer, a pow-wow is held on sacred grounds within the reservation. The public is welcome at all these facilities and events.



YMCA programs are available for all ages. Fitness testing and assessments are available for youth and adults. Youth programs include Archery, Gymnastics Gym and Swim Combo, Pop Fly, Gymnastics, Weight Room Certification, Youth Basketball League, and Biddy Basketball. Fun in the water begins as young as 6 months when babies and parents take part in the Water Babies program. Youth aquatics, water safety, progressive swimming lessons, and lifeguard training round out programs for youth.



A wide variety of adult programs are also available. Whether you are interested in individual or group activities, there is something for you at the YMCA. Aerobics and exercise keep participants active.

Adult aquatics programs offer water exercise, swimming lessons, and impact-free water jogging. Those who suffer from arthritis enjoy a low-intensity water exercise class called Twinges in the Hinges. Plenty of convenient hours for lap swim and open swim appeal to those who wish to swim at their own pace. A Water Safety Instructor Course is also offered by the American Red Cross.

The YMCA offers fully licensed day care for everyone and can accept children between the ages of two and one-half years and kindergarten. A staff of qualified caregivers are under the direction of a graduate of an Early Childhood Development degree program and provide pre-school learning activities. Evening baby-sitting services for children ages two and one-half to nine years are offered to YMCA members, students and faculty of Bay College.

YMCA Volunteers share their time and talent by acting as youth sports coaches and officials, swim aides for those with special needs, childcare helpers, locker room attendants, and in many other capacities.

Shopping:

Highways M-35, US-2 and US-41 intersect in Escanaba, making it the hub of north-south and east-west traffic between the Upper Peninsula, Wisconsin, and points beyond.

Escanaba's downtown shopping district, along Ludington Street, and Gladstone's, along Delta Avenue, offer modern retail stores with free parking just a few steps from each store.

On Lincoln Road, the Delta Plaza mall, the Mini-Mall, Lincoln Square, the Lincoln Fair Plaza, Wal-Mart, and K-Mart have plenty of parking. The Delta Plaza mall has over 30 stores under one roof.

Escanaba attracts shoppers from a 75-mile radius.

Indoor/Outdoor: UP State Fairgrounds

Escanaba is also home to the Upper Peninsula State Fair, "Showplace of the Upper Peninsula." It is one of the outstanding fairs in the Midwest. Approximately 200,000 people from across the Upper Peninsula and Wisconsin and elsewhere attend during fair week, the third week of August. Premium awards in excess of \$65,000 are paid annually for premier exhibits of livestock and exceptional displays of agricultural products, craftwork, fine arts, home arts and junior show exhibits.

Featured at the Fair are Michigan manufacturers' industrial exhibits, youth expositions, competitive events, horse shows, and tractor and four-wheel drive pick-up pulling contests, and nationally popular musicians and singers. Other attractions at the fair include antique car shows, Ladies' Day, Youth Day, Senior Citizens' Day, and Family Day. A favorite display at the fair every year is the historical village, complete with antique steam logging operation in full production. Watch as the work team skillfully coordinates their actions to load and trim the logs and transform them right before your eyes into finished lumber and, in a separate operation, shingles. In one shop, a blacksmith plies his trade. In others, workers dip candles or offer fresh-baked bread for sale to the public. A special building holds a model train display, pride of a local club.

New at the grounds is the Department of Natural Resource's Pocket Park. The park is full of adventure with a fish pond stocked with fish for catching, and archery and pellet gun ranges. In addition to regular hours from June through October, the Park is available for special events such as birthday parties. Call (906)789-0714 for more information.

Besides the Upper Peninsula State Fair, other events hosted at the fairgrounds throughout the year include national camping rallies, home

shows, sport shows, motocross and cart racing, new auto shows, livestock sales, horse shows and clinics, snowmobile races, antique machinery displays, gem and mineral shows, antique auto shows, musical groups and dancing, tournaments, carnivals, pet shows, bingo, wrestling shows, evangelistic crusades, and the Midwest Logging Congress.

Nearby Attractions:

A leisurely drive can bring you to many other events, activities, and sightseeing.

EAST:

- Kitchi-Ti-Kipi State Park in Manistique
- Float Bridge in Manistique
- Mackinac Island

NORTHEAST:

- Seney National Wildlife Refuge
- Soo Locks in Sault St. Marie
- Historic sights in the Soo (2nd oldest city in U.S.)
- Straits area historic sites and amusements
- Tahquamenon Falls

NORTH:

- Pictured Rocks National Shoreline in Munising
- National Ski Hall of Fame in Ishpeming
- Mining Museum in Negaunee
- Shiras Planetarium and the UP Children's Museum in Marquette

NORTHWEST:

- Copper Country
- Porcupine Mountains

WEST:

- IXL Museum in Hermansville (old-time office)
- Iron Mountain Iron Mine in Vulcan
- Cornish Pump Museum in Iron Mountain
- Water ski shows at Lake Antoine near Iron Mountain

SOUTH:

- Wallace Zoo (featuring a white Bengal tiger)
- Menominee County Historical Museum
- Marinette County Logging Museum
- Copper Culture Mound State Park in Oconto
- Heritage Hill State Park, Packer games and Packer Hall of Fame, National Railroad Museum, Neville Museum, Bay Beach Amusement Park, NEW zoo, Wildlife sanctuary, shopping, and Oneida Nation Museum, Bingo, and Casino in Green Bay

LIBRARIES



Delta County residents are served by several libraries. The Escanaba Public Library has 65,000 volumes, 105 magazine subscriptions, 15 newspaper subscriptions, 15,000 audio books and 600 videos and DVD's available. Local newspapers, dating back to 1869, are stored on microfilm. There is an excellent local history collection. College catalogs, census data, phone books, a variety of pamphlets and maps, audio books, large print books, a children's and a young adult's collection, reference indexes and business registers meet the needs of the area population.

