Official Directory 2023

County of Allegan

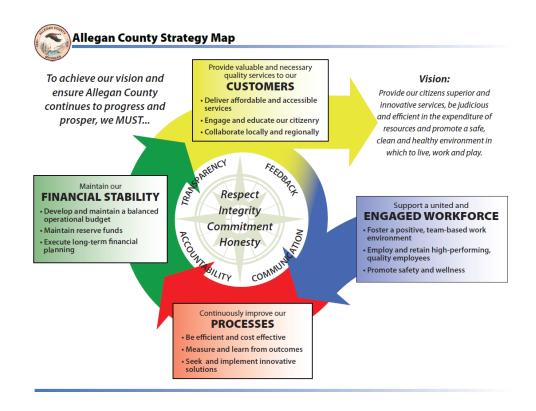
State of Michigan



Compliments of the Allegan County Clerk-Register Bob Genetski

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The County's Mission Statement: The Allegan County Board of Commissioners shall plan, develop and evaluate the necessary policies and resources to ensure our county continues to progress and prosper.



The County's Vision Statement:: The Allegan County Board of Commissioners is committed to providing our citizens superior and innovative services, being judicious and efficient in the expenditure of resources and promoting a safe, clean and healthy environment in which to live, work and play.

2023 ALLEGAN COUNTY MICHIGAN OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

Including State, County, City, Township & Village Officials

Allegan County Building Allegan, MI 49010 (269) 673-0200

Office Hours: 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday - Friday with the exception of the following holidays:

New Year's Eve New Year's Day Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday Presidents Day Memorial Day Juneteenth Independence Day Labor Day Veteran's Day Thanksgiving Day Day After Thanksgiving Christmas Day Christmas Eve

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BOB GENETSKI

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ELECTION POLLING PLACES - CITIES

Allegan City Hall 1 - 231 Trowbridge St, Allegan

Fennville City Hall - 125 S. Maple St., Fennville

Holland 4.9 - Calvary Baptist Church, 517 W. 32nd St., Holland

Holland 5.11 - Maplewood Reformed Church, 133 E. 34th St., Holland

Holland 5.12 - Maplewood Reformed Church, 133 E. 34th St., Holland

Otsego City Hall - 117 E. Orleans St., Otsego

Plainwell City Hall - 211 N. Main St., Plainwell.

Saugatuck City Hall - 102 Butler St., Saugatuck

South Haven City Hall - 539 Phoenix Street, South Haven

City of the Village of Douglas City Hall - 86 W. Center, Douglas

Wayland City - 160 W. Superior -Safety Complex (P1) 735 S. Main St - VFW (P2)

ELECTION POLLING PLACES - TOWNSHIPS

Allegan Township Hall, 3037 118th Ave., Allegan

Casco Township Hall, 7104 107th Ave.
Cheshire Township Hall, 471 41st St.
Clyde Township Hall, 1679 56th St.

Dorr 1 Township Hall, 4196 18th St., Dorr

Dorr 2 St. Peters Lutheran Church, 4125 18th St., Dorr Dorr 3 Dorr Christian Reformed Church, 4220 18th St., Dorr

Fillmore Township Hall, 4219 52nd St.
Ganges Township Hall, 1904 64th St.

Gun Plain Township Hall, 381 Eighth St., Plainwell. Heath 1 & 2 Township Hall, 3440 M-40, Hamilton.

Hopkins Village/Twp. Hall, 128 S. Franklin St., Hopkins

Laketown 1 & 3 Township Hall, 4338 Beeline Rd., Holland

Laketown 2 Graafschaap FD, 4534 60th Street, Holland Lee Township Hall 877 56th St., Pullman

Leighton 1, 2, 3 Township Offices 4451 12th St., Wayland

Manlius New Richmond Hall, 3134 57th St.

Martin Martin Community Bldg, 998 Templeton, Martin Monterey Monterey Community Bldg., 2999 30th St. Otsego 1 & 2 Township Hall, 400 N. 16th St., Otsego Overisel Township Hall, 4307 144th Ave., Holland

Salem 1 & 2 Township Hall, 3003 142nd Ave.

