

HISTORIC STRUCTURE





<u>123 East Maume</u>e, 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, 123 East Maumee Street in downtown Adrian is a fine example of a historic threestory, four-bay commercial structure that dates to about 1865; and

WHEREAS, 123 East Maumee was constructed in the Italianate style and later remodeled to Colonial Revival; and

WHEREAS, the second and third stories have arched bays with square and ogee-shaped decorations above each bay; and

WHEREAS, originally known as the Kinzel Block, the Jewett family members maintained offices in the building over a period of 76 years and the structure became known as the Jewett Block;

THEREFORE, the directors of the Lenawee Historical Society do hereby PROCLAIM 123 East Maumee Street in Adrian, commonly known as the Jewett Block, as an HISTORIC STRUCTURE in Lenawee County this 22nd day of July 2022.

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