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MARK A. BURTON PRESIDENT

Tuesday, November 10, 2020

Ms. Kayla Nicholson Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan Downtown Development Authority 511 Ashmun Street, Ste 103 Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan 49783

Dear Ms. Nicholson,

I am pleased to inform you that the National Park Service, United States Department of the Interior, has listed the Sault Ste. Marie Historic Commercial District, roughly centered on Ashmun Street between Water and Easterday Streets and Portage Avenue between Brady and Ferris Streets, Sault Ste. Marie, Chippewa County, Michigan, in the National Register of Historic Places. The Keeper of the National Register listed the property on October 19, 2020.

The National Register of Historic Places is the nation's official list of cultural resources significant in our collective history and worthy of preservation. Nominations of Michigan properties to the National Register are made by the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) of the Michigan Economic Development Corporation, in accordance with the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended. Information on the National Register and related SHPO program can be found at michigan.gov/shpo.

While listing in the National Register does not place any legal restrictions on a property or a property owner, it allows for consideration in the planning of federal or federally-assisted projects; provides eligibility for federal tax benefits; qualifies properties for federal assistance for historic preservation, when funds are available; serves as a catalyst for economic development; and promotes heritage tourism. Additionally, funding programs and organizations may require or look favorably upon National Register designation.

The SHPO works with property owners, government agencies, and others to identify and preserve Michigan's archaeological sites, cultural landscapes, and the historic built environment. We facilitate investment in communities throughout state by assisting our partners in identifying historic buildings and places, all significant parts of the state's economic, cultural, and social centers.

I invite you to contact our office with any questions you may have. Questions about this listing or the National Register program may be addressed to Todd A. Walsh, National Register Coordinator, at WalshT@michigan.gov or (517) 335-9854.

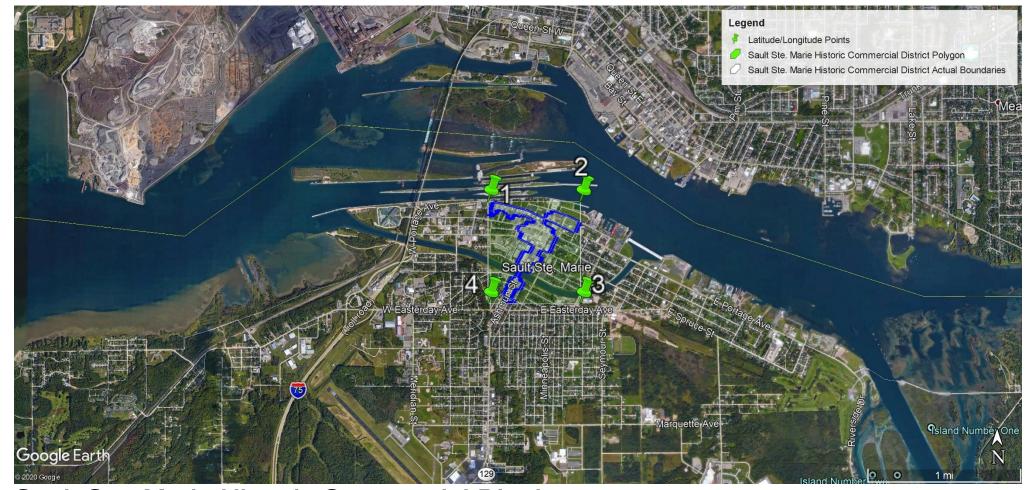
Thank you for your support in preserving Michigan's unique heritage.