Saugatuck
Trownship Hall, 3461 BlueStar Hwy, Saugatuck
Trowbridge
Township Hall, 913 M-40 South, Allegan.
Valley
Township Hall, 2054 North M-40, Allegan.
Watson
Township Hall, 1895 118th Ave., Allegan
Wayland
Township Hall, 1060 129th Ave., Shelbyville

ELECTION STATISTICS

	2020	2020
	Registered Voters	Population
Cities:		
Allegan	3,873	5,222
Douglas City	1,364	1,378
Fennville Holland	1,105 6,148	1,745 7,730
Otsego	2,987	4,120
Plainwell	2,815	3,788
Saugatuck	893	865
South Haven	8	4
Wayland	3,145	4,435
Townships:		
Allegan	3,701	4,689
Casco	2,473	2,796
Cheshire	1,751 1,482	2,211 2,060
Clyde Dorr	1,462 5,942	2,000 7,922
Fillmore	2,263	2,778
Ganges	2,246	2,574
Gun Plain	5,051	6,148
Heath	3,052	3,937
Hopkins	2,039	2,760
Laketown Lee	5,183 2,639	5,928 3,805
Leighton	4,963	7,001
Manlius	2,620	3,312
Martin	2,104	2,723
Monterey	1,836	2,436
Otsego	4,622	5,903
Overisel Salem	2,343 3,944	3,133 5,156
Saugatuck	3,123	3,443
Trowbridge	2,079	2,530
Valley	1,798	2,221
Watson	1,762	2,176
Wayland	<u>2,839</u>	<u>3,573</u>
Total	94,103	120,502

NATIONAL OFFICIALS

PRESIDENT Joseph R. Biden (D)

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86th District

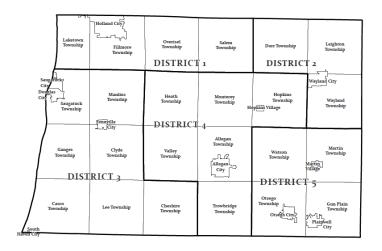
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Circuit Court Judge	Margaret Z. Bakker
Circuit Court Judge	Matthew Antkoviak
District Court Judge	William Baillargeon
District Court Judge	Joseph Skocelas
Probate Court Judge	Michael Buck
Prosecuting Attorney	Myrene Koch
Sheriff	Frank Baker
Clerk-Register	Bob Genetski
Treasurer	Sally Brooks
Drain Commissioner	Denise Medemar
Surveyor	Kevin Miedema

ALLEGAN COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICTS



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETINGS

- Board of Commissioners Planning Session meetings are held in the Board Chambers at 9AM the 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month unless otherwise posted and are open to the public.
- Board of Commissioners meetings are held in the Board Chambers at 1 PM the 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month unless posted and are open to the public.

ALLEGAN COUNTY DEPARTMENTS

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ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

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310 Thomas Street Telephone: (269) 512-7700
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Cheever Treatment Center Weston Hall

Secure Detention **Residential Services**

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Meredith Beidler	Assistant Prosecutor	Ext: 3255
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Molly Schikora	Assistant Prosecutor	Ext: 3289
Emelda Calanchi-Pope		Ext: 3235
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Jewell Reyes	Sr Legal Secretary	Ext: 3679
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Hilary Anes	Admin Asst	Ext: 3237
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Emily Feaster	Social Worker
Tess Strausser	

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Larry Brown, Vice Chairman	(616) 813-5538
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SHERIFF DEPARTMENT

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sheriff@allegancounty.org

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Sally Brooks......Treasurer Sheila Buckleitner......Chief Deputy

ALLEGAN COUNTY BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Members serving on the following boards, councils and committees are appointed or elected by the Allegan County Board of Commissioners. Applications to serve on the committees may be obtained from your local County Commissioner, County Clerk's Office or County Administrator's Office.

Allegan-Kent Sustainable Business Park Advisory Committee Area Agency on Aging of West MI Board Area Comm. Services Employment/Training Council (ACSET) **Boundary Commission** Board of Canvassers Board of Public Works **Brownfield Redevelopment Authority** Casino Local Revenue Sharing Board Commission on Aging Community Action of Allegan County Community Corrections Advisory Board Community Economic Development Strategies (CEDS) Community Mental Health Services Board Economic Development Commission **Emergency Management Advisory Council** Freedom of Information Act Coordinator **Human Services Board** Jury Board Lake Boards:

- ♦ Lower Scott Lake
- ♦ Miner Lake
- ♦ Gun Lake
- ♦ Hutchins Lake
- ♦ Selkirk Lake

Lakeshore Regional Entity

Local Emergency Planning Committee

Macatawa Area Coordinating Council Policy Committee

Medical Examiner

Michigan State Extension District 7

Multi Agency Collaborative Committee

Parks Advisory Board

Plat Board

Road Commission

Soldiers/Sailors Relief Commission

Solid Waste Planning Committee

Tourist Council

West Michigan Regional Airport Authority

West Michigan Regional Planning Commission

911 Operational Policy & Procedure Committee

CITIES

ALLEGAN CITY

City Hall 231 Trowbridge Street Allegan, MI 49010

Second & fourth Mondays each month, 7:00 P.M.

