

Historical Marker - S36 - Monroe (Marker ID#:S36)



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Monroe

Monroe, founded about 1784, is one of Michigan's oldest settlements. It was first called Frenchtown after its original settlers. It was the scene of the River Raisin Massacre during the War of 1812. Renamed Monroe in 1824, it later anchored the Michigan Southern Railroad and became famous for its glass and paper. General George Custer made his home here.

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Significant Date:

Revolution and War (1760-1815)

Registry Year: 1956 **Erected Date:** 1957

Marker Location

Address: 126 South Monroe St.

City: Monroe

State: MI **ZipCode:**

County: Monroe

Township:

Lat: 41.91524300 / **Long:** -83.39893300

Web URL: