

OAK HARBOR – ADDRESS LISTING A LIST OF OCCUPANTS THROUGH THE YEARS

1 – Early businesses did not use street addresses. Numbers for street addresses were not assigned by the US Post Office until 1926. (First home/business mail delivery – June 21, 1926). Therefore, some early business locations may be slightly mis-placed.

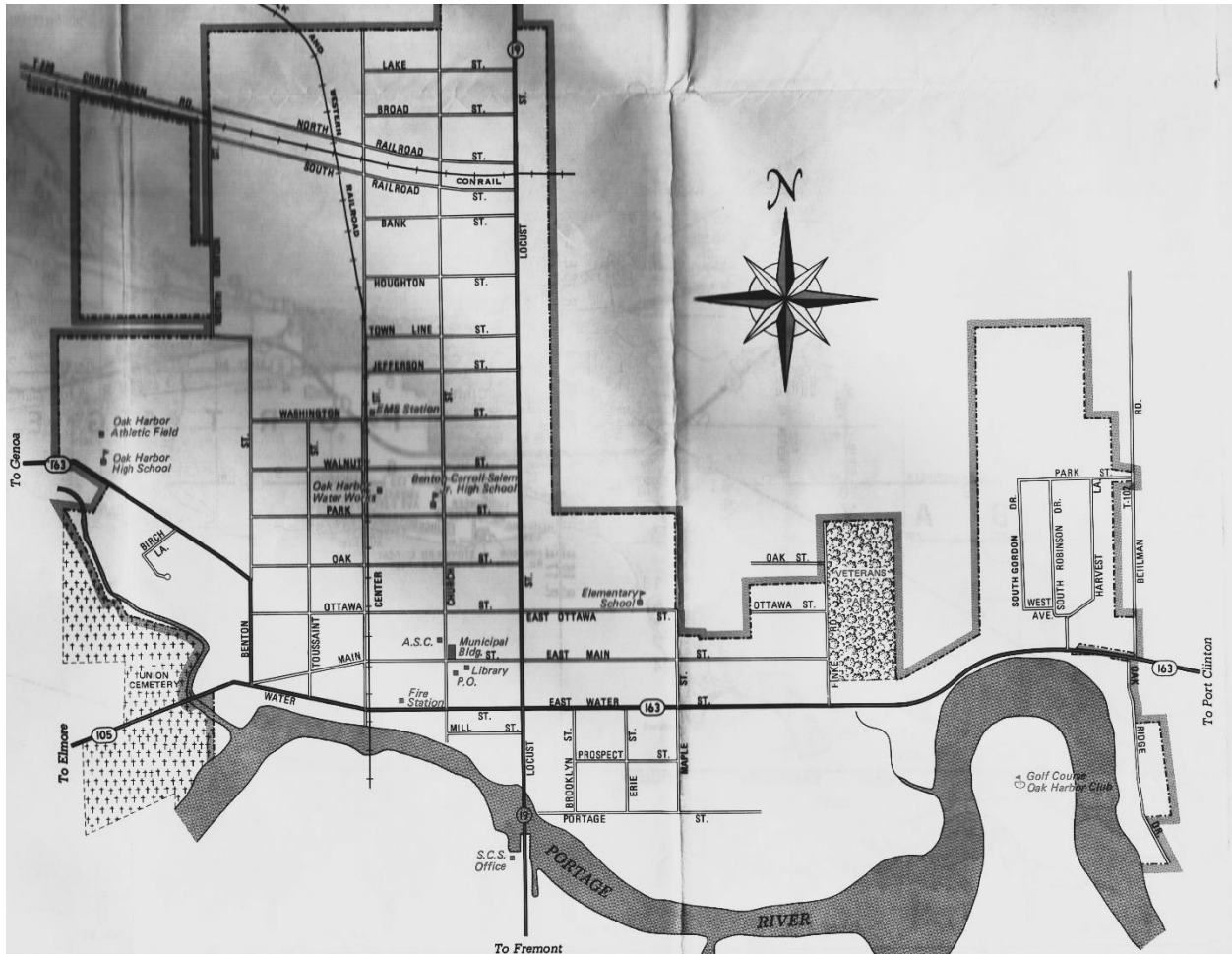
2 – Dates, in some instances, are only approximant or refer to a year when information about a business was found. Different sources sometimes have different dates. Some businesses were short lived, making them difficult to date. Exact dates will require additional research.

3 – The Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps are an excellent source for early business information. Maps include the location, type of structure and in some cases the exact name of the business.

4 – This is not a complete listing. History is never complete. It is always changing based upon oral interviews, conversations, personal memories, and written records. More information is always surfacing during research.

5 – Additional information can be accessed in the on-line Ottawa County Exponent which can be accessed on the Oak Harbor Public Library website under the Local History and Museum tab.

This newspaper was printed from 1871-2015. Early editions from 1871-1897 have been destroyed by fire & flood. Some early history can be found reprinted in later editions.



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WATER STREET – EAST WATER STREET

100 East Water St

(Brick building moved north 30 feet from Water St. right-of-way in 1928)

- Otto Schimansky Blacksmith & Wagon Works (Built wood Bdg.1875, burned 1883)
- Mylander & Wilhelmsen Blacksmith, 1897 (wood bldg.)
- Ficken-Huntress Grocery, 1912 (John Ficken built brick bldg. 1911.) (John Ficken-Sammuel Huntress)
- Wm. Klipp, Nov. 1, 1913, Grocery
- Wm. Bredehoft Grocery, 1914
- Hoedt Grocery - 1917
- Charles Corson Grocery - Apr. 1918
- J.H. Ficken Grocery - Aug. 1918
- Carl Noble & Hodie Krieger Grocery (Approx. 1926 before building moved back in 1928) (Charles “Honsey” Fought barber shop in back of store.)
- Rymer Bros. - 1926
- C.C. Bleckner Grocery – Prior to 1928
- (1928 - Building moved back from Water St and converted to auto sales, service, gas station)
- Griest Super Service – 1930 (Chrysler/Plymouth) (Max Griest)
- Griest Motor Sales (late 1940's/early 1950's)
- Skip & Paul's Gulf Station – 1954 (Clifford “Skip” Brindley, Paul Deal, Paul Weirch)
- Skip's Gulf Station – 1955 – “Skip” Brindley
- Dale's Gulf (late 1950's/early 1960's) (Dale Quisno)
- Dale & Jack's Gulf (mid 1960's) – Dale Quisno & Jack Quisno
- Denny's Gulf Station – 1968 -2011 (Dennis Hamann)
- Denny & Bill's – Auto Repair (Dennist Hamann, Bill Edge)
- Bill's Auto & Towing Inc. LTD – 2007
- (Closed due to health – Sept/Oct 2015)
- Car Storage & Apt. – Monica & Dave Mitchell – 2016 to present (2024)

101 East Water St

- Geo. Momeny General Store, 1860 (frame bldg. from Toussaint River area)
- Sherman House (frame hotel) faced Locust St, moved here from Toussaint River area, 1864/1880
- Frame building torn down about 1898/1899
- Kramb Company General Store (brick building built 1900/1901) 1900 until early 1930's
- Charles Kemp Cigars, early 1930's
- Charles Kemp Restaurant – “The Spot” - 1931
- Green Derby Restaurant & Nite Club – 1930s (Ed Brindley)
- Western Auto (Frank Doving)
- (Brick Building torn down October 1939)

- (Cement block building built 1939/1940)
- Brindley's Sohio – Open September 1940 – (Carlyle “Skinny” Brindley)
- Kurt's Sohio, -1976 – Kurt Greiger -
- Kurt's BP – Change to BP in 1991 – 2015
- Oak Harbor BP – 2015 – Beck Suppliers
- Oak Harbor BP – Gas only, no repair – Nov 2019
- 2022 – Station closed – Pumps & Signage removed January 2023
- Underground tanks removed – August 22, 2023
- Building empty – 2022 to present (2024) Under Environmental testing

114 East Water St

- Bayou (Hartford Bayou, East Bayou, Guyton/Ditch) (filled in by Russ Wheeler for Al VanAtta in 1957)
- VanAtta Dairy Plaza, Aug. 16, 1957–1980 – (Al VanAtta)
- Brown's Dairy Plaza, 1980 (Kenneth & Linda VanAtta Brown)
- (1979/1980 to 2019 – Manager Paula Weirch)
- Drown's Dairy Plaza, Aug. 24, 1993 (Carrie & Jeff Drown)
- Addition to west side – Jan 1995 (Owned for 25+ years in 2022 – Gloria Gibson)
- Village Creamery –April 14, 2023 – (Added outdoor table & chairs in front 2023) (Zane Enterprises - Greer)
- July 8, 2024 – New owner – Andruzis Carol)

115 East Water St

- Grain dock – A. Kraemer – 1870s
- House built 1928
- House & Office - Dr. Geo. A. Boon, MD - 1928 to 1968
- House & Office - Dr. George Hablitzel, DDS – (1978)
- House torn down 2015
- Taco Bell – November 2015 to present (2024)

120/122 East Water St

- Saloon & Dance Hall (just east of bayou) – late 1880s, early 1900s
- Adolphus Kraemer house (Victorian frame house built on same location)
- J.H. Kraemer home (still Victorian style 1950)
- Remodeled into apartment houses about 1952 (Green square shaped building) - Owner O. L. Teagarden
- Torn down March 1995
- McDonald's (122 E Water), opened Jun. 30, 1995, 10:00AM to present (2024)

127 East Water St (House next to Taco Bell)

- Built about 1884 by M. D. Thierwechter – (Michael Thierwechter) (On site of Adolphus Kraemer's barn)
- Judge Carl Sperling – Lived here 1903 to 1960
- Fred & Marion Meckfessel – 1960 to 1989

- Catherine Lewis & Ken McFarlan – 1989 to present (2024)

130 East Water St (House next to McDonald's)

- Built 1887
- Residence of Dr. George Seeley DDS – 1942
- Residence of George & Erin St. Benore - __ to present (2024)
- St. Benore Insurance – George & Erin St. Benore - Started in 1979

138 East Water St (House)

- Built 1898 by Emory Thierwechter (Son of Michael Thierwechter)
- David & Jeanne Thierwechter
- Norman & Carol Pennington – 1995 to 2007
- Alex & Pam Dedes – 2007 to present

139 East Water St (House SE corner Water & Brooklyn St.)

- Built about 1884 by Abraham Thierwechter
- Michael Thierwechter – Here in 1896 for short time
- Dr. Emory B. Huych, MD 1904
- Zehner, Shuster & Graves –Attorneys –1978 -Luella Zehner, Thomas Shuster, Gene Graves
- Shuster, Graves & Kohli – Gary Kohli - In 1988 Shuster remains in Tax & Title only – Graves & Kohli split from firm and move uptown.
- Shuster & J. Brikmanis – 1989 – Thomas Shuster – John Brikmanis
- Good Life, Inc. – Theodore Tucker, Robert Kahl – 1992
- P.J. Corp, MD – Child/Adolescent Psychiatrist 1994
- John Brikmanis – Attorney – About 1989 to present (2024)
- Oak Harbor Bed & Breakfast – John & Lori Brikmanis – 2017 to present(?) 2024

156 East Water St (House)

- Studio House – Summer 1983
- Beckett Studio & Gallery – 1993

150 East Water St (House)

- Built 1916
- Mayor Willard “Woody” Bloom – Lived here since 1916 to 2003
- Carrie Mitchell – 2003 – 2005
- Jeremy & Carrie Rios 2005 to present (2024)

156 East Water St (House)

- Frederick Kilmer – Treasurer of Gordon Lumber Company
- Possible build date of 1890 (?)

162 East Water St (House)

- JAS & Sons Painting – 1992 (Jeffery & Debra Smith – Lived here until 2000)
- Terry & Patricia Auger – 2000 to present (2024)

165 East Water St (House)

- Private House – William Roose – 1897 to 1934 (See below Roose Home entry)
- Private House – Leslie Myer – Sold to Hetrick
- Loyd Hetrick Funeral Home – 1934 to 1946 -Lloyd & Ethel Hetrick
- Robinson Funeral Home – 1946 to 1985 – Glenn & Mary Robinson
- Robinson,Henn,Brossia – 1985 to 1999 – (Don Henn) (James & Stephannie Brossia)
- Robinson, Henn, Brossia, Marsh – 1999 to 2004
- Robinson, Henn, Brossia, Walker – July 1, 2004 to (?)
- Walker Funeral Home & Crematory – (Robinson) Presently (2024)

William Roose – 165 East Water Street – Built 1897 by William Roose. (Ottawa County Auditor site says built in 1895.) Later bought by Leslie Myer who worked at Oak Harbor State Bank. Lloyd & Ethel Hetrick purchased house in 1934 and converted it to a funeral home with residence above it. In 1946, Glenn & Mary Robinson purchased the house and a funeral home business remains here to the present time.

Charles Roose, Sr. – 155 East Water Street – House just west of above (165) house - It was said to look exactly like the William Roose house. The house was bought by O.L. Teagarden and was added onto/remodeled, losing much of the older style appearance. The house was torn down February, 1988 for funeral home parking.

201 East Water St (House)

- Location of Log Cabin – Adolphus Kraemer – 1st permanent house in Hartford.
- Frame house built 1890 by Charles Roose
- Clifton Seely 1926-1942(?) – Christerher MacCormack (?) to 1948
- Office & Home – Dr. Wm. Gibson, MD – 1948 – 1966 (William & Mary Gibson)
- Private Home – Jack & Donna Idhe – 1966 to present (2024)

Charles Roose – 201 East Water Street – Built 1890 by Charles Roose. Foundation is 4 feet thick at base. Oak staircase. The staircase and push button light switches remain in the house. House bought by Clifton Seely, 1926 to 1942(?). Christerher MacCormack, (?) to 1948. William & Mary Gibson, 1948 to 1966. Jack & Donna Idhe, 1966 to present (2016). (This lot is the site of Adolphus Kraemer's log cabin. Thought to be 1st permanent house in the Village of Hartford/Oak Harbor.)

211 East Water St

- Moline Electric Co. – Warren Harrington – 1974

222 East Water St (House)

- Built 1907
- L.Z. Lantz

223 East Water St

- Gardner Dry Walling Plus – 1992 (Also 726 E. 2nd in Port Clinton)

228 East Water St (House)

- Built pre-1900
- Securance Service Inc. – Godfrey “Fritz” Sutter – 1978
- Secure Reality- Godfrey “Fritz” Sutter & Lyle Pl Younker - 1978

239 East Water St

- Harrison Greenhouse – Ralph. M. Harrison – Circa 1900 to Circa 1920
- Greenhouse torn down

240 East Water St (House)

- Built around 1930
- Louis L. Carstensen – Mayor during WWI

244 East Water St (Brick house)

- Built between 1860 & 1890(?) (May have been moved here in 1890)
- Gulf Oil Dist. – Harbor Supply – Mid-1950’s (Actual tanks on Oak Street.)

246 East Water St.

- E.F. Brindley & Sons -Painting & Decorating – 1932

247 East Water St (House)

- Built 1913 by Frank Michel
- Built with Bordeaux Cement Blocks

304 East Water St

- Built 1941 by Dr. F.S. Heller, MD (Frederick Smith Heller)
- Dr. Wilson Shortridge, MD – After Dr. Heller
- Emerson & Eleanor Finke -? To 2013
- Rjay Finke – 2013 to present (2024)

309 East Water St

- Chas. H. Jordon Greenhouse – Circa 1904 (greenhouse location only, torn down)
- Fehr & Snider Auto Laundry – (Rear garage) – 1950’s (1947,1949)

310 East Water St

- Built 1942 by Dr. Clifton M. Seeley, DDS
- Beier Business & Design Service – Michelle Beier – 2000

313 East Water St (House)

- Sandusky Monumental Works – Clarence Garner Monuments – 1950’s to 1960’s – (Home office only)

324 East Water St

- Paulee Cabinet Shop – Residential & commercial cabinets and counters – 1947

East Water St (Address?)

- Myron Rhodes – Greenhouse attached to garage – Grew tomato starts for Weller Co. – 1960s

East Water St (Address-?-Between WWTP Drive & Finke Road, South side?)

