



LENAWEE  
HISTORICAL  
SOCIETY

***HISTORIC STRUCTURE***



***229 Dennis 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, William Nixon, a prominent carpenter in early Adrian, built the house at 229 Dennis Street in 1867; and***

***WHEREAS, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, purchased the home for their use in 1921; and***

***WHEREAS, the structure underwent a major renovation in 1956; and***

***WHEREAS, the structure continues to serve the church today;***

***THEREFORE, the directors of the Lenawee Historical Society do hereby PROCLAIM 229 Dennis Street in Adrian, commonly known as the Christian Science Church, as a HISTORIC STRUCTURE in Lenawee County this 13th day of January 2023.***