Telephone: (269) 673-5511 Fax: (269) 686-5139 Fax: (269) 686-5139 ww.cityofallegan.org Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8:30 - 4:30

Roger Bird	Mayor
Peter Hanse	Mayor-Pro Tem
Delora Andrus	
Dave Redding	
Teresa Galloway	
Michael Zeter	
Bill Morgan	
Joel Dye	
Michaela Kleehammer	
Nick Curcio	
Lyndsey Shembarger	
Tracy Stull	Finance Director
Jay Ğibson	
Nick Brink	
Parker Johnson	Promotions Coordinator
Doug KadzbanPublic Works	
Doug Sweeris	Water/ Wastewater
Professional Code Inspections	
·	1-800-628-3335

CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF DOUGLAS

City Hall 86 W. Center Street Douglas, MI 49406

1st & 3rd Mondays each month, 7:00 P.M. City Hall, 86 W. Center Street, Douglas

Telephone: (269) 857-1438 Fax: (269) 857-4751 Police: (269) 857-4339 www.douglasmi.gov Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8 - 4:30

Email: info@douglasmi.gov

Cathy North	Mayor
Randy Walker	Mayor Pro-Tem
Gregory Freeeman	Councilmember
Neal Seabert	Councilmember
Frances Ray	Councilmember
Jerry Donovan	Councilmember
John O'Malley	
Lisa Nocerini	City Manager
Laura Kasper	City Clerk
Matt Smith	
Tom Doane	
Tricia Anderson	Planner
Steve Kent	
Rikcy Zoet	Director of Public Works

FENNVILLE CITY

125 South Maple Street Fennville, MI 49408

First & third Mondays each month, 7:00 P.M. City Hall, Fennville

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www.fennville.gov

Office Hours: 8 - 4:30, closed Holidays

Email: kbeemer@fennville.gov

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Sarah Sliter	
Dennis Martin	Commissioner
Brenda Langston	Commissioner
Shawn Machan	Commissioner
John Jamros	Commissioner
Seth Boeve	Commissioner
Camille Clark	Treasurer
Morgan Hummon	Clerk
Kelly Jellison	Assessor
Kathryn Beemer	

HOLLAND CITY

City Hall

270 S. River Avenue Holland, MI 49423

First & Third Wednesdays each month, 6:00 P.M. City Hall, Council Chamber, Holland

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Email: clerk@cityofholland.com

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OTSEGO CITY

City Hall 117 East Orleans Street Otsego, MI 49078

First & third Mondays each month, 7:00 P.M. City Hall, Otsego

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THE ORGANIZATION OF ALLEGAN COUNTY AND ITS TOWNSHIPS

Territory embracing Allegan County was first claimed by the British who ceded it to France in 1763. It was seized by George Rogers Clark in the name of Virginia, and on March 1, 1784 Virginia ceded it to the Federal Government. Michigan territory was organized in 1805 from Wayne County. At this time, Allegan County was considered part of Indiana. On Aug. 21, 1821, the Ottawa Indians conveyed their interest to the federal government by the Treaty of Chicago.

The county was a portion of the region which the legislative council of the Territory of Michigan declared in November, 1826, to be attached to and composed a part of Lenawee County. In April, 1827, an Act formed the territory thus annexed to Lenawee County into the Township of St. Joseph. On Nov. 4, 1829, Ranges 11 and 12 were made a part of St. Joseph County; Ranges 13 to 17 frl., inclusive, were made a part of Cass County. On March 2, 1831, the present confines of the county were set off into a separate county by the name of Allegan. On March 29, 1833, a law was enacted, "that all the district of country which has been set off into a separate county by the name of Allegan, shall be attached to the County of Kalamazoo for all legal purposes whatsoever."

In 1834 the county seat was located at Allegan Village. An act which took effect Sept. 1, 1835, again separated Allegan County from Kalamazoo County when it was organized into four townships: Newark Township, bounded on the west by Lake Michigan, contained what is now Laketown, Saugatuck, Ganges, Casco, Fillmore, Manlius, Clyde and Lee. Allegan Township contained what is now Overisel, Heath, Valley, Cheshire, Salem, Monterey, Allegan and Trowbridge. Otsego Township contained Dorr, Hopkins, Watson and Otsego. Plainfield Township contained Leighton, Wayland, Martin and Gun Plain.