- Mrs. Al Rickner Antiques – Early 1970's

355 East Water St

- Focht Bros Inc. - 1958 – Contractor for WWTP construction
- Lamm Construction Company - 1958 – Contractor for WWTP construction

381 East Water St

- Mar-Del Beauty Shop – 1944 to Circa 1980 – (Marty Hensley - ----Durdel)
- House burned 2019 – Rebuilt 2022/2023

410 East Water St

- Marianne's Golden Touch Beauty Studio – 1962 – Marian Scherf

NE Corner, East Water St. & Finke Road

- State of Ohio Highway Garage – Burned in 1934, State moved to a new garage on South Railroad St. about 1935

422 East Water St

- Mulligan Supply Inc (?) – Michael L. Mulligan – 1988 (Office in home)
- Shamrock Industries (?) – Michael L. Mulligan – 1988 (Office in home)

462 East Water St

- Adams Acres Antiques & Collectables – Mid 1997

East Water St (South side, west of curves)

- Dairy – White Oak Dairy – George Thierwechter Sr. – 1910-1913
- Dairy – Mylander & Sons – (Year?)

East Water St (Brick house at curve west of Red Hawk Run)

- Log Cabin – Andrew & Cedilia Pickard
- Brick House – Built around 1900
- George Thierwechter grew up here
- Leonard Mylander
- Tom & Diana Sorg – (?) to present (2024)
- (Barn across road torn down – concrete silo still in place in 2024)

570 East Water St

- Cruise Connections – Brenda Wahl – 1992
- Emerald Video – Brenda Wahl – 1995

East Water St (Near Harvest Lane & Oak Ridge Drive)

- Leaser Dairy – Louis Leaser – 1930’s
- Leaser Dairy – Ray N. Leaser
- House – First House on north side of Water, east side of Harvest Lane
- Barn area – South side of Water, just east of Oak Ridge Drive

STATE ROUTE 163-WEST STATE ROUTE 163-EAST OF OAK HARBOR ON RTE. 163

BEHLMAN ROAD

Behlman Road

- Schibilla Turkey Farm – Mr. Seraphine & Mrs. Orea Schibilla – (6,000-8,000 turkeys) – 1940s(?) to 1980s(?)
- (2nd house on east side, north from 163 – 2 story brick)

Behlman Road

- Acme Alteration Co.- Concrete work, painting roofing – 1958

425 Behlman Road

- Countryside Beauty Salon – Elizabeth Layman, Susan Layman Atkinson – 1975/1977

Behlman Road

- TBN Sawmill – 1947-1972 – Emery Teeman, Robert Teeman, Luther Bloom, Herb Nehls
- Empty block building - 2024

STATE ROUTE 163-WEST STATE ROUTE 163-EAST OF OAK HARBOR ON RTE. 163

9960 West State Route 163 (Incorporated October 2032)

- Hayward Inc.- Offices – Circa 1970’s (metal building)
- Trojan Turf, Inc. – Sod & Sodding Services – 1971 – Howard Kester, L.J. Schiller, Howard Parman

9913 West State Route 163

- Dean Haaser – Chiropractic – Moved here 1972 to 1983
- Oak Harbor Chiropractic Center – Russell D. Tong – 1983 to (present? - 2024)
- Dr. Krishnam Ragothaman, MD – Temporary Office with Tong – Sept/Oct 1998 until moving to 130 N. Locust St.

9849 West State Route 163

- Family farm - Lowell & Eliose Robinson- sold land for medical building – 1959 or 1960

- Built 1959/1960
- Dr. Robert Reeves, MD (east side) & Dr. Robert Minick, MD (west side) – 1960’s
- Dr. Robert Minick, MD (entire building) – Left May 1995
- Oak Harbor Physical Therapy Center – 1995 to 2004
- Empty – 2004 to 2010
- O’Hair Beauty Parlor – 2010 to 2014 (Date incorrect? Possible close in 2010?)
- The Cure – Brenda Silverous – Oct 2014 to present (2024)
- Massage by Chelsey – Chelsey Skaff – Sept 2015 to present(?) - 2024

9797 West State Route 163

- RaNon’s Beauty Shop – Ranon’s Beauty Room – Nanna Johnson – 1975/1977

9567 West State Route 163

- Fully Committed 5150, LLC – Tyson’s Fitness Group – Tyson Smith – 2012 (Basement of house) Started year before above Rocky Ridge fire station.

8956 West State Route 163

- Anchor Inn – John & Carolyn Svoboda – Grand Opening June 7, 1953
- Anchor Inn – “Rich” Wobser – Grand Opening August 7, 1957
- Anchor Inn – Robert L. & Phyllis Haynes – 1975 – 1988
- Anchor Inn – Ken & Glesna Cario – 1988
- Mike’s Tavern – 2012 (Closed winter 2012-2013)
- Mick’s Carry Out & Drive Thru – Open April 15, 2013 – Closed Summer 2026 due to poor health
- Garbil Welding – Cody Garbil – 2019 – Closed in 2022
- Empty Building – 2022 to present (2024)

845 N. Leutz Road

- A & B’s Lawn Care – Dan Arnold – 2019

8512 West State Route 163

- Dunn Excavating – James F. Dunn – 1976 to (?)

West State Route 163

- Nancy Schabow Tax Office – 1977 – Nancy’s Landing (3 miles east of Oak Harbor)

West State Route 163 (Front porch of house)

- Thelma’s Beauty Shop – Thelma (Knoch) Schrader – 1960-2001 – Front porch of house

West State Route 163 (Two Buildings)

- Ottawa County Veteran’s Memorial Building – Veteran’s Administration – 2003
- Board of Elections
- RVI – River View Industries

West State Route 163

- Cemetery (Riverview?) – Behind Veteran’s Memorial Building
- Dog Pound – Behind RVI building

West State Route 163

- Block Building, north side of road, west of LaCarpe Creek – Built @1925
- (Hellier Farm – 56 acres – LaCarpe Creek/Atwater Road)
- Bar & Greyhound stop – 1950s
- Johannsen Farm Supply – 1951/1953
- Farm produce in stand west of building – 1950s
- Arco Gas Station – Ernie Reyes – 1970s
- Empty since 1970s to present (2024) – Some older car storage over the years
- Houses between block building & Atwater Road (to the west) built by Ray Krieger when he owned property

West State Route 163

- Ottawa County Highway Garage
- November 2015 – Ottawa County Engineer Office – From O.C. Courthouse/

Lakewinds Industrial Park – West State Route 163

- Northern Manufacturing – Bought Lots 5&7 in 2009

West State Route 163

- Juvenile Home – Mrs. Lawrence Grieger, Matron – Property bought in 1954 from Gulau family – opened Jan 1957
- Ottawa County Children’s Center – 1957/1959 (Farm house & barn about where county salt shed is) – House torn down (year?)
- Salt Shed for Ottawa County Highway Garage – just west of old house site

West State Route 163 (East of LaCarpe Creek)

- Ottawa County Infirmary – County Home – 1871/1872 – “Poor House”
- Ottawa County Infirmary – torn down August 1969 – Laundry building remained
- Riverview School – MRRD – 1972
- Joyful Connections

West State Route 163 (East of LaCarpe Creek)

- Ottawa County Riverview Home (New in 196---)
- Fairgrounds

7725 West State Route 163

- Oak Harbor Family Practice – Dr. Andrew C. Gombash, DO – May 1999
- Dr. Ronald Shemenski, MD – 1981 - 1993
- Margruder Hospital Medical Building – March 2002
- Sports Medicine here in 2024

West State Route 163 (Metal 2 story, 2 front building)

- Built 2022
- Limestone Glass Tooling – Fabricating shop - 2022

7701 West State Route 163

- Jehovah's Witnesses – Kingdom Hall – First service Nov. 8, 2009

West State Route 163

- Homeville Farm Market – Phyllis Schumaker – 1995(?) to 2008(?)
- Floro Market – Dave Floro – 2008(?) to present 2024

6622 West Harbor Road

- Brunkhorst Engineering Consultants - 1995(?) to 2006(?) – David Brunkhorst
- BEC Associates – 2006 to 2022
- Solvzol LLC – 2022 to present (2024) Thomas Reinhart, Matthew Gandee – Est. in Port Clinton in 2010

OAK RIDGE DRIVE

Oak Ridge Drive did not exist until the Ray N. Lieser 1st Addition in 1946. Road put in May 1949 by property owners. 22 lots. – Homes were considered rich people's residences.

Oak Ridge Drive

- Cedar Bank – West of present Oak Ridge Drive along Portage River – Mid-1800s – Red Cedar trees – site of a log (2 story?) trading post in the early 1800s.
- Bredehoft Grove – Picnic area, south of Water Street, about the Oak Ridge Drive areas along the Portage River – Bredehoft Farm -1910s

(141) Oak Ridge Drive

- Slaughter House – On river bank – 1930s & 1940s (About 141 Oak Ridge Dr.)

Oak Ridge Drive

- Erin's Axolotis of Ohio – K&E Exotic – Erin Bohne – 2021 (Basement of house)

180 Oak Ridge Drive

- Ottawa County Pest Control – Dennis Barton, owner – 1985

194 Oak Ridge Drive

- Siska Products Co – Sailboat speedometers – 1950

HARVEST LANE

200 Harvest Lane

- McDonough Hobbies, Inc. – Arthur & Linda McDonough – 1994

234 Harvest Lane

- Lee J. Argabrite – Light Hauling & Deliveries, Local or Long Distance – 1994

301 Harvest Lane

- Midland Title Security, Inc – 1978

WATER STREET – WEST WATER STREET – NORTH SIDE

102 W Water & 104 W Water (Both east & west store fronts) - Building known as the Kuebler Building from 1900s to 1930s (Spelled this way in newspaper articles, but should be Kuebeler) -- IOOF on top façade until mid-1950s.

Frame Buildings

- W.W. Ward Billiard Saloon, Jun. to Nov. 1872 (destroyed by fire)
- W.W. Ward Confectionary, 1874
- Ottawa House/New Ottawa House Hotel, 1887/1896/1895 – (Frame Building)

Brick Building (Both store fronts)

- Brick Building built 1901
- 2nd Floor – IOOF & Rebecka Lodge – 1901 to (?)
- Bredbeck Hardware, 1904/1917 or 1918
- Bauch Company Hardware (bought Bredbeck 1917 or 1918)
- Mart Kanneman Dodge Agency
- Nick Stevens Grahman (Auto)
- Nick Stevens Dodge Agency - 1939
 - Bowling Alley/Lunch Stand
 - Fruit stand on sidewalk
- Mulligan Electric, moved here 1943
- Mike Burbach Appliance Service, 1962/63
- Oak Harbor Furniture & Appliances, 1962 until 1967
- Faunce's Furniture & Appliances, 1967 to 1976
- Oak Harbor Municipal Offices/Police/Council

102 W Water (East store front)

- Damschroder Carpets, 1977/79 – Roger Damschroder
- Celebrations Unlimited, Aug. 79 to May 1981
- Oak Harbor School of Dance – 1981 – Sarah Sharples
- Pizza House – Andy Canterbury - 1988

- o Andy's Pizza House, 1989
- o Pop'n Out Pizza, 1992–1995 – Miles Fabian & Robert Hanselman
- o (Pizza - Tim & Deb Hepner until 5-11-96)
- Pisanello's Pizza, Aug. 2 1996– present 2024

104 W Water (West store front)

- Druckenmiller Agency (?) to 2003
- Myers Industrial Sales – (Business dissolution January 2007)
- Ralph Ward Agency
- Motor Carrier Compliance & Safety Company – Bob Hanselman – 2003
- Neighborhood Resale – 2013
- Village Creations – 2016 – Barb Rodenhauser
- Perfect Imperfections Boutique & Design, LLC – Aug 2023 to present 2024

106 W Water

- 1 story frame, Confectionary Store - 1904 map
- John Wagner Fruits/Nuts/Candy - 1909–1912
- Empty lot, 1910 map, hitch shed at rear (Building had burned)
- Bandstand – 1914 – On burned building site
- Brick/block building
- Si's Grill, 1939
- City Grill, 1950 - Chet Young, Aluerta Felder, Adam Borsch, Dale Quisno (til 1966)
- Leona's Grill, Leona Hetrick, until Nov. 24, 1984
- Larry's, Larry Jay, Dec. 12, 1984 until Apr. 1985
- Olde Time Grill, Katie Parman, May 2, 1985–Sep. 3, 1995
- General Athletic Lettering & Sportswear, Jun. 96 to Jul. 2000 – Becky Behring
- Black Swamp Observatory – 2001- 2005
- Tanning Bayou – 2005-2009 – Kim Rounds
- Perfect Ten Nails – 2006 – Kendra McKinniss (In with Tanning Bayou)
- C.O.P.E. (Counseling Options & Parent Effectiveness) – Joyce M. Gates MA, LICDC, LPCC – 2010 to present 2024

Empty lot – Between 106 W Water & 112 W Water

- Access to hitching shed behind corner building – 1910
- Metal shed for livery stable – 1930s
- Rear lot concrete block building – 1947 to present
- Front open lot – to present 2024

112 W Water

- Joseph VonThron Saloon – 1888
- Christ Vogel Saloon – (Possible location, Date?)
- B. Rosenfield Dry Goods - 1897 (Possible location)
- Emil Grieger Saloon, 1897/1904/1910 - Billiards
- Henny Rice Bar, 1908
- Rice & Bowersox Saloon, 1914

- C. Bowersox, 1912 (Saloon?)
- Eckhoff Saloon - 1913
- Rose's Restaurant - Beni & Rose Domoko's - 1927/1928
- Kemp Restaurant – Charle & Emma Kemp – 1930s
- Louis Krapp Saloon & Lunch Room (late 1930's?) 3rd location
- Kroger Store, late 1950's/early 1960's(?)
- Nehls' Market – Caroll Nehls - 1960–Aug. 13/14, 1985
- Dor-Way Antiques – Doris & Wayne Wolf - Sept 9, 1986 until(?) – Empty in 2024
- (Remodel, October 2024 – Possible beauty salon)
- Ad signs painted on east side of building as shown in photographs over the years..
 - 1st John Joha---
 - 2nd cow or horse
 - 3rd Kroger Store

(Note: From 114 W Water to 124 W Water – Frame building – Lot #31, Block #120 – John F. Tiase opened Oak Hall – first hotel in Hartford, 1858 – various owners – name changed to American House in 1869 – lasted until at least 1879 – exact location not known – somewhere in this area)

114 W Water

- P. Kramb Grocery, prior to 1901 (start of business to later become Kramb Comp.)
- Cash Store – Hats, Notions, Novelties – June 1901 – M. Rogers & Daughter
- Vacant lot - 1904 map (Possible frame building was torn down)
- Saloon & Restaurant - 1910 map
- E. J. Cairl – Saloon & Restaurant –1913
- John & Ed Weise Bros. General Store/Furs, 1930's
- Louis Krapp Saloon (2nd location)
- Charlie Cover Café/Oak Café, 1950/1966
- Oak Café – Kenny & Millie Layman – 1975
- Oak Café – Doris & Wayne Wolf – 1979 to 1997
- Oak Café – Phil Weirich & Mark Blakely – 1999-2000
- Oak Café – Phil Weirich – 2000
- Oak Café – Julie Glass – 2009 – Business closed in 2009
- Oak's/Oak's Little Venetian Pizza – 1994
- Sugar & Spice – Christie & Dean Heberlein 2014
- Village Bake Shop – Liza White – 2014-2018
- Cake Bite Delights – Jamie Avers – May 22, 2018 to July 14, 2018
- Sweet Treats – Bakery – Tim Herner – 2019
- Patty Cakes Village Bake Shop – Nancy Calvert, Kelly Burnworth – 2019-2021
- Catawba Juice – Oct 2021 to Dec 2021
- Wild Brew Coffee Shop – Jan 2022 (Sidewalk tables May 2023) to present 2024
- 2nd Floor: 1910, cigar factory
- 2nd Floor: Farm Bureau – Date?

