

CITY OF LATHRUP VILLAGE

PROCLAMATION

CELEBRATING THE 200TH BIRTHDAY OF OAKLAND COUNTY

WHEREAS, on March 28, 2020, Oakland County will celebrate its 200 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 City of Lathrup Village 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 citizens of (the municipality), the businesses, nonprofit organizations, and schools of the (municipality) to take part in commemorating this historic endeavor.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Lathrup Village proudly joins the other 61 communities in Oakland County to designate the beginning of this celebration on March 28, 2020, the 200th Birthday of the founding of Oakland County, Michigan.

BE It KNOWN to all reading this Proclamation that it was adopted by the City of Lathrup Village on October 24, 2019, and included in the minutes as a permanent record.

Mykale Garrett, Mayor

Bruce Kantor, Mayor Pro Tem

Ian Ferguson, Council Member

Saleem Siddiqi, Council Member

Donna Stallings, Council Member