The Gladstone School and Public Library, located in the Gladstone Area Middle School building, serves the needs of students in the high school and also serves the population of the city of Gladstone, Escanaba Township and Brampton Township. The library holds over 30,000 volumes, books for all ages, an unusually large reference section for a small library, city directories, Delta County plat books, large print books, and audio books as well as newspapers and magazines.

Both the Escanaba and Gladstone libraries offer a range of additional services, such as laminating, FAX, photocopy machines, and internet access. Gladstone also loans audiovisual equipment to community groups area businesses for use in their training programs and workshops.

Services to the blind and physically handicapped include Braille materials and National Library Service disc and cassette books and the equipment to play them.

Most schools have their own libraries for the use of students. Bay de Noc Community College Learning Resources Center offers materials for loan to residents of Delta County at no charge including books, magazines, newspapers, videotapes, audiotapes, and genealogical information.

SOCIAL & CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS

- A:** Alano, Altrusa, Ambassadors, American Association of University Women, American Legion, American Federation, Amvets, Anishnabeg Mon-Weh, Association for Retarded Citizens, Astronomical Society, AquaNuts
- B:** Bar Association, Bay Area Art Association, Bay Area R/C, Bay Area Economic Club, Bay de Noc Audubon Naturalists, Bay de Noc Choral Society, Bay de Noc Composite Squadron, Bay de Noc Engineers, Bay de Noc Garden, Bay de Noc Habitat for Humanity, Bay de Noc Kennel Club, Bays de Noc Gobblers, Bay de Noc Quilters Guild, Bay de Noc Toastmasters, Beta Sigma Phi-Preceptor Beta Tau, Big Bay de Noc Friends of the Library, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Boy Scouts, Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Business & Professional Women

- C:** Carpenters Milwright, Community Handicap Awareness Team (CHAT), Communications Workers Association, Community Foundation for Delta County, Computer Club, Coterie, Cystic Fibrosis
- D:** Delta Alano, Delta Astronomical, Delta Computer, Delta County Area Chamber of Commerce, Delta County Area Radio Society, Delta County Bar Association, Delta County Business & Professional Women, Delta County Foster Parent, Delta County Genealogical, Delta County Historical Society, Delta County Humane Society, Delta County Jaycees, Delta County Landlord Association, Delta County Law Enforcement, Delta County Medical Society, Delta County Merry Mixers, Delta County Office of Emergency Management, Delta County Special Olympics, Delta County Sportsman's Club, Delta County Townships, Delta County Trades and Labor Council, Delta County Veterans Council, Delta Folks, Delta Shrine, Disabled American Veterans, Ducks Unlimited
- E:** Eagles, Elks, Escanaba City Band, Escanaba Industrial Foundation, Escanaba Quarterback Club, Eskymo Fan Club, Exchange Club, Economic Club
- F:** Farmers Market, Figure Skating Club, Foster Parent Association, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Friends of the Escanaba Public Library, Friends of the Gladstone Library
- G:** Garden Peninsula Historical Society, Genealogical Society, General Federation of Women's Clubs (GFWC), Gladstone Child's Welfare, Gladstone Masonic Lodge, Good Sam's, Great Lakes Sport Fisherman, Girl Scouts
- H:** Haiwathaland County Farm Bureau, Historical Society, Holy Name Central Home & School, Humane Society
- J:** Jaycees, Job's Daughters, Junior Hockey
- K:** Key Club, Keyboard Associates, Kiwanis, Knights of Columbus, Krusin Klassics Car Club
- L:** Laborers Local, Law Enforcement Association, League of Women Voters, Lifeline, Little League, Lions, Literacy Council, Local 21, Local AFSCME
- M:** Marine Corps, Masons, Medical Society, Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel, Michigan Education Association, Michigan Farm Bureau, Michigan Fish Producers, Mid UP Fire Fighters of E.M.S., Military Order of Purple Heart, Mouz Pamp Memorial, MSU Alumni

- N:** National Organization for Women, NMU Alumni, Newcomers Club
- O:** Operation Engineers, Optimist Club, Order of Runeberg, OSF St. Francis Hospital, Overeaters Anonymous
- P:** PACE International, Peninsula Waters Girl Scout Council, PEO Sisterhood, Phi Theta Kappa, Plumbers & Pipefitters , Purple Heart
- R:** R.C. Hatheway Order of the Eastern Star, Rotary, RSVP, Rural Development
- S:** Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE), Shrine Club, Sho UP, Spotlights Patrons of Escanaba Schools Performing Arts, Sportsman's Club, State Employee Retired Association, Stevens Lake Lawn Tractor Pullers, Stonington Booster, Swedish Club
- T:** Teamsters, Toastmasters, Tourette Syndrome Association
- U:** Union of Painters & Allied Trades, United Auto Workers, United Way of Delta County, UP Chiefs, UP Construction Labor Management Council, UP Sled Dog Association, UP Sno Phlyers, UP Vintage Tin Car, UP Whitetail, Upper Michigan Central Model Railroad, Upper Peninsula Community Foundation, Upper Peninsula Recycling Coalition
- V:** Vasa Order of America, VFW
- W:** Whitetails Unlimited, Wildlife Unlimited, William Bonifas Fine Arts Center
- Y:** Yacht Clubs (Escanaba and Gladstone), YMCA, Youth Assistance Program (YAP)

Source: Delta Area Chamber of Commerce