The name "Allegan" is derived from the Indian tribe "Allegawi" or "Allegans," believed by some to have been identical with the mound builders.

ALLEGAN TOWNSHIP. An early French trader named Beauchamp receded settlers and located west of Allegan on the south side of the Kalamazoo River on what was known as Beauchamp Stretch, a stretch of nearly level water at the foot of what is now known as Beauchamp Hill. First purchases of land in this township were made from the government in 1833. Settlement of the Village of Allegan began in 1834. The Village of Allegan was incorporated in 1838 and as a city in 1907.

CASCO TOWNSHIP. First settled in 1844, Casco was a portion of Newark Township until 1847, then a portion of Ganges Township until 1854 when it was organized as a separate township honoring General Lewis Cass by preserving a portion of his name. Its first post office, New Casco, was established in 1856.

CHESHIRE TOWNSHIP. First settled in 1839, it remained a part of Allegan Township until 1842 and a part of Trowbridge until 1851 when it was organized as a separate civil township. The first road was surveyed in 1852.

CLYDE TOWNSHIP. The first settlers arrived in 1837. It was a portion of Newark Township until 1850, then a portion of Pine Plains Township until it was set off by the Board of Supervisors in 1859 and organized in 1860 (the last township in the county to be organized). It was named Clyde after the place of the same name in New York State. The Village of Fennville was first occupied in 1860 and named for an early settler. The post office was established in 1866, called Fenn's Mill, and changed to Fennville when incorporated as a village in 1889. It was incorporated as a city Feb. 8, 1961. Bravo was first settled in 1867 and was called Sherman until 1871.

DORR TOWNSHIP. The north, east and west boundaries were surveyed in 1826 and 1831. It was first a part of Otsego Township until 1842, when Watson was then formed and included the present townships of Watson, Hopkins and Dorr. In 1847 the separate Township of Dorr was created by an act of the legislature. The name is supposed to be derived from the principal in Dorr's (Rhode Island) Rebellion. The first settlers arrived in 1845, and the unincorporated villages of Dorr Center and Moline were started about 1856 and 1870, respectively.

FILLMORE TOWNSHIP. A minister arrived in 1841, later becoming a government missionary to the Indians. Other settlers followed in 1842, and Dutch settlers arrived in 1847.

The township was set off from Manlius in 1849 and named in honor of the then Vice President of the United States. Subsequently Overisel was attached to Fillmore but later was organized separately. A post office was established in 1873 in Fillmore Center. The Bee Line Road was under-brushed and fairly constructed in 1849. Effective August 2, 1958, a portion of the township was annexed to the City of Holland.

GANGES TOWNSHIP. First settled in 1838, it was a portion of civil Newark Township until organized in 1847 to include the present townships of Ganges and Casco. Casco was set off in 1854. The township was named for the holy river in India. The Lake Shore Road was laid out about 1843. Plummerville was founded in 1846 and the prosperous Village of Pier Cove in 1851, where a post office was established in 1853.

GUNPLAIN TOWNSHIP. The township boundary lines were run in 1826, and in 1836 it became a part of Plainfield Township. Martin Township was set off in 1839. The name of Plainfield was changed in 1845 to Gunplain, being named for the river crossing the township. The first settlers arrived in 1831, and a post office was established in Plainwell in 1833. The Village of Plainwell was incorporated in 1869, the City of Plainwell in 1934. Gunplain Township was the site of a council of Ottawa and Potawatomi Indians in 1832, at which time it was decided not to join the Black Hawk War but to become friends of Michigan pioneers. The Plank Road from Kalamazoo to Grand Rapids was built in 1852-54 with a branch extending from Plainwell to Allegan.

HEATH TOWNSHIP. Considerable land was purchased as early as 1833. The first road was surveyed in 1847 and known as the Dumont Road. The township was not settled until 1850. It was first included in Allegan Township but was made an independent township in 1851 and named for an early settler in whose house the first township meeting was held. Hamilton Village (unincorporated) was settled in 1835 and was originally known as Rabbit River.