118 W Water

- 1904 & 1910 maps show harness shop
- Erve Ellsworth Harness Shop
- I.H. Ellsworth Harness Shop, 1906
- Ellsworth Shoe Store (Freeman running it) 1930's
- Possible Western Auto (?) – 1930s & 1940s
- Freeman's Gift Store (year?)
- Vacant, 1950's
- Philip Jewelry Store, 1956/1958 – Branch of Port Clinton store)
- Wheeler & Fehr – 1958 – Tom Wheeler – Phil Fehr
- Melody Shoppe, 1959 (Wheeler's Melody Shoppe)
- Bell Clothing House, 1962/1963- Lawrence Rust
- Kramer's Shoe Repair, 1964 To 1972- Lou Kramer
- J&J Shoe Repair- Joe & Joanne Weibel - 1976
- Game Room, Oak Café (1984)
- Radio Shack, July 2000–Nov. 2000 – Ray Blakely, Mark Blakely
- Oak Café Game Room
- Julio's Mexican Restaurant – 2004
- The Daily Grind – Coffee Shop - Lisa & Steve Gilleland – 2007-2008
- Juggernaut – (? what was this) – BJJ & MMA
- Ribeirojio-Jitso – Dec 2013
- The Hope Chest – Dec 2016 – Nov 2018
- Empty 2018 to 2021
- Harbor Mattress – May 2021 to June 2021 – Going out of business in this location
- OHLP Liquidation – Ohio Liquidation Pro – March 2024 to present 2024

124 W Water

- Music & Furniture, 1904 map
- Piano's & Bicycles, 1910 map
- Abdo Essi General Store – 1913 to 1930s - (2nd location)
- Happy Hour Inn, 1950/1962/1988 to present 2024 – (Various owners)
- 2nd floor
 - Dr. Donald F. Loeffler, MD - 1956 (?)
 - Dr. Robert Minick, MD - 1956–1960

126 W Water

- Ficken Grocery Store – John F. Ficken – 1895 to 1901
- L.J. Spitzer & Son Meat Market – 1901
- John Brady Meat Market
- S.P. Bowersox & Son, City Meat Market, 1910? To 1919
- Chas. H. Schlunz Meat Market, 1930's
- Deluxe Cleaners – C.J. Chestnutwood – 1936 (May be wrong location – Address given was 128 W Water) (May have been 130 W Water?)

- Roscoe “Shorty” Lenz (Lantz?) Shoe Store - 1942
- B&F Shoe Store, 1949 – Elstner Bender & Don Fought
- Meckfessel Shoe Store, 1950/1967 – Fred Meckfessel
- Meckfessel Shoe Store – Scott Meckfessel – until 1979
- Blevin’s Kajukenbo Karate, closed Jan./Feb. 1988- Vern Blevin
- Class “A” Studio/Dancer’s Inc., Aug. 1, 1988–Jun./Jul. 1990
- Wood Shoppe Gifts, Sep. 1990–Nov. 1990
- Gruber & Sons Floor Covering & Carpet, 3/9/91 to 8/93 – Ron Gruber
- Ginger’s Fitness Forte – Oct. 25, 1993 to Dec 2003 – Ginger Stayancho
- Shorin Ryu – Martial Arts – 2004
- Class A Tumbling – 2012 to (?)

130 W Water

- Saloon – 1904 Map
- Eckoff Saloon, 1910
- Russ Rice Saloon, 1930’s
- Clammour Beauty Shop, 1950’s?
- Mierke Barber Shop, 1950’s? to 1958
- The Sewing Basket
- Marvin Brunning Agency – 1954 (small office at front, east side, until early 1990’s)
- Wheeler – Bordeaux Melody Shop – 1961
- Cotton Candy Quilt Shop- until Aug. 1984
- Village Office Supply, Aug. 1984–Nov. 1985 – Mary Bradley, Manager
- Oceanside Aquatics, July 1986 until?
- Oceanside Pet Grooming, Mar. 1987 until?
- Baumgartner Pizzeria – Doing business as Little Emery’s - 1972
- Little Emery’s Pizzeria (1978)
- Pro Data Micro, Feb. 1995 to Nov. 1995
- United Insurance Service, Mar. 1998 to Aug. 2001
- Lawyer’s Office – Work area for Dawn Schietts – No sign posted - Spring 2002
- American Family Insurance – Jennie Dornbusch – 2004 to 2009
- American Family Insurance – Joshua J. Podach Agency – 2009 to (?)
- Med-Quip Repair – Don Huffman – 2012 to 2013
- The Snoochy Poochy – Salon & spa for dogs – Amanda Linton – 2014 to present 2024

132 W Water (East store front of present 2024 McKean law office)

- Hitch Shed, 1904 & 1910 map – Entry, east side of store front.
- John Eckhoff Saloon & Livery - 1907/1913
- Lester Murphey Barber Shop, 1930’s
- Rice’s Café - 1948/1960 - Ike Rice, Orson Rice
- Thom Wheeler Music Shop – 1960s – Olive Wheeler
- Bordeaux Paints – 1960s – Olive Wheeler
- 2nd floor
 - U.S. Dept. of Int. Fish & Wildlife Services (1962)

- Guy H. Dicken's Collection Agency (1963)
- Embers – Bar & Night Club - 1965
- Bob Wheeler Disco & Skating Rink
- Asher Bros. Auto Parts, 1977–1995
- Robertson Law Center - Jerry Robertson, Attorney, Mar. 11, 1996
- American Express Financial Advisors – Richard E. Warren – 1996 – Same building as Jerry Robertson
- McKean & McKean - Bought out Robertson in 2006 – Al & Pam McKean – present 2024

134 W Water (West store front of present 2024 McKean law office)

- Abdo Essi General Store, 1907–1913 (1st location)
- Oak Harbor Nat'l Gas Company, 1917/1919
- Charles Schlunz Meat Market -
- Meat Markets – Oppenburg, Omi Follett, Nick Stevens (1930s & 1940s at least)
- Police Department (?) – 1956, 1963 – Phone books of 1959 & 1962 give this address
- Oak Harbor Businessmen Association – 1949 Phone book)

136 W Water (Address for 2 frame buildings that became 1 brick building)

West wood frame building

- Millinery, 1904 map
- H.C. Mylander Fruit, 1910
- John Eckhoff Saloon, 1917
- Possible(?) - A&P 1925-1933
- Ralph Velliquette Electrical, 1930's
- Carl Smith Restaurant, 1930's
- Possible (?) – Restaurant 1933 – Edw. J. Caril
- Guy Dicken's Tire Shop, 1930's
- Greswold Shoe Repair 1936
- Possible A&P Store (?) – 1925 to 1933

East wood frame building

- Namy Bassett – Grocery – 1898 to 1937
- Peter Maul Barber Shop, 1903- 1908
- Horse Shed (rear?) 1904

Brick Building erected 1937 (In place of 2 frame buildings)

- Bassett Grocery, 1937 to 1964, various names, Bassett Super Supply, Supermarket, IGA
- Taxi Stand – 1948 (Parking space reserved for taxi in front of building)
- Family Food Store, 1979
- Second Hand or/and Antique Store, (name?)
- Oak Harbor Hobbies - Gloor Craft Hobbies - Jeanne's T-Shirt Terminal, 1983/1988 (Steve & Jeannie Gloor) – Move to 715 N Locust St
- The Wood Shed Gift Shoppe, May to Sep. 1990
- Hearts & Flowers, Apr. 2, 1991 to Nov. 1992 – Becky Lewis

- Fancy Free Catering & Bakery, Feb. 93 to Aug. 93, Tim Hepner & Deb Snyder
- Winebarger's Heating & Cooling, Aug. 30, 1993 – 2004 – Ron Winebarger
- Northwest Ohio Wellness Center – 2004-2012/2015
 - Curves 2004 to 2012
 - Enhance Your Health – Andrea Lange - 2004 to 2015
 - Beauty for Ashes – Life Coaching & Counseling – Julie Wendt – 2004
 - Mary's Hair Design – Mary Paulsen – 2004
- 2nd Floor - Mary's Hair Design – Moved upstairs
- 2nd Floor - Co Pilot Counseling, LLC – Nicki Sherman – Upstairs – (?) to 2015
- 2nd Floor - Beauty for Ashes – Julie Wendt – Moved upstairs
- Body Works Fitness Studio – Feb 2012 to July 2012
- Fine Arts Creations – Art gallery & store – Jackie Bodnar – 2013 – Move upstairs in 2014
- 2nd Floor Fine Art for Community Causes becomes “Thy Upstairs Art Vineyard – to 2015
- Oak N' Harbor Distillery – Joe Helle & Andrea Elder – Aug 2014
- Hallowed Oak – distillery – 2018 to 2019
- Sierra Nicole Photography – 2020 to present

142 W Water

- Pete Maul Barber Shop, prior to 1882 (frame building?)
- Brick Building erected sometime prior to 1882
- Thierwechter General Store, 1882 until 1914/15 - various names
 - M.D. Thierwechter – Michael Thierwechter
 - Thierwechter & Sons
 - Thierwechter Company
 - Emery Thierwechter
- Hoedt Sisters Milinery – 2nd floor (?) (Apr. 1898 to Mar. 1898?)
- Bauch Company, 1914/15 to 1930 – Carl Bauch
- Home Mercantile, 1930 to 1938 (?)
- 2nd Floor, rear - G.L. Products, 1944
- 2nd Floor, rear - Rocketeen Room, 1940's/50's (Teen center) (Murals by John Krueger)
- Family Food Store, 1938, 1950/1963
- Faunce's Furniture Store, 1968/1978
- Mini Mall – 1982 – (Various businesses as listed below)
- Oak Harbor Hobbies & Jeannie's T-Shirt Terminal – Jeannie Gloor
- Pioneer Photography
- St. Benore Agency until Oct. 1988 – George St. Benore
- New Beginnings Office Supply & Stationary
- CBS Barber Shop until Nov. 84
- Dennis Laub O.B. – Optometrist
- Marche's Boutique until Oct. 84
- United Brethren Church Office
- The Celebrity (Jewelry & Cosmetics) 1982
- Class A Studio of Dance, Feb. 1985 to Aug. 1988
- Mike Gentry Agency, 1986

- Graves & Kohli, Lawyers, Jan. 1986 – Gene Graves – Gary Kohli
- All State (Insurance) - Allan Weber, Jan. 1991 to Sep./Oct. 1992
- Great Lakes Audiology (Hearing Aids) Jan. 1993 for 6–12 months
(Front overhang removed May 8, 1993)
- Heartbeat Pregnancy Center of Ottawa County (1996)
- Enhance Your Health (1996) Massage Therapy – Elizabeth Graves – Andrea Lange
- Kohli & Christie – Lawyers – 2004
- Guiding Hands Home Health Service – Diane Stevenson, Patti Eynik – 2005 to 2011
- Work Place Resources – 2012
- Beauty for Ashes – 2015 to present 2024 (Rear, main floor)
- CoPilot Counseling – 2015 – 2018 (Rear, main floor)
- Oak Harbor Eye Care – Bought from Dennis Laub, Optometrist – 2018 to present 2024

144 W Water & 144 ½ W Water (Addresses for 2nd floor of parts of 142 & 148 W Water)

- USDA Soil Conservation - Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation – 1956-1964(?)

148 W Water

- Thierwechter Store, 1882 – Emery Thierwechter
- 2nd Floor - Dr. Huyck, MD - 1896
- 2nd Floor - John Duff, (lawyer) - 1897
- Bauch Company, 1914/15 to 1930 – Carl Bauch
- Home Mercantile, 1930 to 1938?
- Mylander Ice Cream Store, 1933 to 1944 – Stanley Mylander
- VanAtta Restaurant, 1944–1977 – Al VanAtta
- 2nd Floor - Druckenmiller Insurance Agency, 1947/50
- Blakely’s Restaurant, 1977–1983 – Ray & Jeni Blakely
- Blakely’s Restaurant – 1984 – Jim & Joyce Doust
- Oak Harbor Family Restaurant until 1988, Jan. 1989–Dec. 1994
- The Village Creamery -Sandwich, Soup, Salad – Bev Goldstein, Jim Hickey, Jill Hickey
March - November 1995.
- Remodel to offices – 1996 – (Remained empty)
- Jak’s Place (Restaurant) Feb. 1998 sign, open Apr. 20 or 27, 1998 to 2007.
- Empty 2007 to 2021 (Republican Party Headquarters in October 2010.)
- Glass & More – (Head shop) – 2021 to present 2024

150 W Water

- Possible General Store (?) – Frederick Tschumy
- C.R. Tschumy Jewelry Store, 1894 to 1913 (?) or later (Moved here from 166 W Water)
- Meda Tschumy Jewelry Store, (?) to 1955
- 2nd Floor – Beauty Shop – Maire Brindley
- Mylander Jewelry- Stanley Mylander - (1955 ad said Formerly Tschumy’s & receipt said
Jewelry Store Since 1876)
- Hutchison Jewelry, 1972/1978
- Leo Marks Jewelry - 1980 (pawn shop at the end of business)

- Corthell Electric – 1983 Paul Corthell – Moved here from 264 W Water – In 1985 Tracy Buhrow – 2005 Randy Wilburn closed shop & moved to his farm southeast of town
- Empty in 2024

152 W Water - Building corner stone found during 2003 remodel has 1876 date

- Saloon, 1904 map
- Krapp Saloon & Lunch Room, 1907
- Restaurant, 1914 Photo
- Ed Cairl Restaurant – 1924/1939 -
- Velma's Inn - 1940
- May Fair Restaurant (1942)
- Art's Recreation Center (1944) Billiards, Art Tolan
- Charles Casey Paint Store until Jan. 1950
- Harbor Decorator's, 1949/1950/1953 – Clint Fehlhaber – Moved to 168 W Water
- 2d Floor – Fehlhaber Studio & Camera Shop – 1947-1950
- The Modernette, 1953–1976 – Katherine & “Hap” Dubler
- Modernette Gift & Music Shop, Jan. 1976 to beyond 1985 – Donna Hetrick
- Building façade is rebuilt – 1st floor new, 2nd rebricked over existing – 2003
- Druckenmiller Agency & St Bonore Financial Investors -Paul Druckenmiller–George St.Bonore - 2003 to present 2024

156 W Water

- Blue Front Racket Store, 1909/1917/1920
- Pool Room, 1910 map (2nd Floor?)
- (Large gap! Need information)
- Harry Zehner Dry Goods, 1950- 1958
- Western Auto, 1959/1978 – William & Francis Ebel
- The Attic (Used furniture & collectables) - Until Aug. 31, 1985 – Virginia Below
- Modernette Children's Clothing, 1985 to 1996? – Donna Hetrick
- Village Video's & More, Jun. 1996 to Feb. 1999 – Joyce Sharples, Ken Ellinger
- Stop-N-Tan, May 2000 to 2002 – (Tanning Station) – Dave & Bobby Jo Meek
- Curves – 2003 -2004 – Martha Arndt & Valorie Juergens
- AHAB Center – Billings, Mass Mailings, Business needs – 2005 – 2007
- Balloons Gifts & More – Sandy Seaman – 2007 2008
- Sweet Pea's Playhouse – Oct 2008 to Jan 2009 – Mara Witt
- Liberty Tax Service – 2010 – Tom Ackerman & Mary Methner
- Ottawa County Agency – (Insurance) – Jennie Dornbusch, Dan Wilhelm – 2010
- Liberty Tax Service – 2012
- L.D.J. Nutrition 2012 to 2013 – Doug & Kyle Cunningham
- Rock it Out Nutrition/Rocket Fuel Nutrition – Jamie & Aaron Meade – June to Oct 2013
- Blast Off Nutrition – Brian & Kaitie Richards – 2014 to at least 2015
- Howard Hanna – Reality Office – 2019 to present 2024

158 W Water

- 1st National Bank, 1903–1934
- 2nd Floor – Tailor
- National Bank of Oak Harbor, 1934–1953
- Dr. Norman Levin, Optometrist, 1956/59 – east side of building using same entry door
- Nehls & Foreman Real Estate, 1956 – west side of building using same entry door – Leroy Nehls & Don Foreman
- Don Foreman Insurance, 1964/1978
- Ottawa County Tuberculosis & Respiratory Disease Association – 1978
- Western Auto Appliance & Furniture - Wisler
- Shaggy Country III, Aug. 1 to Aug. 30, 1984 – Howard & Pat Bartlett
- Marche's Boutique, Oct. 1, 1984 to Aug. 31, 1985
- Silhouette Shoppe, Nov. 4, 1985 to Apr. 3/6, 1991 – Beulah Appelhans
- Mannequins, Feb. 1992 to Feb. 27, 1993- Sally Favro
- Skinny Jack's Cycle Supply, Apr. 1993 to Oct. 2000 – Dan & Jackie Cordy – Stuart Hathaway & Andy Greener
- Weirich Quality Heating & Cooling, Mar.–May 2001
- Exponent, Oct. 1, 2001-2015 (Last Exponent location before ceasing publication)
- The Great Create – Sign only March to May 2020
- Warehouse Lane – Tina Bloomer Lenke – 2022 to early 2023
- Empty 2024

