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Rochester Opera House

Built in 1890, the Opera House Block opened with the First National Bank and Norton Pharmacy on its ground floor. On November 7, 1890, a grand opening dance launched the upper-level opera house as Rochester’s social and cultural center. Until 1933 plays, movies, lectures, dances, reunions, commencements—even boxing matches—filled the calendars, but never an opera. In 1987 this Richardsonian-style landmark, with its sixteen-foot ceilings and stained glass windows, was restored.

Significant Date:

Industry and Invention (1875-1915)

Registry Year: 1990 **Erected Date:** 1991

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Marker Location

Address: 340 Main Street

City: Rochester

State: MI **ZipCode:**

County: Oakland

Township: Avon

Lat: 42.68083300 / **Long:** -83.13333200

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