HOPKINS TOWNSHIP. The first settlers arrived in 1838. The township was first a part of Otsego Township. Dorr, Hopkins and Watson were separated in 1842 and organized under the name of Watson; later Dorr and Hopkins were organized

under the name of Watson; later Dorr and Hopkins were organized under the name of Dorr. In 1852 the Board of Supervisors ordered a separate township known as Hopkins. The first road was laid out in 1840 in Hopkins. The village was established about 1856 and incorporated in 1920. The hamlet of Hilliards, named for an early settler, was established in 1860.

LAKETOWN TOWNSHIP. The township was a part of Newark Township until 1859, when it was set off with a jurisdiction of its own, named because of its proximity to Lake Michigan. It was first settled by several members of a Dutch colony in 1847. Graafschap Village, located on line between Fillmore and Laketown Townships, was named in recognition of systems prevalent in the Netherlands of giving small principalities to the rulerships of graafs (counts) whose districts were known as graafschaps. A post office was established there in 1867 but later discontinued with the advent of rural free delivery service. Effective June 2, 1961, a portion of the township was annexed to the City of Holland.

LEE TOWNSHIP. The first settlers arrived in 1844, with lumbermen following in 1858. The township was a portion of Pine Plains Township until 1859, when the Board of Supervisors set it off as a separate township. It is believed to have been named for the town of Lee, Mass. Early settlements were Hoppertown in 1870 and Black River Station in 1871.

LEIGHTON TOWNSHIP. In 1833 or 1834, Louis Campau, noted Indian trader from Kent County, located a trading post in the northern part of the township. Being successively a part of Plainfield, Martin and Wayland Townships, Leighton was finally set off as an independent organization by an act of the legislature in 1848.

MANLIUS TOWNSHIP. A Campau trading post was established as early as 1825 in Manlius Township at a point where the Rabbit River empties into the Kalamazoo. The first public highway was cut out from New Richmond toward Allegan in 1838. The township, previously a part of Newark, was organized by an act of the legislature in 1839; Fillmore Township was subsequently added but separated in 1849.

Manlius received its name from the town of Manlius, N.Y., which was the birthplace of an early settler in the township. The first permanent settlement was started in 1836 at New Richmond (named for Richmond, Va.), and a post office was established there in 1837. Hollanders settled at East Saugatuck about 1859.

MARTIN TOWNSHIP. The township lines were surveyed in 1826. The first land was purchased with settlers arriving in 1836, and the first road survey following the next year. Martin Township was organized in 1839 and named in honor of President Martin Van Buren. Previous to that time, it had been a part of Plainfield Township. In 1843 Wayland Township was set off from Martin Township. The Martin post office was established during the administration of President Van Buren, and other early settlements were the Monteith Settlement and Shelbyville. A small band of Potawatomi and Ottawa Indians occupied an opening of approximately 30 acres in Martin Township in the 30's, but after some persuasion moved to a location in Wayland Township. The Village of Martin was incorporated in 1947.

MONTEREY TOWNSHIP. First settled in 1836, the township was organized in 1847 by the state legislature and included Salem and Overisel, the former of which was organized as a separate township in 1855, leaving Monterey Township as it now exists. The people of the township suggested to the legislature that it be christened Monterey in honor of the triumph of American arms in Mexico under Generals Taylor and Worth and the victory won on the field of Monterey.

OTSEGO TOWNSHIP. First explorations were made during the winter of 1829-30 by people who returned and settled with their families in the fall of 1830. On April 6, 1833, the first election in Allegan County was held in Otsego Township, with 22 votes being cast, electing officers of Allegan Township, which included all the territory in the present County of Allegan. By an act of legislature in 1836, Otsego Township was made to include the present boundaries of Dorr, Hopkins, Watson and Otsego. The three former townships were legally separated in 1842. Early settlements were made at Pine Creek and the Kalamazoo River rapids (now Otsego). A post office was established at Otsego soon after 1831 or 1832 and was named for Otsego County, N.Y. Otsego Village was incorporated in 1865 and as a city in 1918.

OVERISEL TOWNSHIP. A colony of 20 Dutch families settled in Overisel Township in 1848. The township was first connected with Monterey and later with Fillmore, becoming an independent township by an act of the legislature in 1857 and named for the province of Overisel, Netherlands (meaning "over the Yssel," a river of that name), from which district the colony had migrated.

SALEM TOWNSHIP. Pioneers arrived in 1851. The township was part of Monterey until separated by an act of the legislature in 1855. Originally known as Salem Center, Burnips Corners was named for an early settler who built the first store there in 1856 and began selling lots of land for building in 1858. Chippewa Indians once occupied a village in Section 11 but departed in 1858. New Salem is the home of St. Mary's Visitation Catholic Church, founded in 1866. Diamond Springs, located on the Rabbit River, was first settled in 1867.

