

County Clerk/Register of Deeds Announces Photography Contest Winners

MOUNT CLEMENS, MI – Macomb County Clerk/Register of Deeds Carmella Sabaugh announced the winning entries for the photography contest that will feature the selected photos on the front and back covers of the new 2004 Macomb County directory.

The photography contest, co-sponsored by Macomb County Clerk/Register of Deeds, Carmella Sabaugh and Community Central Bank. Tom Swain, a resident of Chesterfield Township, won a prize of a \$100 U.S. savings Bond for being chosen as the Grand Prize winner. Swain took the cover photograph of U.S. Senator John F. Kennedy studying before a speech he delivered in Mount Clemens in 1959.

"Macomb County plays an important role in national politics," said Sabaugh. "U.S. Senator John F. Kennedy's 1959 visit to Mount Clemens shows Macomb County has been important for quite a while." Photos were to spotlight a past or present United States President or United States Presidential candidate. Macomb County Clerk/Register of Deeds Carmella Sabaugh, Branch Manager Kathy Trombley on behalf of Community Central Bank, and President of Robinson Photography Michael Robinson judged the contest.

The back of the directory features the five finalist's photographs. Each finalist won a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond. They are:

- Sean Gunnery of Richmond Township (Sean Gunnery with President Bill Clinton at Selfridge Air National Guard Base in 1999);
- Dorothy Storz of Macomb Township (George H.W. Bush in St. Clair Shores in 1980);
- Kenneth Sanborn of Macomb Township (Clinton Township Supervisor Kenneth Sanborn, Congressman Robert J. McIntosh, Vice-President Richard Nixon in Mount Clemens in 1960);
- Tom Swain of Chesterfield Township (U.S. Senator John F. Kennedy in Mount Clemens in 1959); and,
- Lori Welsh of Harrison Township (Thomas S. Welsh with President Harry S. Truman in Mount Clemens in 1971).



All winners will be recognized at the Full Board of Commissioners meeting on Thursday, December 11, 2003 at 7:00 p.m. The Macomb County directory will be available to the public the end of January.