

ALCONA COUNTY GUIDE

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Alcona County was created by the Legislature in 1840 and was originally named Negwegon County. The county coordinates are Ranges 5 East through 9 East (5E - 9E) and Townships 29 North through 32 North (29N - 32N). Lake Huron is the east boarder of Alcona County. Adjacent counties include Alpena (north), Montmorency (northwest), Oscoda (west), Ogemaw (southwest), and Iosco (south).

Original records from Alcona County are available at the Archives of Michigan. The list below is organized by record type; each record type lists specific records, the years of coverage and the record group (RG) number assigned to that collection. A more detailed list of each collection can be found in finding aids at the archives.

CEMETERY RECORDS

- **Alcona County files, from 1968 to 1976** – RG 83-53

LAND RECORDS

- **Rural Property Inventory, from 1938 to 1939** – RG 84-33

MILITARY RECORDS

- **Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) post records, from 1876 to 1945** – RG 63-19
 - *Alcona County GAR posts include: Post 66 (Harrisville) and Post 106 (Harrisville)*

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

NATURALIZATION RECORDS

- **Declarations of Intention, from 1869 to 1951** – RG 2011-26

- **Journals**, from **1895 to 1906** – RG 2011-26
- **Petitions**, from **1907 to 1958** – RG 2011-26

PRISON RECORDS

See also Guide No. 3: Correctional Facilities Records

PROBATE RECORDS

- **Calendar**, from **1947 to 1983** – RG 2019-39
- **Index**, from **1893 to 1983** – RG 2019-39

VITAL RECORDS

See Guide No. 19: Vital Records

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