160 W Water (The Key Hole Building)

- Building built 1892 by Joseph VonThron
- VonThron Saloon – 1892 to 1904/1913 (hitch shed at rear
- Radoff Saloon 1914 (Possible only running VonThron Saloon)
- Charles Kemp Restaurant, 1920's
- Velliquette Electric – 1923-1924
- Cliff McGrath Restaurant 1924 until 1927 or 1928
- Harold Miller Restaurant
- A&P Food Store – Move here in 1933 to about 1963
- 2nd Floor – Sharpe's Beauty Shop - ___ Sharpe
- Clyde's T.V. & Electronics, 1970/1972 – Clyde Burrows
- Bob's T.V.
- Don's T.V. & Electronics (1978) – Don Weirick
- Western Auto – Oct 29/74 until Dec. 1983
- Curiosity Shop, Apr. 30, 1984 until 2013- Gwen Piercefield
- The Primitive Cupboard – Sept 2013 to Feb(?) 2014 – Missy Freeze
- The Bargain Hut – 2014-2015 – Resale shop
- Gifts & More Galore – 2015 to 2016 – Moved here from 168 W Water
- Clothing Corral – Jeff & Tracy Hartiagi - April 9, 2019 to present 2024

162 W Water (The Key Hole Building)

- Built 1892 by Joseph VonThron

- Livery entrance, thru arch – 1892 to 1914 when roof put on to enclose the ground floor only for a store front – no 2nd floor ever (2024) in this part of building.
- L.L. Carstensen Insurance, 1948
- Francis Weichman Agency, 1962/64 (phone book ad said Agency Since 1956) (?) to 1977
- Almendinger Agency - Dale & Opal Almendinger purchased in Aug. 1, 1977, but name not changed until Jan. 1, 1983
- Income Tax & Bookkeeping – 1979 – Opal Almendinger & Joyce Laubacher
- Triple Check Income Services, Jan. 1989 to Aug. 1990
- Lueth, Dunlap & Associates, Aug. 1991 – Chris Domrose, Manager
- Scott Billings, Sep. 1991 to 2013 – Accounting & Tax Preparations
- Building empty in 2013
- Soderberg & Brenner, CPA – David Soderberg & Joe Brenner 2014
- Lawyers (?) – 2018
- (?) 2024

164 W Water

- Feed Store – prior to 1902
- John Burkholt Bakery, 1902
- Chamblin's Bakery – 1906 – 1913
- E.J. Leutz Bakery – 1913 1927(?)
- S.B. Morse Bakery – prior to 1942-1956 – Run by Bill Stewart & Bill Lytle, 1944–1956
- Don's Pastry Shop, Nov. 1956/57 to May 1981- Don Rodenhauser
- Celebrations Unlimited Cake Shoppe -1981 until Feb. 1988
- Randall Country Shop, Dec. 1, 1989 – crafts – Sign only, shop never here.
- D&G and Sons Home Style Pizza, Jun. 1990 to Oct. 31, 1990 – Glenn & Doris Peterman
- New Image Beauty Shop, Apr. 1991 to Jun. 7, 1993
- Nancy's Home Base – Baseball Cards – 1991 in rear of shop
- Fancy Fair Catering, 8-93 to Nov. 4, 1993 – Moved here from 136 W Water
- Pizza Brothers, Sep. 8, 1994 to 2004
- Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety – 2004(?) to 2010 – Stud walls only, never completed – Lucinda Bassett
- Kocher & Gillum Law Offices – 2012 to 2018 – John Kocher & Richard Gillum
- Ottawa County Agency, LLC – Sign painted on Window – 2012 – Jeannie Dornbusch
- Co-Pilot – 2018 to present 2024 – Moved here from 142 W Water, rear)

166 W Water

- C.R. Tschumy – Watch repair – 1876 to 1893 – Move to 150 W Water in 1893/1894
- E.H. Meyer Groceries & H.C. Jessen Boots & Shoes 1893
- Boots & Shoes – A.A. Homes on one side – Boots & Shoes on other side - Prior to Probel
- 2nd Floor rear – Printing - 1904
- H.W. Probel Shoe Store, 1904/1950
- Bill's Bootery - 1952(?) to 1955 – Wm. Priesman
- Druckenmiller Agency/Myer Ind. Sales, 1956/1978 (Office in front of Fehlhaber paint/toy room) – William Druckenmiller

- The London Bridge, May 1977 – Jean Piazza
- New York Life Insurance
- Pete Booher State Farm, until Feb. 1988
- Fehlhaber Photo Studio, Sep. 1988 (short time only and then photo display in window)
- Nancy's Home Base until Jan. 1992 – Nancy & Lowell Renz
- Weight Station, Mar. 2000 to Feb. 2002 – Dave & Bobby Jo Meek
- Total Image (Beauty Salon) – Ronda Kouts & Loretta Powell 2002 to 2005
- Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety – 2005 to (?) – Lucinda Bassett
- Sweet Pea's Playhouse – Jan to June 2009
- The Attic – Short time only – 2013 – Part of Lexi & Emma's at 168 W Water
- Empty 2009 to 2015
- 1st Class Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation – Melissa Alvarez Perez MD – 2015
- (Awning removed November 2026)
- Forged Fitness – 2017 to present 2024 – Enter through 168 W Water

168 W Water

- E.M. Goody News Depot/Ice Cream, 1897 to 1934
- 2nd Floor – 1904 – Dr. Clifton Frye DDS
- 2nd Floor rear – Printing 1904
- Charlie Lindsey Grocery, 1938
- Art's Clothing Store - 1944
- Economy Clothing Store show window, 1948/1950 – Art & George Hemminger
- Fehlhaber's, 1953 to Dec. 31, 1998 – Clint Fehlhaber
- Jazzersize, Mar. 2000 to 2002 – Jerry Galford
- Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety – 2002 to 2011(?) – Lucinda Bassett
- Lexi & Emma's Closet – Child's resale shop 2012 to 2013 – Cindy Harder/Ashley Elrich
- Gifts & More Galore – Bill & Sandy Davis – 2014 to 2015
- Forged Fitness – John Siebert – March 2017 to present 2024

Northeast Corner Water & Church Streets

- Fon Loomis 2 story log home – 1850s or 1860s? – Large scrub oak tree in middle of street where free gas was distributed by Loomis
- 1860s - Area from 160 W Water to 178 W Water was field and barn for Amos Fought. Fought lived in a 2-story frame house on northwest corner of Water & Church Streets in the 1860s.

172 W Water (172 & 178 built as one brick building in 1875 by Amos Fought)

- J. Auxter & Co. (Drug Store) Jan. 1875–1876
- William Bleckner Drug Store, 1876 to 1881 or 1886
- City Drug Store, Bleckner & Bro, 1881 or 1886 to 1892
- E.H. Meyer groceries (one store front) H.C. Jessen boots/shoes (adjoining store front) Possible here or somewhere in Fought Block – April 1893
- Charles Bleckner, 1892–1896
- Bleckner & Son -- Bleckner & Bleckner, 1896–1902 – Charles Bleckner/Noah Bleckner

- Lantz Drug Store, 1902–1962/63 – L.Z. Lantz
- Oak Harbor State Bank, 1963–1973 (combined with 178 W Water)
- (See 178 W Water for after 1973)
- 2nd floor: Billiard Room, 1910 map

178 W Water (172 & 178 built as one brick building in 1875 by Amos Fought)

Frame Building

- Frame building at 178 Water built 1866/1867 by Amos Fought
- Anspach & Brinkley
- Fought & Auxter General Store – Amos Fought & John Auxter

Brick Building (Built in 1875)

- Amos Fought general store – dry goods, 1875
- Jno. O. Fought Grocery Store – 1893 to 1911
- Oak Harbor State Bank, 1911 to 1973- (west side of building at first and then both sides)
- Securance Service Inc. until Mar. 1989
- Oak Harbor Chamber of Commerce (NE corner of bldg.)
- Sally's Blossom Boutique (front east) until 1982 or 83
- John Parker Insurance
- Century 21, Vista Realty, Stadtmiller Realty – 1979
- Big Brothers
- Portage Valley Interiors (front east)
- Krupp & Stahl, Accountants & Auditors, Aug. 1986 – Dana Stahl & John Krupp
- Dana Stahl, CPA, Feb. 1988
- Dana Construction Company - Feb 1988
- Legal Tender Coin Shop, Oct. 1987 – (Near old vault in northwest corner)
- WSOS Senior Citizen's Office, Apr. 1989
- Front Row Cable Summer, 1989 to Feb. 1990
- C. Heintz Realty, Aug. 1990 (expanded to front late 1993) until 2008 (Carolyn Heintz)
- Ottawa County Exponent (SW front) 9-4-1990 to 11-1-1994
- Oak Harbor Toning, Oct. 1992–Oct. 1993 – Sarah Behnke & Jennifer Behnke
- Parties Are Us, until Mar. 1, 1994- Dawn Cooley & Kelly Floriana
- North Coast Connections, Sep. 1994 to (?) – Singles meeting service
- Chamber of Commerce, 1995
- Special Needs, Computer Service, 1995/96
- Hair Illusions, Mar. 1996 to present – Lisa Meye
- 2nd Floor
 - Masonic Lodge, here 110 years until 1984 – Adress given as 174 ½ Water Street
 - Fought's Hall - 1875
 - C.M. Seeley D.D.S., 1909
 - Lion's Hall, 1986
 - Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety, Jul. 1992

- Edward Jones Investments – Jeff Chio – 2009
- Sprouse Insurance – 2010
- Senior Helpers – 2012 to 2016

Fought’s Block – Northeast corner of Water & Church Streets

2nd floor businesses - There were many rooms available above main floor that were used in the “old days” when people climbed stairs)

- Will McGrath, New Bazar, 1887 (2nd Floor?)
- Mrs. H.B. Warringer, Millinery, 1887 (2nd Floor?)
- Dr. F.W. Gradolph, D.D.S., 1887 (2nd Floor?)
- Jessen Shoe Store – Schnoor Shoe Store – J.H. Brady (Some where in the Fought Block – upstairs?)
- The New Shoe Store, J.H. Brady, Mar. 1897 (Location?)
- New York Racket Store, 1898 until Mar. 1899 (Location?)
- Paul Spitzer Meat Market, Mar. 1899 (Location?)
- Law Office – (2nd Floor) – Sometime between 1882 & 1894
- G.P. Rafferty (2nd Floor) – Sometime between 1882 & 1894
- Dr. Porter Yates, MD – (2nd Floor) – Sometime between 1882 & 1894

200 W Water

Frame Building

- 2 story frame house – Amos Fought – Prior to 1867
- Amos Fought General Store – 2 story frame commercial building – 1867-1898
- Businesses in 2 story frame commercial building
 - H.C. Jessen, Manu factor & Dealer in Boots & Shoes, 1883
 - Echoff Saloon
 - Meyer Grocery
 - Barnes Barber Shop
 - New Bazar – Will McGrath – (Fought’s Block)
 - Millinery – Mrs. H.B. Warriner – (Fought’s Block)
 - Dr. F.W. Gradolph, DDS – (Fought’s Block)
 - (See Church Street for stores at rear of frame building facing Church St)
- Bldgs. Moved in 1898 for hotel
 - Barn to Dr. Huyck’s near Wash Gordon’s home
 - Ice House to J.H. Brady’s
 - Murphey Office to Church St. near river
 - House to near Main & Locust

Brick building

- Kuebeler Hotel, 1899 – 1939 - 2/3 story brick - (various landlords)
- Warner Hotel, 1939 – 1954 – Rollo & Josie Warner

- Hotel Young, 1957-1967 – Chester Young, Mandy Young, Warrin Young
- Demar’s Hotel, 1967-1977 – Myron & Gloria DeMars
- Oak Harbor Hotel 1977-1977 – Roger & Nancy Brunett
- Oak Harbor Hotel 1977-1983 – Jim & Bev Goldstein
- Harbor Town Inn & Apts. – 1983-1984 – Jim & Beverly Goldstein (?)
- Oak Harbor Hotel – 1984-2004 – Jim & Jill Hickey, Bev Goldstein
- Lobby & other areas
 - Oak Harbor Chamber of Commerce, 1970/78
 - Nancy’s Home Base, 6-21-1999 (Lowell & Nancy Lenz)
- Sold to Walt McNamara – April 2004
- Oak Harbor Hotel or Oak Harbor Inn, Restaurant & Pub or Oak Harbor Hotel, Restaurant & Lounge (Depended on the advertisement even in the same newspaper) 2004-2004
- Oak Harbor Inn & Hotel Bar – 2004-2006 – Walt McNamara – Remodel of 2nd/3rd floor started but not completed – Business is closed
- Bad Bob’s Barbeque Restaurant – 2007-2008 – Marty, Michelle, Mick Beier (entrance through hotel lobby)
- Oak Harbor, Bar & Restaurant – Water Street Café & Coffee Shop 2008-2009 Brent & Nadine Havens
- The Beekeeper, Bar & Restaurant – Peggy Dennis & Mark Kohn – 2011 to late 2025 or mid-2016
- Building sold to Northwest Shore Investors, LLC – 2018
- Hartford House Restaurant – Pepper Richardson & Eric Foltz 2019-2020 or 2021
- Empty 2021 to 2024 with new windows & interior work being done (?)
- Sign in window October 2024 – Oak & Anchor Grill (Coming soon)

206 W Water (West store front of 200 W Water)

- Bell Clothing House - Louis Hilb, Leroy Nehls- 1900 to about 1928
- Bell Clothing House – Leroy Nehls - 1943 (Nehls Cleaning Service 1943)
- Hemminger Clothing, 1948/50 – Art Hemminger
- Bell Clothing House, 1952 – Warren Young & Lawrence Rust - Lawrence Rust until 1960
- Clinton Auto Parts, 1964/67
- Burnett Dining Room – 1977 – Part of Hotel
- Red Knight Dining Room – 1972/1976 – Part of Hotel
- Harbor Town Inn Restaurant – 1983 – Part of Hotel
- Oak Harbor Hotel Restaurant – 1984 to 2006 – Part of Hotel
- Bad Bob” Barbeque Restaurant – 2007- August 9, 2008 – Marty Michelle, Mick Beier (Entrance through hotel lobby)
- Empty 2008 to present 2024

Bank Block Building or Fry & Rafferty Building – (208, 210, 212 West Water) – Built in 1885 by C.P. Rafferty Notice the “R” in stone at the top of the building.

