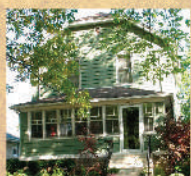


36. HENRY KUTZ HOUSE
310 E. JEFFERSON ST.
Built 1920- Bungalow rebuilt on the original foundation after the first house, built by the Morris Fire Chief, burned.



37. RAY BANNON HOUSE
405 E. JEFFERSON ST.
Built 1923- A five room cottage with a cobblestone porch and attic dormer window.



38. JOSEPH SOREM HOUSE
626 E. JACKSON ST.
Built 1910- Bungalow with hipped-gable roof, an open stairway flanked by wooden columns, and hardwood floors.



39. JOSEPH FEEHAN HOUSE
409 E. NORTH ST.
Built 1905- An unusual wood framed Queen Anne with a conical turret.



40. JAMES WOOD HOUSE
220 W. NORTH ST.
Built 1905- On the cross plan with multiple gable rooflines before the construction of Route 47.



41. PERRY ARMSTRONG-DELOCKERY APARTMENTS
109 E. NORTH ST.
Built 1874- Plain yet dignified, this Georgian style house is built on the double-pile plan with a central hall flanked by two rooms on each side. There are no gutters. A "water table" protects the foundation from water running down the walls.



42. COLLINS HOUSE
306 W. MAIN ST.
Built 1904 - This beautiful Queen Anne Victorian home features a wrap around porch with a formal entrance, as well as one to the parlor. The entrance walls still have the original frieze. The house also boasts several leaded glass windows.



The Morris Heritage Home plaque project is sponsored by the Historic Preservation committee of Morris Downtown Development Partnership.

The project serves to identify the historic homes within the City of Morris, to encourage their preservation, and to promote an awareness and appreciation of the community's history.

To qualify, a house must be at least 75 years old, in good condition, and preserved, rehabbed, or enlarged to maintain its original style and character.

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APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT:

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Morris Area Public Library
604 Liberty Street • 815-942-6880

Grundy County Historical Society Museum
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1. DR. AUSTIN PALMER HOUSE
309 W. MAIN ST.
Built 1894- The doctor's office, sleeping porch, back stairs to the maid's quarters, and original oak woodwork still grace this house.



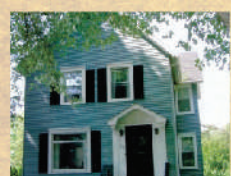
2. ADELAIDE GEBHARD HOUSE
319 W. MAIN ST.
Built 1923- Custom built for the original owner with a roof of Ludowici clay tile and copper gutters and downspouts.



3. FRED GEBHARD HOUSE
320 W. MAIN ST.
Built 1916- Following the same plan as the house across the street, Fred Gebhard built this one as a wedding gift for his bride, Louise Baum.



4. MARSHALL B. WILSON HOUSE
506 CALHOUN ST.
Built 1892- A spectacular Queen Anne built as the retirement home of the cattle baron and farmer of 1400 acres in Erienna and Vienna townships.



5. J. C. CARR HOUSE
518 CALHOUN ST.
Built 1898- A fine example of early gable front style, with a side porch, leaded glass window, and two staircases.



6. A.E. WASHBURN HOUSE
528 CALHOUN ST.
Built 1903- This has been the home of the owner of the Steep & Washburn Tile factory, a Morris school superintendent, a retired farmer and two undertakers.



7. J.A. POOL HOUSE
407 W. JACKSON ST.
Built 1897- In the Folk Victorian style with a front gable wing. The original owner operated a drug store in Morris, then managed the Chicago Telephone Company.



8. A.H. HILLIKER HOUSE
318 W. JACKSON ST.
Built 1910- Two story cottage with hip roof, attic dormer, and bay window.



9. EDWIN FLETCHER HOUSE
322 W. JACKSON ST.
Built 1913- Prairie style with stained glass windows, quarter sawn oak woodwork, and period fixtures.



10. FRED STEPHEN HOUSE
211 W. JACKSON ST.
Built 1902- Late Victorian style with multiple roofline and Palladian window. The entry lamps once stood outside the Morris Carnegie Library.



11. SAMUEL UNDERWOOD HOUSE
219 W. NORTH ST.
Built 1880- A cross plan house with many of the original historic details still remaining- Maid's back stairs, transom windows, marble fireplaces, and cistern.



12. P.K. CROSS HOUSE
321 W. NORTH ST.
Built 1894- A mission style bungalow, home of John MacDonald, president of Morris Quaker Oats Company.



