

## PROCLAMATION TO CELEBRATE THE 200<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY OF OAKLAND COUNTY

WHEREAS, on March 28, 2020, Oakland County will celebrate its 200<sup>th</sup> Birthday;  
and

WHEREAS, the Bicentennial Celebration will include all 62 Oakland County communities in numerous events, such as the 200 Oak Tree Plantings, Festivals, Concerts, and much more; and

WHEREAS, Oakland County is home to 1.25 million residents within 907 square miles; boasts model rural, suburban, and urban communities and schools, as well as 11 colleges and universities; prides its heritage as the frontier of freedom, key role in the Civil War, epicenter of the auto industry, arsenal of democracy, pivotal roles with civil rights and union organization; and home of the titans of industry, entertainment, culture, and politics; and

WHEREAS, the Charter Township of Bloomfield recognizes the significance of Oakland County's Bicentennial Celebration and looks forward to participating in the many events honoring the outstanding contributions of the County. We urge the residents of the Charter Township of Bloomfield and its businesses, nonprofit organizations, and schools to take part in commemorating this historic endeavor.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Charter Township of Bloomfield proudly joins the other 61 communities in Oakland County to designate the beginning of this celebration on March 28, 2020, the 200<sup>th</sup> Birthday of the founding of Oakland County, Michigan.

BE IT KNOWN to all reading this Proclamation that it was adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Bloomfield on the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 2019 and included in the minutes as a permanent record.



  
Jan Roncelli, MMC  
Bloomfield Township Clerk