208 W Water (East store front of bank block – Building built 1885)

- Tailor – Morris - 1886
- Bell Clothing House – Louis Hilb – until 1900, then moved to Kuebeler Hotel Building
- Oak Harbor State Bank, (?) to 1911 (Bank established in 1887)
- Office of Thierwechter Company (Elevator) & Wm. Lipstraw & Co. – 1913
- Plumbing & Tin Shop (1931 map) – Henry C. Bitter – (Address as 208-210 Water)
- Alfred W. Meizner Agency, - Real Estate – 1956/62
- Power Equipment Comp., 1956/63
- Thierwechter Agency, - Insurance - 1956 until Jan. 1977
 - Wiseman Reality Branch, T&P Reality, Chamber of Commerce
- Family Hair Center – 1977 – Justin Knopp, Dave Wood, Vic Harder, Jerry Whitman
- Mary’s Hair Design – Mary Paulsen – 2004-2005
- MLJ Hair Designs – Michelle Jess & Jennifer Arndt – 2005 to present 2024
- Family Hair Center – Jerry Witman – (?) to present 2024

210 W Water (center store front of bank block – Building 1885)

- Oak Harbor State Bank (? Shown on 1898 map)
- 2nd Floor – Dr George Woodward, MD – 1873
- 2nd Floor - Dr. F.S. Heller, MD -1888 (Frederick Smith Heller)
- 2nd Floor – Dr James Palmer, MD - 1894
- Post Office, after 1898
- Plumbing & Tin Shop (1931 Map) – Henry C. Bitter (Address as 209-210 Water)
- Royal Theatre, 1933/1963
- Enter thru show lobby
 - Alfred W. Meizner Agency, 1951/1939
 - U.S. Army Reserves, 1950/1960’s – Office – Meeting Hall 212 W Water
 - Power Equipment Company 1942
 - Thierwechter Agency- Edgar Thierwechter, A.W. Meizner, David Thierwechter
- Home Federal, 1979–May 22, 1985
- Savings of America – 1985 - Dec. 28, 1987
- State Farm Insurance, Mar. 1, 1988 to present 2024
- Rear of Building – Theater area
 - Boy Scout Meeting & Storage, 1987
 - Jazzersize – 2002 -2003
 - River Ridge Creations – Storage – 2005
 - Buderer Drug Company – Pharmaceutical storage – 2015, still in 2024

212 W Water (west store front of bank block – Building 1885)

- Oak Harbor Post Office, 1892–1898
- 2nd Floor – Dr G.C. Mawer (Vet) – 1892
- 2nd Floor – Dentist (1900)
- General Store, 1898
- Vacant 1904
- O.D. Barnes Grocery, 1910
- Bleckner Grocery prior to 1926 – Clarence C. Bleckner

- Kinsel Electric (?) - 1941
- Royal Restaurant/Royal Coffee Shop - 1946/1948–John Knopp- Lunches - Caroline Butler & August Siccrasse (Possible first opened by Chet Young)
- U.S. Army Reserve meeting hall – 1950s
- Mierke Barber Shop
- Vic’s Barber Shop, 1959/67 – Vic Harder
- (Baptist Church Services – About 1960, short time before/after services at 218 W Water)
- Country Pizza, 1972/1978 – Joyce & Wayne Noble
- Justin Knopp – Private office at rear of 212 Water – 1980-s?
- Prudential Insurance, 1984 – Don Diebert – 6-9 months
- Gregory MacFarlane C.P.A., Dec. 1985 to Dec. 1986
- MacFarlane & Parker, Dec. 1986
- Tangles, - Barb Wahl Skinner, Melissa Dickman, Bonnie Schlagbeck - Jul. 1990/1999
- Shear Beauty – 2014 – Maria Pena
- Shear Beauty Salon – Natilia Pena – 2016 2018
- Hair Harbor – Ashley Auxburger 2018
- Sweet Pea Nails – Nicole – Oct 2019 (with Hair Harbor)
- Twisted Shears – Allie Mims – May 2021 to August 30, 2024
- (?) September 2024 to

218 W Water

Ground Floor:

- Exterior sign – “Restaurant” – As seen on December 24, 1883 photo.
- Exterior sign – “_____ Provisions” – As seen on circa 1885-1890 photo.
- Rice & Co. Saloon, “Globe Room”, Circa 1894 – Russel Rice
- Oak Harbor Press Print - George Gosline - Moved here in 1898 until early 1920s. (Water tap for the building installed 1913.)
- Gerding Willard Battery Service Station - 1920 Sanborn Fire Insurance Map - Plumb Gerding (Yes, the first name is spelled correctly.)
- C.D. Alexander Willard Battery Service Station – 1921 to @1930 - Alexander Battery Service Station.
- Alexander News Stand – @1930 to 1936.
- Oak Harbor Public Library – 1936 to 1942
- (Unknown 1942 to 1946)
- Western Auto, 1946 to February, 1958 – William & Francis Ebel.
- Wheeler’s Melody Shoppe – @May, 1958 - Tom Wheeler
- Wheeler-Fehr Melody Shoppe – 1958 to 1959 – Tom Wheeler – Phil Fehr
- Van Atta Laundromat, 1960–68 – Al Van Atta
- (Baptist Church) – After 1968 – Wooden benches for seating only.
- (Unknown 1968 to 1972)
- Vic’s Barber Shop – January, 1972 to sometime in 1973 – Vic Harder
- (Unknown 1973 to early 1980s)
- Carpenter Printing – Early 1980s to 1990.
- Priesman Printery – January 1990 to present (2024) – James Priesman

Second Floor

- Henry Figel – Cigar factory – 1894
- J. H. Hetrick – Cigar factory – 1894 to @1901- John Hetrick
- Wm. Gourno - Family residence - @1910s - @1920s
- C.D. Alexander – Family residence – 1920s
- Mrs. Mabel Alexander -Piano lessons. Pipe organ & musical history. - @1926
- Ottawa County Migrant Health Center, 1978
- Apartment(s) – to present 2024

224 W Water

- House built 1864
- Jacob Hoover, photographer
- G.D. Smith, photographer, 1898 until 1930's(?)
- Private home - 1930's until (?)
- Hearts & Flowers - kNov. 1992 until Sep. 2000
- River Ridge Creations, Oct. 2000 - 2009
- Cottage Creations & Design – Francine Harder – 2009-2012/2013
- The Primitive Cupboard – 2013- Missy Freeze & (daughter) Erin
- Guiding Hands – 2014 to present 2024 (Senior assistance)
- Abode Health Care Services –2022 to present 2024 – Patricia Eynk RN & Diane Stevenson RN

232 W Water

- Frank Palmer homestead
- (Missing information?)
- Nationwide - Marv. Brunning, 1972/78
- James R. Hetrick Ins. Agency, 1978
- Nationwide - Ron Plichta, 1990
- Nationwide – Kim Fic
- Nationwide – Aaron Grob – 2024

236 W Water

- Barber shop – 1888 map (frame house?)
- Kessler Homestead (house) – Sold to phone company in 1915
- Doctor's Office - 1910 map (frame building)
- Ottawa County Telephone Company, 1916/17 (Block building – Bordeaux cement block)
- Northern Ohio Telephone Company, 1956/63 (remodel to brick exterior about 1949/1950)
- G.T.E. (General Telephone)
- Front Row Cablevision, Mar. 1, 1990 to 1996(?)
- Sentimentally Yours – Victorian Gifts – Tammy Kissell -Mar. 26, 1999 to Jul. 15, 2000
- Dr. Jack E. Gutilla, Chiropractor, Feb. 12, 2001 to 2007

- Village Chiropractic – Dr. Paul Silcox – 2007 to (?)
- Workplace Resources – 2015 (small sign in window – what was this?)
- Ink & Quill Book Store – Jan 2019 to 2022(?) – Kevin Garn
- Andon Antiques – July 2019 – 2022(?) – Andrea & Don Lacumsky
- Empty as of mid-2022 to Sept 2024
- Republican Ottawa County branch HQ – Sept 2024 to Nov 2024
- Empty in December 2024

240 W Water

Frame Building

- One story wood building – Prior to 1893 – Charles Weis Harness Shop
- 1 story frame until 1912.

Brick Building

- Brick Building. built 1912 by Henry Sutter
- Edwin P. Young Hardware Store – 1912-1917 (Was burned out in 1917)
- G.A. Tasch & Co. – Undertaker & Casket Factory – 1921 (Burned Nov. 1921)
- Bauch Company warehouse – 1921/1922
- Trucking company – Bernard Bartholemew – 1926 – (?)
- Bicycle Bud – Bicycles, Sundries & repair work – Bernard Bartholemew
- Republic Construction Company – Office & Storage – 1928
- 2nd Floor – Contractor & Carpenter – Henry Sutter - 1917
- 2nd Floor - Glass factory (1928 only, after Houghton St. fire)
- 2nd Floor – O.H. Public Library Mar. 1944 to Apr. 1, 1945 (after fire at Main St. site)
- 2nd Floor - Community Hall (Scouts, parties)
- 2nd Floor - Church group meeting here, 1984
- 2nd Floor - Large double doors on 2nd floor, airplane was stored here around 1924 (fire damaged 2nd floor)
- 2nd Floor – Fire Department meeting hall & offices – 1993/1994 to present 2024
- Fire Station – 1930 to present 2024

242 W Water

- Vacant lot (1904 map)
- White frame building (?) (See 1920 photo)
- Street Dept., concrete block addition built 1955 (grass lot in front of building)
- Fire station (used addition for number of years after Street Depart moved out about 1974))
- Fire station, built brick front addition to rear concrete block building - 1993/94
- (Lions Club had a sign in the 1980s in grass lot in front of building)

W Water

- Frame 1 ½ story, coal office, 1904 map
- Ottawa County Co-op - Parking & Gas Pumps
- Used car lot for Mylander Pontiac – 1950s

- Luckey Farmer parking
- Bassett Employee parking
- Parking lot, Apothecary – 1986 to 1998
- Parking lot, Dollar General – 2001 to 2011
- Parking lot, Subway- 2012 to present 2024

262 W Water

- Frame 1 ½ story - Jeweler, 1904 map
- Elevator office - Emory. Thierwechter Company - 1928
- Ottawa County Co-op - Office, 1956/1963
- Luckey Farmers, 1978
- Bassett Employee parking lot after building torn down
- Oak Harbor Apothecary -Metal Building - May 12, 1986 - 1989
- Rear - License Bureau - Dec. 9, 1986 to June 17, 1989
- Rear - Video Connection - Fall 1988
- Rear (Entrance from outside, walkway west of building) – Bee Hive Gifts – 1988
- Rite Aid, Nov. 28, 1989 to Feb. 22, 1998 (Video Connection & Bee Hive out Nov. 89)
- Empty
- Dollar General, Aug. 2, 2001-2011
- Subway – 2012 to present 2024
- West Door to for rear – 262 W Water #2 - Harbor Mattress Warehouse – 2015 to 2018 – Kathy Luce, Scott Luce
- West Door for rear - Harbor Mattress – Joe & Elsie Baumgartener – 2018 to 2020
- West Door for rear - Sleep in Heavenly Peace – 2023 to present 2024

264 W Water (& 266 W Water)

Both Addresses

- Frame Building - machine Shop, 1904 map
- Cement block Building built 1911 by Wm. Zippel
- Zippel Machine Shop 1911/1912 until Spring 1938 – Wm. Zippel
- Rear only – Saddoris Novelty Company – Reed furniture & other items – 1932-1934
- Welding - Art Whaley & Larry Mylander, 1938 to WWII
- Mylander Implement Co. - 1939/59 (Oliver, New Idea, GMC trucks)
- Mylander Pontiac – 1950s & 1960s - Lawrence Mylander
- Branium, Inc., 1962 – Electrical & Appliance repair
- Rear only - Tri-Motor, Car Servicing, 1965
- Rear only – Whipple Chevy Body Shop – 1969
- Corthell & Luchsinger Electric – 1965 1967 – Paul Corthell & ----Luchsinger
- Radio Shack – 1965/1967 – Wayne Corthell
- Corthell Electric, 1978
- Building empty 1983

East Front – 264 W Water

- Subway – May 18, 1989 to 2012 – Move to 262 W Water
- BeeHive & Video Connections – Nov 1989
- Verizon Wireless – 2012 to 2018
- Empty - 2024

West store front – 266 W Water

- License Bureau, 6-19-89 to 6-19-92
- BeeHive & Video Conn., Nov. 13, 1992
- Ottawa County Exponent, 11-1-94 to 9-1-1997
- Pc Com Tech, Oct. 1, 1997
- Seoul Gardens Restaurant – Korean restaurant – Myong & Chong Choe – January 22, 2002 to present 2024

268 W Water – (Building has only 3 walls – east wall is the wall of 266 Water)

- Frame building - Saloon & Restaurant – 1882 – John Fader
- Ohio Dairy Co - Built block building in 1917
- Ohio Clover Leaf Dairy (Branch of Toledo dairy)
- Hockin Dairy, 1959 – Earl Hockin
- Hockin Floor Covering (Bob Hockin, 1965/1978)
- State Liquor Store, 1966 – Bob Hockin
- Portage Decorating, 1974
- Field office for a power line company- 1970s?
- The London Bridge – Dried flowers - until May 1977
- Harley’s Pizza Shop, Sep. 1977
- Hair Salon - Jody Bassett, 1977/79
- State Farm, William “Pete” Booher, 1979
- Hair Illusions, 1980 until Mar. 1996 – Mary E. Reardon
- In with Hair Illusions - VIP Agency (New York Life) 1984/87
- In with Hair Illusions - Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety, Jan. 88 to July 1992
- In with Hair Illusions -Weaver’s Electronics, Sep. 16, 1998 to 2005(?) – Wm. “Joe” Weaver
- Garden Sky Productions – recording studio – 2004 to 2005
- Launch Pad – Christian Teen Center by local churches – 2005
- The Rocket Shop – 2009 to 2022 – moved to Main Street – still used as storage by Rocket Shop in 2024

Somewhere in the 264/266/268 Water St area

- R.C. Rice & John Reed - Implements – 1886
- John Reed – Implements – Prior to 1894
- (Both burned in 1894 fire)

Wheeling & Lake Erie Railroad (W&LE) came through town in 1882. Used a portion of the Center Street right-of-way. Became the Nickel Plate Road (NKP) in 1949 (Formal name was the New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad). In 1964, it became Norfolk & Western Railroad (N&W). Currently, since 1982, it is the Norfolk Southern Railroad (NS)

300 W Water

- Power House (1904 map) (1898 map) (Electric power generating)
- Machine Shop
- Port Clinton Coach Lines – Oak Harbor Terminal – 1940/1942 – (Schuster Bus Line)
- Oak Harbor Tractor Sales (1950, 1956) Ferguson Tractors
- Oak Harbor Farm Supply – Beck & Zunk – 1957
- Erie Industries
- Dalton Investigation – Jessie Dalton – 1970s
- Ray’s Antennae Service- 1972 – Scott Renz
- Hercules T.V. Sales & Service, 1974/78
- Ottawa County Bd. Of Education – 1985
- (Building torn down 1997) (Green house facing Cener St. also torn down)
- Drive-Thru area of Rite Aid 1998 to 2024 (Rite Aid closed Sept 15, 2024)
- Empty paved area – Sept 2024

310 W Water

- Headliner Office – Small wood building – (Later garage for Hemminger house – Moved out of town)
- Private home – Don & Mary Hemminger - (Torn down Sep. 15, 1997)
- Rite Aid, 1998 to closing Sept 15, 2024
- (Part of Rite Aid building – Empty Sept 2024 to present 2024)

314 W Water

- Headliner storage area
- 1 story frame “log cabin” building (fake vertical logs) – 1950s
- Hemminger Marine Sales & Sporting Goods, 1948-1958 – Henry “Heinie” Hemminger
- Hemminger Marine Sales -1959-1969 – Don Hemminger
- Ottawa County Bd. Of Education - Moved here Jun. 1969 – Torn down Sept 1997
- Rear behind “log cabin” - Metal Quonset hut - boat storage – Torn down Sept 1997
- Reat northwest corner of lot – Garage – Mid-County EMS Station, 1979–1988 – Torn down for Rite Aid store & parking lot
- Rite Aid – store & parking lot - 1998 to Sept 15, 2024
- Empty building – Sept 2024 to present 2024

306 W Water (Address used by Rite Aid)

- Rite Aid: property bought July 1997
 - Buildings. Removed Sept. 1997
 - First day of business - Feb. 23, 1998 to Sept 15, 2024

318 Water

- Riverwood Park – Sales & Service – Travel Trailers, Motor Homes, Campers – 1978 (Phone book listing) (Part of Hemminger Marine at 314 W Water?)