Sincerely,

Martha MacFarlane-Faes

Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer



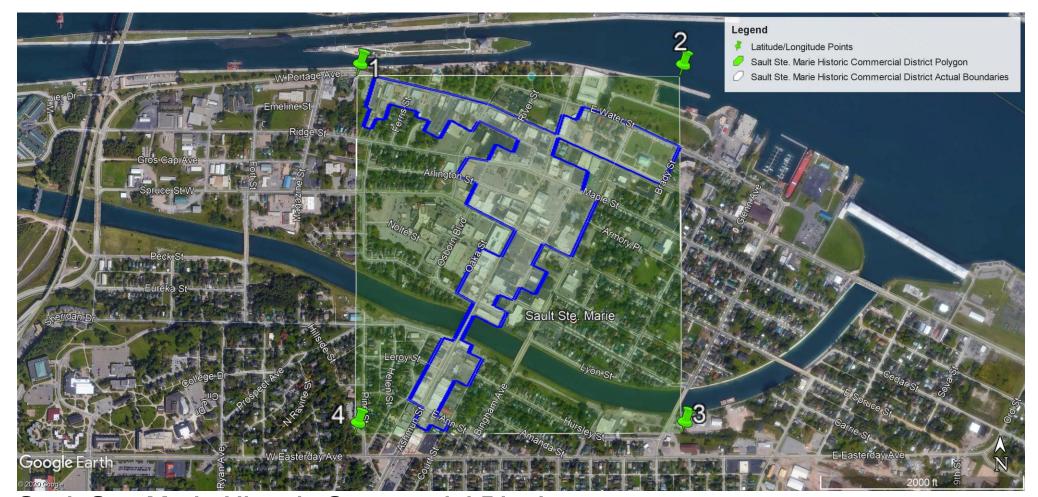


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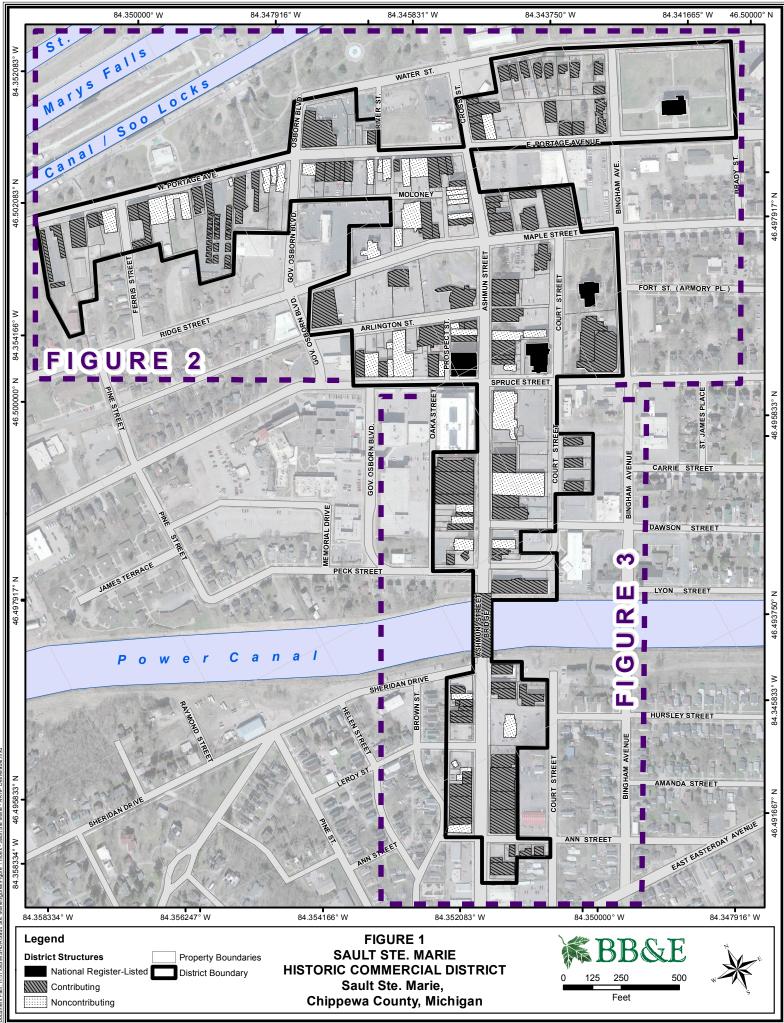


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District Structures

National Register-Listed

Contributing

Noncontributing

Property Boundaries

District Boundary

FIGURE 2 **SAULT STE. MARIE** HISTORIC COMMERCIAL DISTRICT Sault Ste. Marie, Chippewa County, Michigan



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