Barry County

Barry County was set off by the legislature in 1829 and organized in 1839. The county coordinates are Range 11W-16W and Township 1N-4N. Adjacent counties include Ionia (northeast), Eaton (east), Calhoun (southeast), Kalamazoo (southwest), Allegan (west), and Kent (northwest).

Here is a listing of original source records available at the Archives for Barry 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.

Several Archives of Michigan collections are housed at the Western Michigan University Archives & Regional History Collections in Kalamazoo, which are indicated below with a #. For assistance with those resources, please check with the staff there: wmich.edu/library/collections/archives.

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