330 W Water

- Private home (1898 map)

Flat Iron Park (Entire triangular shaped block)

- Anspach Bros. Mill Office & Storage, 1869–1895
- Anspach Bros. Lumber Warehouse – 1901
- TPC&L interurban siding – along curb on Water St – 1905 to 1907
- Flat Iron Park - Dedicated 1919 - (1919 WWI Memorial) – Village of Oak Harbor owned
- Gazebo - Moved here Sept 10, 1988 from Veterans Park
- Flat Iron Park-Village Park in 2024

WATER STREET- WEST WATER STREET – SOUTH SIDE

109 W Water

East half of present NAPA building:

- H.H. Mylander General Store, 1873 – 1st brick store in Oak Harbor – Built 1873
- Gem Theater – 1908 (Ground floor, rear of building)
- 2nd Floor – Masonic Hall
- 2nd Floor – Tin Shop – 1904 & 1910 maps
- 2nd Floor – Havery Wheeler Cigar Factory - 1913
- Rear – Ice House – 1904 map

West half of present NAPA building:

- H.C. Mylander Hardware Store – Built 1882
- 2nd floor, Bowersox-Wheeler Cigar Factory
- Butler & Butler (? Sisters, business?) – Before Graves Hardware
- Graves Hardware, 1908/1910 to 1932 – William Graves
- Graves & Graves Hardware – 1932 to (?) - William Graves – John Graves (son)
- Graves & Myer Hardware – until 1940s

Both store fronts of present NAPA building:

- G.L. Products – Moved out 1946
- Defiance Metal Weather Strip 1947
- Star Sash Balance Corp. 1947
- Formetal Inc. – Name change – 1951 to 1974

- Oak Harbor Auto Parts – 1974 to present 2024
- H&R /Block – Enter on Locust St side – Mary LaCumsky, Mgr. (one year – 1976)
Address is given as 107 S Locust St.
- Rear cement block building added about 1945
- Loading Dock removed & 10' added to entire front – July 1954
- (Building painted blue July/Aug 1996)
- Oak Harbor Auto Parts – present 2024

**_____ W Water - No address – Location(?) - One story frame building – Implement Store –
See 1904 & 1910 maps**

111 W Water – (East side of Huck Building)

- Brick building built in 1912 - Henry & George Huck – (“Huck” is pronounced “hook”)
- June 1912 – Kessler-Huck Building (Combination of 111, 115, 119 W Water)
 - -1st Floor – Larson & wood – Plumbers
 - -1st Floor – Chester Bleckner – Furniture
 - -1st Floor – Wm. Kessler – Music
 - -2nd Floor – National Drug Manufacturing
 - -2nd floor – Dr. M.J. Skiff, MD – Above Kessler
 - -3rd Floor – K of P
 - -3rd Floor – Company M – Drill and Meeting Hall
- Nick Galle & Sons – Tailors – 1916 (Location?)
- Oak Harbor Music – (After Tailors in same room) (Location?)
- Cavaliers 5 cent to 10 cent - (1930)
- Terletski Dry Goods
- Fehr’s Toggeries Shoppe - 1933
- 20th Century Recreation- (Bowling) - until 1959 – Louis Brindley
- 2nd floor (?) Smith Studio – 1942 (111 ½ address)
- 2nd floor (?) Photo Studio – Edgar D. Wagner – April to Nov 1947 (111 ½ address)
- 2nd floor - Don Foreman Agency (1950)
- 2nd floor - Luella Zehner, Lawyer, 1950/6
- 2nd floor - Thomas Schuster, Lawyer, Howard Boss
- 3rd Floor (?) - K of P Lodge, 1950
- 3rd Floor (?) – Mansons – 1988 to 2009 (Eastern Star, Royal Arch Mansons)
- Oak Harbor Baptist Chapel, 1962/63 (where in building?)
- K & K Ceramics Center (1985)
- Stone Cottage Gifts (until 1988)
- (Metal covering 3rd floor front – June 1988)
- Sign in window in Oct 1988 – Creative Ceramics Center is closed
- Studio III, Nov. 25, 1988
- Class “A” Studio of Dance, Mar. 1990
- Amateur Boxing, Athletic Studio, 1995 – Hank Fox
- Oakey’s Adult Enrichment Center – 2007
- Empty in 2024(?)

115 W Water - (West side of Huck Building)

- Frame 1 story – Implements – 1904 & 1910 maps
- Brick building built in 1912 - Henry & George Huck – (“Huck” is pronounced “hook”)
- Pool Room, 1912
- Carstensen Billiard Academy - 1926 – J.K. Carstensen
- 20th Century Billiards, 1950/59 (Run by “Spin” Brindley)
- Shirley’s Tavern, 1967
- KP’s - (Pool Hall & Bar) – Ken & Ann Deal
- Oak Harbor Youth Center
- Empty – 1988 - (Am. Legion Apple Festival Fish Frys))
- Stone Cottage Gifts & Studio III - Nov. 1989
- Beckett Studio, Sept. 1990 to Fall 1993
- Class “A” Studio of Dance
- Creative Choices – 2007
- Empty (?) - 2024

119 W Water

- Barber Shop – Wood frame building - 1904 map
- Implement Store – Wood frame building – 1904 map
- Brick building built 1912 by William & Julia Kessler
- Kessler – Undertaker, Furniture, Music Store – 1912-1913
- 2nd Floor – Dr. Skiff – Office after June 1, 1912
- Evert & Gillette – October -December 1913 (Upon death of Wm. Kessler)
- Neipp & Evert – Furniture & Mortuary – Dec 1913 – Paul Evert
- Jordan Furniture Shop – (?)
- (Bicycle Shop – 1915)
- Home Supply Store – 1915 to 1922
- H.D. Tilton Buick – Feb 1922
- Rosentreter Harness Shop – until 1936
- Lanz Harness Shop - Leather Shop – 1936 – Roscoe “Shorty” Lanz
- A.C. Store – tires - 1943
- Paul’s Firestone, 1946 until 1959 – Paul Diendorfer & Paul Weirch
- 2nd Floor - Rosentreter & Wargowsky – Attorneys until 1954- Myron Rosentreter & Don Wargowsky
- 2nd Floor - Rosentreter & Rudes – Attorney – Merle Rudes (until 1961?)
- Rosentreter, Zeitzham & Speer, 1978 – Richard Speer
- Rosentreter & Zeitzham – Myron Rosentreter & David Zeitzham
- Rosentreter, Zeitzham & Robertson
- Rosentreter, Robertson, & Hany - 1986
- Robertson - Attorney
- Roof of building - Ground Observation Post, 1956/58
- Meinke Investments, Jun./Jul. 1991
- Black Swamp Observatory, Jul. 1996 to Mar. 2001

- Campaign Headquarters, Judge Hany, Oct. 2001
- Habitat For Humanity – Summer 2002 – Sara Meacham
- Encore! – Wardrobe Emporium – Consignment shop – 2003-Feb 2004 – Suzanne Miller, Jackie Kohlman
- Total Image – 2005to 2007 – Beauty salon -Rhonda Kouts
- Creative Choices Office – 2007
- Body Works Fitness Studio – 2012 to 2015 – Move to 169 W Water
- Snyder Apartments Office – 2017 – Adam Snyder – (Storage of 2-3 motorcycles & 3-5 cars)
- 2024 (?)

121 W Water

- Frame building – 2nd Floor – Prior to 1898 – George Smith, Photographer
- Frame building - Barber (1904, 1910 maps)
- Brick Building built in 1909/1910 by Fred J. Waldenga
- (Corner Stone - F.J. Waldenga - Land & Fisher Builders – Moved in 2000 from near sidewalk to eye level.) (No date on stone)
- Barber Shop & Bath House - Fred J. Waldenga
- W.R. Sabin Barber Shop, 1950/63 – Wilbur Sabin
- Kashmer Bazaar (Art, Needlework, Variety Store) 1973 – Diane Kashmer
- Curiosity Shoppe, 1973 until Apr. 28, 1984 -Gwen Piercefield (Bought out Vivian Lorentz earlier)
- New Image Barber Salon, Jan. 8, 1984 until Apr. 1991 – Cathy Jensen, owner
- Le Filet, - Mayetta Bradbury – Feb 4-92 until Dec 24-94
- Our Favorite Things - Apr. 95 until Feb. 20, 1999
- Exponent - March 1999 until Oct. 1, 2001
- Empty 2001 to 2017
- (?) to 2024 – Toys & Star War Displays (What is this?)

123–125 W Water (123 W Water is east side of two story house, 125 W Water is west side of two story house)

- Wood frame Home - Built 1861 by H.H. Mylander
- Home west side, Insurance Office east side (1910 map)
- (Stage for annual Fall Fair in front of this house - 1930s to 1960s)
- (125) Paint Store, Charles F. Kemp, 1913
- Marie Brindley Beauty Shop – (Date?)
- Kinsel Electric – (Date?)
- Kemp's Barber Shop - Cletis Kemp - 1930s
- Lanum's Restaurant – (Date?)
- (123) Mr. Harrison's Office
- (123) Darr's Health Clinic, 1950/1963
- (123) Haaser, 1969
- (125) Oak Harbor Police Station
- (125?) Oak Harbor Business Men's Ass'n, - 1950

- (125) Guy Dickens Collection Agency
- (125) Chiro Antiques – 1969 to 1972
- (125) Oak Harbor Reality Comp. - 1978
- (125) Loving Care Doll Hospital. & Crafts - Aug. 1979 – JoAnne Stebing, Glenda Drewyor
- (125) John Parker Reality - Oct. 1977
- (125) Book Exchange
- (125) Jeanne’s T-Shirt Terminal
- (125) Energy Specialists Co.
- (123) Ottawa County Farm Bureau Federation
- (125) Republican Headquarters (Sep./Oct. 1984)
- (East building with porch) - Portraiture, Photoart Studio, Oct. 1985 – Marji L. Swope
- 2020- present 2024 – Apartments – Bill Howey, owner

131 W Water

Frame Building

- Frame, 1 story - H.H. Mylander Store - Built 1861
- Millinery – Mrs. L. Perry - 1875
- Empty lot - 1888
- Express Office - prior to 1890 (Frame building)
- George Applegate Barber Shop, 1890 until (?) – Uncle to Frank Applegate
- Frank Applegate Barber Shop – Nephew to George Applegate
- Frame building moved south of Portage River about 1950

Brick Building

- Brick Building built 1950
- Kinsel Electric, Paint & Building Supplies – 1950 to 1958 – Carl Kinsel
- Bordeau Paint Shop & Melody Shoppe – Robert Wheeler – until 1961 (“Bingo Dick”)
- Morgan T.V. & Appliance, Apr. 1969 – 1971
- Diet Rich Natural Foods, 1971/72 – M/M Ronald Dezanett
- Leaser Plumbing & Heating – 1972 or 1973(?) to Aug. 77
- Dewitz Construction – Richard Dewitz – 1977 (with Pegasus Lounge?)
- Pegasus Lounge, Nov. 77 to 1980 - Richard Dewitz
- Country Comfort 1981 to 1983 – Donald Klavinger
- Salem Inn – 1983 to 1990 or 1991 – Mardella & Jess Burdine
- Harbor Lounge – Jack & Sue Ballard – Denise Allen – Cynthia J. Kirby
- Skip & Chuck’s Place, May 1999 – Skip Neatfeld & Chuck Shanteau
- Skip & Barb’s – 1999 to 2013
- Howey’s House of Brews – Bill Howey – 2014 – Sept 2023
- Black Swamp Tavern – October 2023 to present 2024 – Charlie & Carrie Kleinhans

This Area – Frame Buildings burned in 1876

- Mary Tschumy Furniture Store, 1876
- Charles Hoelsle – 1876
- Mr. Rice – 1876 - (Liquor & Beer)
- Post Office Building saved.

133 W Water

- Post Office Frame building -1861 until? - (Still frame in 1876)
- Brick Building
- Saloon (Rice's?) - 1904, 1910 map
- Harold Miller Restaurant
- Timberlin's Drug Store – 1942 (Timblin?)
- Bill Waldenga Ice Cream (son of George)
- Cletis Kemp Ice Cream Parlor
- Wolf's Cut Rate & Wolf's Lunch Counter, 1947/1959 – Virgil Wolf
- Phil Wilson Restaurant – Apr. 1960
- Dicks's (Restaurant) – 1962/1964
- Tolan's Restaurant – 1967 – Marion Tolan
- Jack & Tony's Restaurant, Dec. 1969 (Open 24 hrs/day) – Jack Gust & Tony Lauer
- Jack & Mary Lou's Restaurant
- John Parker Barber Shop, Jan. 1971
- John Parker Reality 1971
- H&R Block Tax Office - 1978 (In with Parker)
- John Parker Reality - Oct. 1979
- Par Builders (in same office w/ Parker)
- John Parker Reality & Auction Company (Jun. 1990)
- John E. Parker Appraisal Service
- Liza Hoover dba J. Parker Appraisal – 2002 -2004
- Thrivent Financial – 2005 – 2010 – Terry Hetrick
- Guiding Hands – 2011 to 2014
- Village Creations – 2014 to 2016 – Diane Rife
- Designs By Marie – Marie Darr – Oct 2016 to present 2024

139 W Water

- Harness Store - Ice House at rear -1904 map
- Millinery Store - Milly Bleckner - 1910
- Rice's Saloon – (?)
- George Waldenga Barber Shop – 1926/1927
- 2nd floor: Dr. L.D. Auxter, D.D.S. (1950) (Sometimes uses 137 W Water as address)
- 2nd floor: Dr. F.W. Kent, DDS – 1953 to 1955
- 2nd floor: Dr. Wm. Gibson, MD - first office – (?)
- Ottawa County Farm Bureau, Inc., 1956
- Merlin Brunhorst Insurance, 1956
- John Parker Barber Shop, 1957/63

- Donna's Beauty Shop – 1974 to 1986(?) – Donna Wendt
- Donna's Unisex Salon - 1986 to 1993(?)
- The Cure - Oct. 1, 1999 - 2014 – Brenda LaFountain
- Frankly Visual Photography – Scott & Angie Frank – 2015 to 2016
- Artifacts & More – Jimmie Hall – 2016
- Harbor Mattress – Joe & Elsie Baumgartner – Nov 2020 to Feb 2021
- (Blue Siding removed May 2023 – rebrick front over existing brick 2024)
- Empty 2021 to present 2024

141 W Water --- (Why no alley here? – Peter Gulau received Warranty Deed to property about 1891 or 1897 – Town protested but a building had been on the existing on the property for at least 20 years)

Frame Buildings

- E. Lay Grocery – Frame building burned in 1891 or 1897 – Rebuild frame building
- Stable, Gulau Horse & Wagon Shed – 1891 or 1897
- Cement Block Works - Wolf & Bordeaux -1904
- Front east: Barber Shop – 1904 until 1909/1910 – Waldenga Brothers
- Rear: Whipstock Factory – 1904 – Gulau
- Bordeaux Building Supply – Russell Bordeaux - 1912
- Front east of building - Jewelry & Watchmaker - John Goetz – 1912
- Building moved in 1913 to south side of Water, west of railroad
- Gazebo – 1917 to 1920s - Moved to 151 W Water about in the 1920s

Concrete Block Building (Built in 1940s ? by Gunther)

- Boss Garage - Dale Genzman
- Clarence Garner Garage/Oak Harbor Garage - 1942
- Bloom & Garner Agency (Starr Auto) -
- Sherm Avery Restaurant 1942
- VanAtta Restaurant – 1940s (temporary because of fire in building across the street)
- Stan Mylander Electrical Shop, 1945/50
- West front: Knopp's Barber Shop, 1946
- Robert Murray Electric, 1955/59 (State of Ohio Liquor Store – More business than the electric shop)
- Finke Drug Store - Mar. 1959 until 1981
- The Apothecary, 1981 until May 10, 1986 – Joe & Elise Baumgartner
- Fred's Fine Beef Shop - Oct. 13, 1988 until Jan. 1994 – Fred Conley
- West front: Hair, There & Everywhere - (Beauty Shop - Jan-9 until Dec 96?) – Sada Laurendeau
- Kin Folk Village Catering (with Fred's Fine Beef) -1989 to 1994
- North Coast Performance, Toys & Hobbies – John Spino -Apr. 94 until May 95
- Building torn down May 19, 1999
- Empty (grass) lot 1999 to present 2024 – Apple Festival tented eating area

143 W Water

- Oak Harbor House – Frame hotel/boarding house/saloon – 1850s - Burned & rebuilt as brick building in the 1870's – Run by Peter Gulau, until 1902 when Gulau didn't want to pay for a liquor license.
- Rear: Barn behind Oak Harbor House – Whip Stock Factory – Peter Gulau
- Saloon, 1904 map
- Joe Zeigler Liquor House – saloon – June 1909 to January 1910
- Otto Fleckner Saloon – 1910
- Germania House (2nd Floor?) – Boarding house until 1916 – Augusta Gulau
- Bauch Company Printing - until 1920's
- Gulau Cut Rate (Drug Store)- 1920(?) until about 1933
- Jesskey Drug Store -1933? (Short time)
- Krueger's Cut Rate – A.W. Krueger -1933 – School supplies, film & photo, soda fountain
- The Haynes Store – Fountain, light lunches, tobacco, patent medicines - 1948
- Finke Drug Store – 1951 to 1959/'1960 - Emerson Finke
- 2nd Floor – Optometrist – Dr. Norman Levin – 1953
- Optometrist – 1960 to (?) - Dr. Norman Levin – Dr. Ramie Dick – Dr. Robert Ford – Dr. David George – Dr. Dennis Laub
- Building torn down in 1982 for National Bank of Oak Harbor expansion
- National Bank of Oak Harbor 1982 to 2013
- Groghan Colonial Bank – 2013 to present 2024

