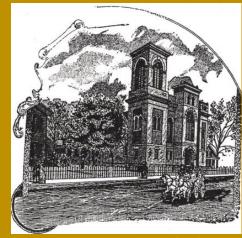


HISTORIC STRUCTURE





156 East Maumee Street, Adrian

WHEREAS, historic structures are not only tangible evidence of important national history, but tell the stories of generations of citizens of Lenawee County and their triumph and tragedies as well; and

WHEREAS, the Lenawee Historical Society created its "Historic Structures" program to identify and celebrate places in Lenawee County, Michigan, that connect people to their individual and collective heritage, and to work toward creating an environment that will support the preservation and rehabilitation of historic buildings and neighborhoods, celebrate economic development of sites, and manage change in communities; and

WHEREAS, the First Presbyterian Church at 156 East Maumee is a fine example of a monumental historic church edifice that dates to 1842; and

WHEREAS, the church was renovated in 1854 by the addition of a basement and being lengthened by thirty feet; and

WHEREAS, the church was originally constructed in the Greek Revival style in 1842 and the façade transformed into the Romanesque Revival style in 1869; and

WHEREAS, the First Presbyterian Church, one of Adrian's oldest church societies, has been the sole occupant of the building for 190 years;

THEREFORE, the directors of the Lenawee Historical Society do hereby PROCLAIM the First Presbyterian Church at 156 East Maumee Street in Adrian as an HISTORIC STRUCTURE in Lenawee County this 22nd day of July 2022.

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