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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**LANDMARK SOCIETY PRESENTS FINDINGS OF HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY  
OF NORTHWEST ROCHESTER**

*COMMUNITY MEETING PLANNED FOR MAY 20 TO SHARE INFORMATION WITH PUBLIC*

ROCHESTER, NY May 11, 2019 — The Landmark Society is hosting a community meeting on Monday, May 20 at 6 p.m. at the Lyell Branch Library, 956 Lyell Ave., Rochester, to present findings from a survey of the a section of the northwest quadrant of Rochester conducted through a contract with the City of Rochester.

The historic resources survey in the northwest is the third phase of a multi-year project that includes all four quadrants of the city. This project phase focused on the south half of the northwest quadrant, covering the streets between I-490 and Driving Park Avenue. The purpose of the survey was to identify and document properties and neighborhoods of historic and/or architectural interest and to provide updated data to the City of Rochester that can be incorporated into larger planning efforts.

Survey findings helped to identify possible National Register historic districts. Properties listed in the National Register of Historic Places can take advantage of Historic Rehab Tax Credits. This project is funded by a grant from the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (NYSOPRHP) and Preserve New York, a signature grant program of the New York State Council on the Arts and the Preservation League of NYS. Preserve NY is made possible with the support of Governor Andrew Cuomo and the New York State Legislature.

***About The Landmark Society:*** *The Landmark Society of Western New York, Inc. is one of the oldest and most active preservation organizations in America, serving nine Western New York counties. Formed in 1937, The Landmark Society continues to protect the unique architectural heritage of our region and promote preservation and planning principles that foster healthy and sustainable communities. For additional information about The Landmark Society, visit*

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