147 W Water (Originally two store fronts)

- Frame building - Roose Stave Factory office – prior to 1898
- Brick building - Built 1898 by Charles Roose – 2 store fronts & public/private rooms
- 2nd Floor – Macabee Lodge – 1898 to a least 1911 or later
- 2nd Floor – Apartments after Macabee Lodge
- West Front - Roose Office - 1904/1910
- West front: C.F. “Coony” Jessen Jewelry -1920s to 1950s
- East front: Hoedt Sisters - 1902
- East front: Mina Losure Millinery - 1904, 1911
- East front: Mina Losure Beauty Shop (?)
- East front: Sharpe Hat Shop
- East front: Oma Zimmerman Hat Shop
- East front: Sharpe's Beauty Shop
- East front: Fehr's Millinery
- East front: The Modernette – 1935 to 1950s – Kathryn and “Happy or Hap” Dubler
- Both fronts: The National Bank of Oak Harbor – 1953-2013
- Croghan Colonial Bank – 2013 to present 2024

151 W Water

- Frame building – Henry Graves Blacksmith Shop – torn down 1898/1899
- Vacant lot - 1904
- Bowling Alley – 1910 - Iron clad building on studding

- Band Stand/Gazebo – prior to 1920s – Moved here from 141 W Water
- Empty lot -1920s – 1925
- Sherm Avery Diner - Avery's Sidewalk Inn – Sherm Avery – 1939
- Concrete block building with yellow brick front – built about 1948 by William Graves
- Graves Hardware – 1948 to 1958
- Portage Store -Expanded from next door – 1958 to 1982
- Rear building - Graves' Sea Sled Agency, 1956/59
- Rear building – Graves' Hardware – 1958 to 1960s(?)
- Rear building – Graves Sea Sled Agency - 1956
- Bldg. torn down in 1982 for National Bank of Oak Harbor expansion
- Croghan Colonial Bank – 2013 to present 2024

159 W Water

- Built 1898 by Charles Roose & Henry Graves 2nd Floor – K of P – 1898
- F.J. Schimansky Drug Store – 1899 to 1926
- Rear: Oil Warehouse (1910)
- Kolath & Kreiger Drug Store – 1926 to 1929 – Edgar Kolath & August Kreiger
- Kohloth Drug Store - 1929 to 1932
- Kramb Company Store – 1932 to 1939(?)
- (Unknown 1939 to 1947)
- Vought's Market – Ernie Vought – 1948(?) to 1950
- Art Hemminger Clothing Store – 1952 to 1960
- Portage Store Men's Shop – 1960 to 1985 – Jim Mizener
- Donley's Big & Tall - until Dec. 21, 1986 – Shirley Pfaff
- Attorneys - Alan McKean Aug. 1987 to 2002 – Pamela McKean April 1989 until June 2002 – Both moved to 161 W Water
- National Bank of Oak Harbor - July 2002 - 2013 – Executive Offices & Records
- Croghan Colonial Bank – 2013 to 2022 – Storage (no offices)
- Sold to Oak Harbor Development Group in 2023
- 2nd Floor – K of P Lodge Hall – 1898 to 1936(?)
- 2nd Floor – Flats/apartments – 1937 & 1960
- 2nd Floor: Advanced Conservatory of Music - 1950 – Carl D. Russell
- 2nd Floor – Empty since (?) to present 2024
- Suite A - Attorney – Angela M. Leforce – January 2024 to present 2024
- Suite B - Attorney – Michael O. Terner – Mid 2024 to present 2024

161 W Water

- Built by Louis Link (Year?) – Sold to Chester Bowersox in 1919
- Meat Market, Sausage Factory, Smoke House – 1904 map
- Schnlatz Meats - 1910
- Bowersox Meat Market – 1919 to 1938(?) – Chester S. Bowersox
- Sharpe's Meat Market – 1938/1945 to 1950s - Max Sharpe
- Genzman & Baumgartner DBA Sharpe's Meat Market – 1950s to 1962 – Paul Genzman & Carl Baumgartner – Later, Paul Genzman & Don Krieger

- Lantz's Rexall Drug Store – 1962 – 1978 – “Mac” McBain
- Oak Harbor Apothecary -1979-1986 – Joe & Elise Baumgartner
- BeeHive Cards & Gifts, 1979 until May 10, 1986 – In with O.H. Apothecary
- Hair Clinique & Tanning Center, Nov. 1986 until Jan. 89 – Barb Wall
- Shear Satisfaction & Tanning Center - Feb. 1989 until Jun.2002 – Linda Bast
- Attorneys - Al McKean, Pamla McKean – July 2002 to 2006 – Move to 132 W Water
- Empty 2006 to 2010
- Oak Harbor Chamber of Commerce (Suite A) – 2010 to present 2024
- Habitat for Humanity – (Suite B) - 2010 to present 2024
- Thrivent Lutheran – (Suite C) -2010 to present 2024? – From 133 W Water

165 W Water

- Vacant (Main floor) 1904 map
- Lodge room (2nd Floor) – 1904 map
- Wig-Wam Billiards & Poolroom – 1908
- Racket Store - Carl Smith – 1917
- Smith 's Variety Store – C.E. Smith - 1927
- Pittman's Store -(Dime Store) – Opened 1936
- W.R. Thomas – 5 cent to 10 cent store - 1960 until Apr. 1993
- Village Mercantile - Nov. 1994 until Oct. 1997 (This store front until October and then continue at 169 W Water)
- 2nd Floor – K of C Hall - 1947
- 2nd Floor: Ottawa County Exponent, Sept 1997 to March 1999 (Address 165 ½ Suite A)
- Rear – Baumgartner & Ciocco – Lawyers – 1996 – Elise Baumgartner
- Young's Video Rentals & Sales, Oct. 1997 to 2005 – Tom & Donna Young
- Enhance Your Health – 2000 to 2004 -- Andrea Lange – Move to 136 W Water
- Lisa's Fitness Studio – 2012 – Lisa Reiter
- Body Works II – 2015 to Present (?)
- Body Works Fitness Studio & Gym – (?) to present 2024

169 W Water

- W.W. Kahlert – Furniture, coffins, caskets – (year?)
- Nicholas Thein & Company - Furniture, coffins, caskets – Circa 1900
- A. B. Vogel – Undertakers – 1904
- Rear: – Cabinet Shop - 1904
- W.H. Hetrick & Son, Furniture & Mortuary – 1904 to 1958(?)
- 2nd Floor – Casket showroom, Hetrick Furniture & Mortuary – until about 1934
- 2nd floor: Hetrick Radio & Sound, 1950/51
- Pittman's Store – Dime Store - Expanded here Nov. 1958
- W.R. Thomas, 1960 until Apr. 1993
- Village Mercantile, Nov. 1994 – In this store front only 1997 until early 2002
- Middle rear: Enhance Your Health, Aug. 2000 (see Mill St for rear)
- Dining Hall for Riverside Catering – 2002 – (Very short time)
- Reality One – 2003 – Partitioned for 4 offices (Names?)

- LA'XU – custom jewelry – Laurie Cirone -Xu & Xuedong Xu – 2004 to 2005
- Lisa's Fitness Studio – 2012 – Lisa Reiter
- Body Works II – (?) to 2023(?) - (Body Works moved here from 199 W Water to combine with and be renamed Body Works II)
- Body Works Fitness Studio & Gym – January 2023 to present 2024

173 W Water (East store front of current Vogel Building/OH Hardware Bldg.)

- Bldg. built 1876 – “Vogel's Hall” on top cornice - 3 store fronts 173 to 179 W Water
- 2nd Floor - Vogel's Hall is partly above this address
- Saloon - 1904 map – Ice house at rear
- 2nd floor: Carriage Works – 1910 (In this area & center area of 179 W Water)
- Restaurant - Ed J.Cairl (years?)
- Magee & Papenbach & Co. – Offices (See elevator, North Railroad St.)
- White Front Moving Pictures – 1909 – Edw. J. Cairl
- Mystic Theatre – 1910/1911
- Royal Theatre – 1911 to 1933 – Over years, run by: Ray Gillette, John Newman, Otto Reider, John Knopp
- Portage Theatre – 1934 to 1948/1949 – Otto Reider – Later John Knopp
- (Sloped floor for seating, arched screen area on south end)
- The Portage Store, 1949 – 1956 (See 151 & 159 W Water for information)
- Oak Harbor Hardware – 1958 to present 2024 – Appliances, Paint

179 W Water (Center & West store fronts of current Vogel Building/OH Hardware Bldg.)

Frame Building on this lot

- Grocery & Hardware – E. Lay – 1875
- Grocery & House – Ranson Heath – Burned September 3, 1869

Brick Building

- Bldg. built 1876 – “Vogel's Hall” on top cornice – 3 store fronts 173 to 179 W Water
- 2nd Floor - Vogel's Hall is partly above the center part of this building
- Center: Grocery Store, 1907
- Cener: Ray Zorn – Studebaker Autos - 1923 to 1926
- West side: Danner & Vogel Hardware, 1879 to 1884
- West side: C. Vogel & Son, 1884 to 1887 (hardware)
- West side: Vogel & Bredbeck Hardware, 1887 to ?
- West side: Office: Express Business, 1894 (in hardware)
- West side: Vogel Hardware -? to 1918(?) – John P. Vogel
- West Side: Reider Hardware - 1920/1925- Otto Reider
- West side: Van Langingham, Liquidator, 1926?
- West side: Reganald - Hardware? – Short time only
- West side: Oak Harbor Hardware & Implement Co., 1926
- Both center & west side: Oak Harbor Hardware, 1927 to present 2024
- Rear frame addition: Agricultural implements - 1904

- Rear block addition (in place of frame building - L.F. Guenther Co., 1917, Plumbing, Heating, Tin Shop

2nd Floor – Various businesses and offices. Vogel’s Hall was site of dances, school functions, social events, etc. See Vogel’s Hall history for a more complete list.

- 2nd Floor - Shoe Shop – Harmon Wargoski - 1888
- 2nd Floor - Tailor – J.H. Mengel – 1900
- 2nd Floor – Carriage Works - Buggy display area – 1913
- 2nd Floor - O.P.S. Dispatch Office (Interurban railway)
- 2nd Floor - Dr. J.G. Ballou, MD - (1930’s)
- 2nd Floor - Morgan Roderick (Lawyer)
- 2nd Floor - Sim Bell Cigar factory
- 2nd Floor - Dance Hall
- 2nd Floor - Boxing Gym
- 2nd Floor – Miniature Golf Course – 9 hole – 1930
- 2nd Floor - Apartments – 1950s & 1960s
- 2nd Floor – Empty from 1960s to present 2024

201 W Water

Frame Building

- Gottlieb Shell, Groceries, Provisions, Saloon & Eating House - 1869/1874 – (Burned in 1894)
- Building burned in 1894 –New frame building erected by W.C. Perse (Perse Building)
- Rear of lot: 1881(?) to 1883 – Village jail – Burned down in 1883
- B.F. Binckley – (What is this?) – 1887
- Restaurant – Mrs. McGrath – 1887
- Charles Weis Harness Shop – 1892
- Flour, Feed & Exchange Store – George Thierwechter – 1899
- Barber Shop – Louis Carstensen – 1899
- 2nd Floor: Henry Miller Cigar, 1899
- Barber Shop – Louis Carstensen – Prior to 1900
- New Shoe Repair – 1900 – David Auxter
- 3 cent Luncheonette – John McGrath – 1901
- Building sold in 1904 to Fred Koepke and moved to his property
- Empty lot – 1904 to 1907 – Owned by TPC&L interurban railway

Brick Building

- Building built mid 1907 - TPC&L interurban railway station
- Interurban Station – 1907 to 1945/1946
- Vacant - 1950
- Joe Bassett - Motor Sales, 1956 – Used car lot in front of building
- The Daily News, 1958 until 1963(?) – Open parking in front of building

- Building torn down September 1968 for a municipal parking lot

Brick Building (present 2024 building)

- Built by Oak Harbor State Bank 1973
- Oak Harbor State Bank - Dec. 1973-1983
- Toledo Trust – 1983
- Trustcorp - Feb. 1, 1988
- Society Bank & Trust - Jan. 1990
- Bank One - Mar. 10, 1990
- Star Bank - until Jun. 19, 1998
- Firststar – March 22, 1999 until July 2002
- U.S. Bank - July. 28, 2002 to present 2024

209 W Water (Bank drive thru area)

- Frame building – Known as Provoncha Building in 1915
- Tailor Shop - 1904 map
- People’s Restaurant – 1908
- Farm Implements - 1910 map
- Creamery – Harry Bay - 1913
- Cutcher’s Tavern – Wine shop - H.J. Cutcher (Hilary) – 1915, 1921/1923
- Griswold Quick Repair Shop – George J. Griswold – 1915, 1930 (Rear of Cutcher’s Tavern) (Interurban car placed at rear of Cutcher Tavern for gaming & storage – 1935)
- Art’s Tavern – 1948
- Walt’s Tavern – Walt Manz – 1949 to 1970s
- Building torn down about 1973 by Oak Harbor State Bank
- Bank auto drive thru area – U.S. Bank to present 2024

W Water

- Doctor’s Office – Dr. F.S. Heller, MD - 1888
- Doctor’s Office – Dr. J.M. Stewart, MD – 1890
- Tailor – Chas Held – 1890 – Room adjoining Dr. Stewart’s office
- Insurance Office – 1910 map
- (1st frame building removed about 1924?)
- Frame, with stucco, building built in 1924 by Bowersox (S.P. Bowersox?)
- S.P. Bowersox home behind frame building – Later Olive & Catherine Bowersox – Joseph Bassett
- Fought Barber Shop – Charles “Chalkie” Fought – 1924 to Jun. 1967
- Barber Shop - Dave Wood - 1967
- Torn down about 1973 by Oak Harbor State Bank
- Bank driveway & parking lot – U.S. Bank to present 2024

W Water

- Vacant lot – On this lot on June 11, 1898 – Play “Joshua Simpkins” – 60’x40’ waterproof pavilion – orchestra/band to parade on streets.
- Vacant lot - 1904/1910 maps
- Used car lot – until 1978 – (See 225 W Water St)
- Bank parking lot – 1978 to present U.S. Bank parking lot

225 Water

Frame House

- Home & office of Dr. F.S. Heller, MD – Burned Aug 4, 1894
- Barn either from Dr. Heller house or built for a livery
- Central Livery Barn – Dr. G.C. Mawer – Vet - prior to 1898
- Conrad Livery Stable – 1898 – Dr. Mawer to continue working here.