SAUGATUCK TOWNSHIP. The first white resident of Allegan County arrived by vessel by way of the lakes in the spring of 1830 and located at the present site of Saugatuck City which was platted in 1833 as the Village of Kalamazoo. A post office was established in 1835; and, at the suggestion of the first postmaster, was named Saugatuck, an Indian word meaning "mouth of river." The village itself retained the name of Kalamazoo until the incorporation of the Village of Kalamazoo, located in Kalamazoo County. It was then called Newark until 1865 when it became known as Saugatuck. The village was incorporated by the Board of Supervisors in 1868. The Village of Singapore was located in 1834 on the north bank of the Kalamazoo River in Section 4 and was platted in 1838, becoming a thriving lumber town. Later, it became completely buried by Lake Michigan sands. Another pioneer village, known as Dudlevville, was incorporated in 1870 as Douglas, named for Stephen A. Douglas. Under an act of the legislature in 1836, Newark Township was created to include the tract now occupied by the eight western townships of Allegan County. Seven townships were at various dates separated from Newark Township and in 1859 attained the present dimensions of Saugatuck Township, with the name being changed in 1863. The American Fur Co. had a trading post at Peach Orchard Point (later known as Mack's Landing), about two miles above Douglas on the Kalamazoo River. Here a peach orchard in bearing was discovered by the earliest settlers; it is believed to have been planted by the French fur traders, marking the beginning of peach culture in Allegan County.

TROWBRIDGE TOWNSHIP. Pioneers arrived as early as 1835; the township was organized in 1842, becoming separated from Cheshire Township in 1851. It was named in honor of C.C. Trowbridge of Detroit, the popular treasurer of the Boston Company.

VALLEY TOWNSHIP. This township was surveyed in 1831 and organized as Pine Plains Township in 1850 to include Clyde and Lee. The latter two townships were separated from Pine Plains in 1859; the portion lying northwest of the river was taken from Heath and annexed to Pine Plains in 1871, giving it its present confines. The first settlers located here about 1837. The Allegan-to-Saugatuck road, which crosses this township, was surveyed about 1834 or 1835. An early post office was established at Mill Grove but later discontinued. The name of the township was changed from Pine Plains to Valley beginning Jan. 1, 1898, as the name of Pine Plains was suggestive of sandy soil, and therefore created little demand for sale of farm land.

WATSON TOWNSHIP. The earliest pioneers arrived in 1836. At first the township was part of Otsego but was set off (with Dorr and Hopkins Townships) as Watson Township in 1842. Dorr was set off in 1847 and Hopkins in 1852, leaving Watson with its present boundaries. It is named for a resident who surveyed the earliest road about 1837.

WAYLAND TOWNSHIP. The boundary lines of the township were run in 1826, and the first settlers arrived in 1835. In 1838, Rev. James Selkrig visited Saganaw, Chief of the Ottawas and Potawatomis, to offer the Indians the benefits of a mission home; and the Indians consented to settle on lands near Selkirk (Selkrig) Lake where the mission was established. Wayland was a part of Plainfield Township until it was made a part of Martin in 1839. It was known as Lumberton until it was set off from Martin in 1843. Leighton was separated from Wayland in 1848. The Village of Wayland was first known as Chambers' Corners; was platted in 1861 as Lomas City; and, after opening Wayland House, the post office was established as Wayland about 1838 or 1839. It was incorporated as a village in 1868 by the board of supervisors and as a city on Oct. 1, 1966. The incorporated Village of Bradley derived its name from its first postmaster.

ZIP CODES

ALLEGAN	49010
BLOOMINGDALE	49026
BRADLEY	49311
BURNIPS	49314
BYRON CENTER	49315
CALEDONIA	49316
DORR	49323
DOUGLAS	49406
FENNVILLE	49408
GLENN	49416
GOBLES	49055
GRAND JUNCTION	49056
HAMILTON	49419
HOPKINS	49328
HOLLAND	49423
JAMESTOWN	49427
MACATAWA	49434
MARTIN	49070
MOLINE	49335
OTSEGO	49078
PLAINWELL	49080
PULLMAN	49450
SAUGATUCK	49453
SHELBYVILLE	49344
SOUTH HAVEN	49090
WAYLAND	49348
ZEELAND	49464