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BICENTENNIAL
CEREMONY

JULY 14, 2017 AT 9:00 A.M.
ON THE LAWN OF THE HISTORIC
MONROE COUNTY COURTHOUSE

PROGRAM

ASSEMBLE TO THE SOUND OF THE COURTHOUSE BELL

WELCOME.....HONORABLE MICHAEL A. WEIPERT
CHIEF JUDGE PRO TEM, MONROE COUNTY COURTS

OPENING MUSIC.....MONROE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

OPENING PRAYER

REMARKS BY.....J. HENRY LIEVENS, CHAIRMAN
MONROE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BICENTENNIAL PROCLAMATION FROM MICHIGAN LEGISLATORS
PRESENTED BY.....STATE SENATOR DALE ZORN
STATE REPRESENTATIVE JASON SHEPPARD
STATE REPRESENTATIVE JOSEPH BELLINO

REMARKS BY BRIAN JAMES EGEN, CHAIRMAN
MONROE COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

REMARKS BY PRESIDENT JAMES MONROE
PORTRAYED BY.....JAMES "JAY" G. HARRISON, III, LIVING HISTORIAN

UNVEILING OF BICENTENNIAL PLAQUE

DEDICATION OF BUR OAK TREE.....MOLLY LUEMPert-COY
REGIONAL MANAGER, DTE ENERGY

CLOSING MUSIC.....MONROE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR

RECESS TO MONROE COUNTY MUSEUM FOR RIBBON CUTTING FOR:
200 YEARS AND COUNTING, A MONROE COUNTY BICENTENNIAL EXHIBIT
BICENTENNIAL CAKE CUTTING, REFRESHMENTS AND BICENTENNIAL EXHIBIT TOUR

CONTINUE WITH THE MONROE COUNTY BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION
JOIN US AT THE
MONROE COUNTY BICENTENNIAL
PRESIDENT JAMES MONROE RECEPTION
BEGINNING AT 6:00 P.M.
AT THE OLD MILL BANQUET HALL
IN DUNDEE VILLAGE

MONROE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

J. HENRY LIEVENS, CHAIRMAN	DISTRICT 9
JERRY OLEY, VICE-CHAIRMAN	DISTRICT 6
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