Brick Building

- Al Conrad Livery, Feed & Stable - 1910/1912
- 2nd Floor: Apartments in 1930s & 1940s (Empty by 1960s)
- Oak Harbor Implement Co., 1944/1950
- George Hablitzel Implement Co.
- Van Renseler Implement Co. & Buick Sales
- Boos Garage - late 1930’s – Fred Boos
- Adolph Miller GMC & Elgin Cars (Year?)
- H.V. Buick Sales – 1951 to 1953(?) - Ray Hablitzel owned building, Philip Van Renseler ran business
- Kelly Dunn Motor Sales – 1953 to
- Balmer & Whipple, 1955 until 1964(?)
- Whipple Chevy-Olds, 1964/68
- Parks Chevy-Olds, 1971/78
- Vern Miller Chevy-Olds, until Nov. 78
- Building torn down about 1978 by U.S. Bank for parking lot – 1978 to present 2024

235 W Water (To the left at Community Market entry drive)

Frame Buildings

- Vogel House – Hotel – 1869 - J.R. Johnson
- Portage House – Hotel - 1869 to 1878
- Burns down 1878

Brick Building

- Portage House – Rebuilt 1879 to Aug. 4, 1894
- Burns down 1894

Armory

- Armory - Built 1913–15 – Dedicated December 29, 1915

- VFW Post #8732 - Used 1 room for meeting hall 1919 to 1935
- VFW Post #8732 – Bought building from State of Ohio in 1976
- Torn down – July/August. 1988 for parking lot
- Parking lot – Bassett, IGA, Community Market - 1988 to present 2024

245 W Water (To the right at Community Market entry drive)

Frame Building

- City Livery & Feed Stable -1860's
- Charles Leow Blacksmith & Carriage Shop, 1872, 1874, 1880)
- L.D. Link Blacksmith & Wagon Works Burned Aug. 1894

Brick Building

- 2 ½ story brick building built about 1894
- LD Link Blacksmith & Wagon Works, 1894/1909
- Soenichsen & Woodard – Blacksmith - June 1917
- Charles Draeger Blacksmith & Wagon Works – 1926/1930
- 2nd floor - Ajax Linoleum Products Comp. -International Cement Co. - 1923
- 2nd floor: Hemminger Row Boats – Made here – 1923 - Henry Hemminger
- Earl Schroeder – Blacksmith
- Oak Harbor Welding Company - Charlie Upton & Bill Young - (Date?)
- Max Griest Auto Storage – Prior to 1950
- Vacant - 1950
- Witt Electric – 1958 to 1975
- Torn down 1975 for parking lot – later expanded part of grocery store
- Grocery store – Bassett, IGA, Community Market – to present 2024

279 W Water

Frame Buildings

- -H.H. Mylander Stave Sheds (frame) - burned Aug. 1894
- Vacant lot with a small railroad car shed/work shed - 1904 map
- Bordeaux Cement Block Company – Building moved here in 1913
- Bordeaux Builder's Supply - 1930's to about 1960
- Bordeaux Builder's Supply Office – In building moved here in 1913
- Music Store – Tom Wheeler – 1957 – Small building that was Bordeaux Office
- The Frenchman – 1960 – “Frenchie” Hurbest Fogue – Small building, Bordeaux Office
- Mary Ann Restaurant, 1960/63 – Mary Ann Felder & Charles Felder – Small building
- (Bordeaux & small building torn down for grocery store about 193/1964)

Cement block building

- Bassett IGA – Block & brick building - built 1964 – various additions
- IGA Community Market – July 29, 1996 – Fresh Encounter is owner
- Grocery store – Community Market to present 2024

Wheeling & Lake Erie Railroad (W&LE) came through town in 1882. Used a portion of the Center Street right-of-way. Became the Nickel Plate Road (NKP) in 1949 (Formal name was the New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad). In 1964, it became Norfolk & Western Railroad (N&W). Currently, since 1982, it is the Norfolk Southern Railroad (NS)

301 W Water & Area (301, 305, 307, 311)

Frame Buildings (See Sanborn Maps for exact locations)

- Blinn's Store – Grocery, General Store, Saloon - prior to 1858
- H.H. Mylander General Store - 1858 to 1861
- John R. Hoans Planning Mill & Shingle Factory -- 1871/1874
- John Wilson Planning Mill
- Michigan Headlining 1900 to (?)
- Lacy Williams Company - 1926 - Burned 1930's

Metal Building (Next to railroad track)

- Built about 1955
- Portage Appliance & Video Center – 1991-1992
- Robert's T.V. & VCR Center, Jun. 85
- Portage Appliance & Video Center – 1991 -1992 – James Berlin
- Winebarger's Heating & Cooling (Jul. & Aug. 93 only)
- Tim's VCR Repair (Dec. 93, 2–3 months only)
- Bike's Plus (Jun. 94, 2–3 months) – Robert Lee
- Weaver Electronics, Sep. 94 to Sep. 15, 1998 – William “Joe” Weaver
- NuTech Communications – Sept 1998 – Satellite & DOS systems
- Radio Shack – Ray Blakley Technologies - Nov. 6, 2000
- Radio Shack – Linn Charles Electronics – 2002 to 2008 – Closed by Fred Harvey
- Xak Bee Electronics – Jason Bartok-Kashmer & Jerry Britt – 2009 to Dec 29, 2017
- Dish Net – Office – Jerry Britt – With Xak Bee
- J&C Variety – Aug 2018 to May 2019 – Cynthia France & James France
- Building torn down April 2022
- New brick building - New Friendship store opened Sept 6, 2022 to present 2024

Hip Roofed Building

- Portage Beverage Center – Opened in Drive Thru only – Richard Dewitz – 1971
- Portage Beverage Center – Drive Thru -1971 to March 27, 2022
- Building torn down April 2022
- New brick building - New Friendship store opened Sept 6, 2022 to present 2024

Bick Building

- Building built about 1940
- Wm. A. Schultz, Carpenter
- Madison-Smith Basket Company
- Bassett Motor Sales, 1950/56

- A.O. Gahn, International Harvester, 1951,1956/59
- 2nd floor - Heminger Marine Sales – 1950s (?)
- John’s Auto Service – 1970
- Clinton Auto Parts - 1978
- Portage Beverage Center
- Craft-N-Critters – 1986 - with Portage Beverage Center
- Portage Beverage Center – “PBC” – Al Zonni – 1989
- Portage Beverage Center – 1971 to March 27, 2022
- 2nd floor – Hometown Video – 1992 (Address was 301 ½ W Water)
- Building torn down April 2022
- New brick building - Friendship store opened Sept 6, 2022 to present 2024

Brick Building

- Friendship Store – Opened Sept 6, 2022 – Using 323 W Water Street address)
- Friendship Store – to present 2024

323 W Water

- Stave Shed - Storage Area - until 1930’s? (See Sanborn maps)
- Ice House – on river bank – late 1880s to Feb 28, 1917 (See Sanborn maps)

Frame Building

- White Rose Gas Station – Then Sunoco – Art Whaley 1939 -1941
- Heminger Service Station – Henry Hemminger – 1949/1950
- Ralph Avers Sunoco - 1952
- Chuck’s Sunoco Station – 1954 to 1965 – Charles Degrisky

Block Building

- Chuck’s Sunoco Station – 1965-1991
- Tim’s Sunoco - Sep./Oct. 1991 – Tim Shanteau
- Friendship Food Stores/Sunoco – July 1996 (Blimpie Sub inside 1996 to Oct 1999)
Owned by Brian Beck of Fremont (Beck Supplies)
- Taco Bell – Inside Friendship - Dec. 1999 to Sept 2004
- Friendship Store/Sunoco – Closed Sept 6, 2022
- Underground gas storage tanks removed
- Torn down by Sept 12/13, 2022
- Friendship gas pumps & canopy – 2022 to present 2024

Brick Building

- Friendship Store gas pumps – Opened Sept 6, 2022 – Using 323 W Water as address for both the store and the gas pump area. To present 2024

Area from 327 W Water to Across from Flat Iron Park: Lay & Kramer Planning Mill, 1873, Bense Motor Co., Joseph Watts Planning Mill, 1888 (See Sanborn Maps)

327 W Water

- Structure/house moved here between 1910 & 1920 from Methodist Church area
- Structure/house dates to 1854 as old school building
- Private home – 1910/1920 to (?)
- Pioneer Photography/School Day Memories – (1970s?)
- Private home – 1970s to (?)
- Empty for many years – Sold to Beck Suppliers about 2022
- Sold to Oak Harbor Development Group to be used for a park - 2023
- Torn down 2023 for “Friendship Park”
- Empty lot – 2023 to present 2024

331 W Water

- House built 1872 in Rocky Ridge
- Moved to Oak Harbor 1898 as a private home
- H.W. Hemminger Sharpening Shop – Precision Grinding – 1947 – Henie Hemminger
- Private home – Burned 1982 – Remodel 1985 – House remains as of 2024
- River bank has fill from the 1928 glass factory fire

335 W Water

- Machine shop - moved here 1898 from Rocky Ridge -frame building, fake brick exterior
- Bense Machine Shop (Bense & Son) 1902, 1904 – Repair of traction, steam, gas engines
- John H. Bense & Son – 1902 – (?) – Repair of traction, steam, gas engines
- Bense Motor Company – 1907 - The “Oak Harbor” – 2 cycle marine engine made here
- Shop torn down (Date?)
- Private home on east part of lot, empty on west part of lot – present 2024

Across From Flat Iron Park along Portage River (See Sanborn Maps) (See north side of W Water for park)

- Anspach Bros. Sawmill & Hoop Works (1863 to 1895) burned
- Oak Harbor Lumber Yard, 1897 until (?)
- Lumber Warehouse -1901

521 W Water

- Faunce & Fetterman Heating – Spin Fetterman – 1962/1963 (House burned as training exercise by fire department about 2014) - Empty lot in present 2024

Big Bayou Bridge - (West Bayou Bridge) – Between Oak Harbor & Union Cemetery)

- Crosses Bayou Creek - LaCarpe Creek cut off – Once known as Fletcher Creek
- Bridge shown on 1874 map
- Pratt Combination Bridge – 1882-1902
- Wooden Bridge – Open Sept 1902 to 1938
- Bridge 1938/1939 to 2023 – Closed spandrel arch construction
- Bridge – New bridge with walkway, built in 2023 - to present 2024
- (Interurban bridge – 1903/1904 -1946 – Separate bridge next to north side of the automobile bridge over bayou)

BENTON STREET

101 Benton St

- Hi-Speed gas station – E.F. “Ernie” Knieriem – Building built 1937 by Albert & Ernest Knieriem
- Oak Harbor Hi-Speed gas station – H. Mierke & Ray Arndt – 1952
- Ray’s Pure Oil – Ray Arndt – 1950-1957
- Howard & Vern’s Plaza – Howard & Vern Magrum – 1957-
- PC Com Technologies – Buddy W. Chasteen – 2001-August 2008
- The Crafty Corner – (In with PC Com) – 2003
- TRM – Transportation Risk Management – (North end of Building) – December 2008
- Radiant Windows – (South end of Building) – Mike Shadoan – May 2008 to present 2024

126 Benton St

- Roberta’s Beauty Shop – Roberta Damschoder – (Front porch of house) – 1947-late 1950s (Had worked at Glamor Beauty Shop.)

135 Benton St

- Craig Photo Service – Craig Cook – 1970s

202 or 204 Benton St

- Beck’s Service Station – June 1932 – (? More research needed)
- Standard Gas Station – John Wagoner - @1932-1946
- Kohler Service Station – (Sohio gas)– Norbert “Cap” Kohler – 1946
- K&M Store – 1950 – Norbert & Helen (Hankins) Kohler
- Kohler’s West End Grocery – mid 1950s – 1961
- Dewitz West End Market – Alton & Jeanette Dewitz -1962
- L&M Super-ette Market – Mervin & Lucille Bowersox – 1963/1964
- (Building torn down)
- D.D.M. Sales – Sinclair gas station & car wash – Dale Thorbahn, Dennis Sandrock(son), Marvin Sandrock (father) – November 22/23, 1968 Grand Opening (Metal building)
- Bob” Penzoil, Bob’s Union 76, Bob’s Unocal – Bob Jensen -1987-1998
- (Building torn down in 1999)
- Pizza Hut – 2003 to Feb. 12, 2024
- Building empty in 2024

205 Benton St

- Harold’s Trading Post – Harold & Faye Rice – (Garage at rear of house) 1982/1983-1988
- The Coin Shop – Harold & Faye Rice – (Garage at rear of house) 2002
- Alternative Fabrication – Welding & Fabrication – Michael “Harley” Rice – (? After The Coin Shop – years?)

216 Benton St (Front concrete block building)

- Built prior to 1930

- Gloria Oil – Fred Boos – Prior to 1935
- Gloria Oil – Frank Fowler & Charles Bolcen – After 1935
- Ottawa Oil – Alvin Nehls – 1947-1950s
- Nehls' City Service – Alvin Nehls – 1950s-1966
- D.D.M. Sales – Dale Thorbahn, Dennis Sandrock(son), Marvin Sandrock (father)- 1966
- FMB Sales & Service – 1976-(?) – Bob Franck, Bill Mays, Curt Brough
- Torn down 1989 – Empty lot (front) in 2024

216 Benton St (Rear metal building)

- (Built by D.D.M. in the 1960s)
- Ford parts & Service – Truck & Tractor – D.D.M.
- Wells Transmission – Auto, Truck, RV repair – Jim Wells & Randy Wells – 2002-2005
- (Truck Servicing) – Possible Gordon Lumber? – 2016 to present

232 Benton St

- Ellithorpe Bros. – Concrete block factory, roofing & shingles, glazed tile – William Ellithorpe & Kenneth Ellithorpe – Concrete block building built about 1948/1949 by Ellithorpe Bros.
- Oak Harbor Builders Supply – 1950-1951
- Oak Harbor Lumber & Supply – 1951-1960
- State of Ohio Liquor Store – Years? – 1960s or 1970s??
- Kinsel Company – Carl Kinel & Fannie Kinel – 1959-1977
- Piercefield & Son – Lumber & Contracting – Jim Piercefield – 1977
- H&G Home Improvement – (Office only, no lumber sales) – 1989-1992 – Company formed to build homes at north end of Toussaint St. – 1-2 homes only.
- BCS School District Annex Building – Storage – 1994 to present 2024

_____ Benton St (Concrete Block Building – West side of Street)

- Felder Truck Garage & Storage Yard – Ray Felder – (Built?)
- Kozy Corners Banquet Hall – Carl Konieczny – 2001
- Building used for storage 2018? to present 2024

_____ Benton St (Metal Building – West side of Street across from 232 Benton)

- Oak Harbor Implement Co. – Warehouse – 1950
- Formetal – Storage – 1956 to 1970s
- Howard & Vern's Plaza – Storage & wrecked car yard – 1970
- RV, Car, Boat, Snowmobile Storage – Jeff Behm – 1992 to present 2024
- Wrecked car storage – Denny's & Bill – 2000s

“National Home” subdivision – West side of Benton from Walnut Street to Townline Street. 21 pre-fab houses on cement slabs – Started from Walnut Street with 5 homes – Parts of the 5 homes damaged in storm before even finished – 1955 to present

342 Benton St

- Orlo Kern Truck & Crane Service – 1962 – Office address only

Benton St

- Fur & Hides – 2023/2024 – Sign in front of house

415 Benton St

- Blausey’s Small Engine Repair – Art Blausey & Jim Blausey – 1984

419 Benton St

- Terri’s Signs – Custom sign painter – Terri Blausey – late 1980s to early 1990s

_____Benton St Extension

- Frank’s Radio & TV Service – 1956/1958

524 Benton St

- Oakwood Manor Apartments – 24 units – 2000(?) - Concerned Citizens of Oak Harbor

South east corner of Benton & South Railroad St

- Farm field – 8.667 acres – October 2018 – Lucille Jess family to Portage Fire District
Land for new fire station – Farm land in 2024
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CHRISTIANSEN ROAD

- Christiansen Road was/is known as “Beer Can Alley”
- “JU” – Small wood building about 100’ west of Benton Street, south side of railroad tracks - LS&MS/NYC junction where 4 tracks changed to 2 tracks – 19__ to (?)
- J Weller Co. – Tomato paste disposal field – until 1980s
- Hille Farm – Tomato paste settling lagoons – 1983 to
- Village of Oak Harbor – Solar Field – 2013 to present 2024
- Village green dump & mulch area – 2013 to present 2024

MILL STREET

Mill Street was originally plotted as an alley on early maps. As an alley it was 16 ½ feet wide. It was the way to get to the many mills that were along the river bank. In 1916 to 1918 the Village obtained property to widen the alley into a street.

130 Mill St – north side of street

- (Small grey building - behind single story Portage Store)
- Graves Hardware Store, 1941/49
- Graves Marine Store, 1963

- Ottawa County Farm Bureau, Inc., 1962/1978
- Torn down mid 70's? (Empty for a few years)
- Parking area, National Bank of Oak Harbor
- Parking area for Croghan Colonial Bank – 2013 to present 2024

139 Mill St – north side of street

- Young's Video, Mar. 1992 – Tom & Donna Young
- The Movie Mann, Jul. 1992 until Oct. 1997 with move to 165 W. Water St.

169 Mill St – north side of street

- Store room of W.R. Thomas store
- Coffee Express - July 3, 1995 to May 1997
- Coffee Grounds - May 1997
- Mill Street Brews - April 1998
- Riverside Catering - with Mill Street Brews – Fall 2002 to 2004 - Donna Key & Joanne Busdecker – Dining hall available in old Village Mercantile area
- Beauty For Ashes – 2003-2004 – Julie Weyandt -office, north part of Mill Street Brews- Moved to 136 W. Water St.
- Mill Street Brew (no “s”) – Chris & Rachel Varga – 2012 to 2015
- Mill Street Brew (no “s”) – Kim & Cory Fic – 2015 to 2016
- Evolve River Front Café – Oct 2016 to June 2020
- Sip & Shop – Jams Creation – Jami Fadley – 2018 – inside Evolve
- