

Roscommon County



Originally laid off in 1840 as Mikenauk County, Roscommon County was officially organized in 1875. The county coordinates are Range 1W-4W and Township 21N-24N. Adjacent counties include Crawford (north), Oscoda (northeast), Ogemaw (east), Gladwin (southeast), Clare (southwest), Missaukee (west), and Kalkaska (northwest).

Here is a listing of original source records available at the Archives for Roscommon County, including the years of coverage and the Record Group number. Finding aids available in the Archives, arranged by RG, give a more itemized listing of each collection.

Cemeteries

Roscommon County files	1965-1976	RG 83-53
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Census

State census	1884	RG 81-57
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Military

GAR post records	1876-1945	RG 63-19
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* *Roscommon County GAR post: 331 (Roscommon)*

* See also *Guide No. 4: War Records, Guide No. 7: Post-War Records, Guide No. 4c: Spanish American War, and Guide No. 4d: World War I*

Occupations

Statement of labor liens upon logs	1881-1900	RG 63-15
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Poor home/relief

Minutes of the Board of Superintendents of the Poor	1879-1914	RG 63-15
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Prison records

* See *Guide No. 3: Correctional Facilities Records*

Schools

School census 1884-1889; 1902-1906 RG 63-15

Tax records

Assessment rolls 1874-1900; 1920; 1940 RG 63-15

Vital records

* See *Guide No. 19: Vital Records*

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