



CENTRALLY LOCATED

Perry and Morrice's main east-west road is Interstate 69. Interstate 96 is a few miles south of us. M-52 is the main north-south route for eastern central Michigan. The Grand Trunk Railroad's main line from Toronto to Chicago runs through southwest Shiawassee County.

Lansing	30 minutes
Flint	35 minutes
Ann Arbor	60 minutes
Saginaw	80 minutes
Grand Rapids	80 minutes
Detroit	90 minutes
Kalamazoo	120 minutes
Muskegon	120 minutes
Chicago	4 hours
Toronto	5 hours

Major Airports:

Lansing	30 minutes
Flint	30 minutes
Detroit Metro	85 minutes

MUSEUMS

The Perry and Morrice area boasts two fine points of interest from a historical sense. McQueen House in downtown Perry is preserved in vintage condition, full of memorabilia and antique furniture, dishes, household goods, etc. Mike Holder's John Deere Tractor Museum, with all related items, is in the area and available for tours by private arrangement. Nearby are Impression Five Museum, Kresge Art Museum, Curwood Castle and the Henry Ford Museum in Greenfield Village.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITES

Perry and Morrice are served by two excellent K-12 public school systems. The Perry and Morrice school systems offer a broad range of educational and athletic opportunities. For advanced learning, the area is conveniently located to major universities and community colleges.

- 25 minutes to Michigan State University in East Lansing
- 25 minutes to Baker College, Western and Central Michigan University Campuses in East Lansing

- 60 minutes to The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor campus
- 40 minutes to The University of Michigan Flint campus and Mott Community College
- 35 minutes to Kettering University in Flint
- 25 minutes to Lansing Community College in Lansing
- 15 minutes to Baker College in Owosso

PUBLIC SERVICES

Perry and Morrice are thriving because it offers the lowest property taxes in the Greater Lansing area as well as an abundance of affordable housing.

Perry and Morrice are serviced by the Perry Area Fire Rescue, with two stations, one in Perry and one in Morrice. Perry and Morrice each have their own local police department, and the County Sheriff and State Police posts within 15 miles of the area.

TDS Telephone Company offers a state-of-the-art fiber optic system with local calling service to the Greater Lansing Area.

RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITES

The southwest corner of Shiawassee County offers many opportunities for outdoor recreation. Fishing in the many small rivers and lakes offer bass, pike and pan fish for the sportsman. Hunting in season offers a full schedule of geese, waterfowl, pheasant, quail, and woodcock. In the scattered woodlots abound deer, squirrel and rabbits. There are also excellent opportunities for boating, canoeing, hiking and camping. Sleepy Hollow State Park, Rose Lake Recreation Area and the Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge are all nearby. Winter sports include snowmobiling, and downhill and cross-country skiing. The Great Lakes are close by too.

SPECTATOR SPORTS

There are many professional, college, and amateur sporting events nearby. Professional baseball, hockey, football, and basketball are within easy reach in the Detroit area. At nearby Ann Arbor and East Lansing are major college big-ten conference football, baseball, basketball, and hockey, not to mention the minor sport's categories. Smaller colleges such as Baker and Lansing Community College all offer sports programs with spectator participation.

CHURCH AND SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

The Perry-Morrice area offers 17 different choices of religious services and 10-community service organizations.

MEDICAL FACILITES

Perry and Morrice are within a short drive of 8 major hospitals including Lansing's Sparrow Hospital and Owosso's Memorial Healthcare. Michigan State University is a major teaching and training facility for medical doctors and Doctors of Osteopathy. Medical, dental, and chiropractic professionals serve us locally.

The Perry-Morrice Chamber of Commerce has information pamphlets available in the following categories:

- Distance to various cities/destinations
- Names of government officials
- Property Tax comparisons
- Names of business people to talk with
- Industrial sites
- Schools and Churches
- Historical sites and museums

GOALS

The Perry-Morrice Chamber of Commerce has the following goals: Foster community pride, involvement, and beautification; invest in the education of our members; develop vital business partnerships; and promote regionalization.

MISSION STATEMENT

Our purpose is to identify, coordinate, and promote the activities, which will facilitate economic, civic, and cultural development in the entire area. These activities will be facilitated through the coordinated efforts of the industrial, educational, religious, commercial, and civic organizations.



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