PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

Keweenaw County

Eagle River, Michigan 49950

Application Deadline: Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

Job Description: The Prosecuting Attorney is the chief law enforcement officer for the County. The Prosecuting Attorney represents the People of the State of Michigan in the prosecution of felony, misdemeanor, and juvenile delinquency cases. The Prosecuting Attorney also handles mental health commitment hearings, paternity and child support cases, child neglect and abuse cases, and other miscellaneous court proceedings. The Prosecuting Attorney also handles some county civil matters, and provides legal advice to the Board of Commissioners and other county officials when requested. The Prosecuting Attorney is responsible for all administrative functions of the office; the county does not currently budget for support staff. Finally, the Prosecuting Attorney performs various other functions as prescribed by statute.

Employment Qualifications:

Education: Law degree from an accredited law school.

Experience: Courtroom and prior criminal and civil law experience preferred.

Other Requirements:

- Must be licensed to practice law in the State of Michigan and disclose any criminal convictions or disciplinary history during the interviewing process.
- Must reside in Keweenaw County, Michigan by the date of commencement of the appointment and continue to reside in Keweenaw County while serving as Prosecuting Attorney. Reside means being domiciled in Keweenaw County, not merely owning property in Keweenaw County.
- Must be able to establish and maintain effective working relationships with law enforcement and other county officials.

To apply for this position, please send a cover letter, resume, writing sample and list of references to:

12th Circuit Court
401 E. Houghton Ave.
Houghton, MI 49931

or email: clerk@keweenawcountymi.gov