



Mackinac Island State Park Commission
Policy

By-Laws

Minutes: January 11, 1974, p. 1435-6
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Preamble:

Within certain statutory limits, the Mackinac Island State Park Commission establishes its own by-laws.

General Policy

Commissioners set the dates of meetings, and the Chairman has the authority to call special meetings. A majority of members constitutes a quorum. All business is transacted by motions, support, and majority vote of those commissioners present, including the chairman. Each year the commissioners elect a chairman, vice chairman, and secretary. The commission employs an Executive Director and other persons.

Under the Executive Reorganization Act of 1965 the Mackinac Island State Park Commission became a Type I transfer to the Department of Natural Resources. (Minutes, January 11, 1974, p. 1435-6 and Michigan Administrative Code). In 2001 the commission was transferred first by Executive Order then by statute as a Type 1 transfer to the Department of History, Arts and Libraries (Act 78 P.A. 2001).

The chairman, vice chairman and secretary have been designated to serve as an executive committee. (July 27, 1984, p. 2096 and Jan. 17, 1986, p.2165)

Election of officers is held in June (Minutes of August 31, 1964, P. 912) or July (current practice).

On January 27, 2010 Mackinac Island State Park Commission transferred by Executive Order as a Type 1 transfer to the Department of Natural Resources and Environment.

On January 4, 2011 Mackinac Island State Park Commission transferred by Executive Order as a Type 1 transfer to the Department of Natural Resources.