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PARCHMENT -- Three finalists for Parchment city manager will be interviewed Monday by the City Commission at Parchment City Hall, 650 S. Riverview Drive. They are:

**JAMES DELANEY**, 60, of Muskegon. He was human resources director for Muskegon County from 1979 until this past summer; previously worked for Broward County, Fla., for a consulting firm in Chicago and for the city of Long Beach, Calif. He has a bachelor's degree in business management from the University of Detroit and a master's degree in public administration from the University of Southern California. Delaney will be interviewed at 3 p.m.

**DENNIS DURHAM**, 39, of Texas Township. He is a former assistant city manager and deputy city manager for Kalamazoo, 2002-05; an assistant city manager for Portage, 1995-2002; and an assistant city manager in Littleton, Colo., 1994-95. He has a bachelor's degree in journalism from Michigan State University and is pursuing a master's degree in public administration from Western Michigan University. Durham will be interviewed at 4 p.m.

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**GEORGE KLEINMEIER**, 54, of Round Top, N.Y. He is a training and logistics supervisor for the State University of New York Research Foundation, 2001 until last August; a senior training technician for the New York State Department of Criminal Justice, 2000-01; a police officer and senior hostage negotiator for the Dallas Police Department, 1976-99. He is also a special investigator and licensed real estate agent. He has a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Texas A&M University-Commerce. Kleinmeier will be interviewed at 2 p.m.

A FOURTH CANDIDATE invited to interview for the position, Linda Ross-Sides, of Plckerington, Ohio, removed herself from consideration, according to Mayor Daniel DeGraw.

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