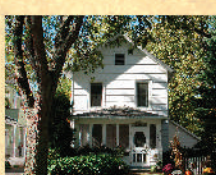
13. ELI JOHNSTON-DR. HUGO AVALOS HOUSE
423 FULTON ST.
Built 1897- This free style Queen Anne has a front gable roof with broad cedar siding on the first story and shingles above.



14. PETER JOHNSON HOUSE
603 FULTON ST.
Built 1897- This free style queen Anne has a front gable roof, with broad cedar siding on the first story and shingles above.



15. DAVID A. MATHEWS HOUSE
708 FULTON ST.
Built 1912- D.A. Mathews, founder of the Morris Hospital, divided the original house located here into two houses, moved them to 712 & 716 Fulton and built this new cottage for himself.



16. WILLIAM BURWELL HOUSE
716 FULTON ST.
Built 1857- This house and the one next door were one house, divided and moved here from its original location at 708 Fulton St.



17. CHARLES YOUNG HOUSE
723 WAUPONSEE ST.
Built 1892- A four square house with a front porch opening onto an open staircase to the second floor. The living room extends the entire length of the house.



18. EDWARD WATERS HOUSE
518 WAUPONSEE ST.
Built 1924- A four square house built of cedar shake with a rounded front entry and a fan light above the door.



19. MORRIS KNIGHT MAGNER HOUSE
724 FREMONT AVE.
Built 1900- This 15 Room Queen Anne was home to the daughter of George Woelfel, owner of the Morris Tannery.



20. MILFORD HULL HOUSE
801 FREMONT AVE.
Built 1923- An English cottage of brick and frame construction, highlighted by a turreted front entrance. The original owner operated the Morris Grain Co.



21. EDWARD SANFORD HOUSE
440 VINE ST.
Built 1875- A statuesque three story Italianate mansion. The original chandeliers and marble fireplaces still grace the interior.



22. DELOS JONES HOUSE
512 VINE ST.
Built 1898- A brick Italianate with round arched windows and sawn work porch decoration. The bricks were locally made.



23. ANNE RIDINGS HOUSE
518 VINE ST.
Built 1902- A unique Corn Belt Cube house with peaked hip roof decorated by an open gable, roof brackets, and a cross framed round window.



24. DAVID SPENCER HOUSE
616 VINE ST.
Built 1868- A classic Italianate with tall, paired arched windows and a hooded doorway.



25. GEORGE G. BLAIR HOUSE
1307 UNION ST.
Built 1910- This farm house for the Blair Dairy was moved from across the street during construction of Morris Community High School.



26. WILLIAM REARDON, JR. HOUSE
4140 W. ROUTE 6
Built 1865- Samuel Hoge built this Italianate mansion for his daughter as a wedding present at the time of her marriage to Civil War Capt. William Reardon, Jr.



27. WILLIAM VINER HOUSE
628 E. ILLINOIS AVE.
Built 1895- An unusual example of Folk Victorian architecture with a hip roof, and an eclectic medley of shingles, porch spindles, window framing and other decorative elements.



28. JOHN BONAR HOUSE
703 E. ILLINOIS AVE.
Built 1902- A Balloon frame home built for a coal miner who became a clothing merchant.



29. OLE ERICKSON HOUSE
746 E. ILLINOIS AVE.
Built 1885- Queen Anne-Colonial Revival style with a wrap around porch and unique exterior trim.



30. WALTER JONES HOUSE
504 E. WASHINGTON ST.
Built 1897- Late Victorian with unusual four gable roof and elaborate interior woodwork. Built by a local grocer and shoe salesman.



31. ISAAC FISH HOUSE
403 E. WASHINGTON ST.
Built 1872- A gable front house with a Greek revival roof line, first owned by entrepreneur investors.



32. HENRY BAUM HOUSE
311 E. WASHINGTON ST.
Built 1874- An Italianate urban row house surrounded by the original wrought iron fence.



33. EBER HUME HOUSE
305 E. MAIN ST.
Built 1910- Custom built family home occupied by six generations.



34. ROBERT PEACOCK HOUSE
313 E. MAIN ST.
Built 1856- Greek Revival with narrow wood clapboard siding covering the original 10 inch thick brick walls.



35. MILFORD HULL HOUSE
426 E. MAIN ST.
Built 1893- Queen Anne with three covered porches, two ornate chimneys, sunrise and sunset gables, a turret and fish scale shingles. The interior rooms are finished in a variety of different woods.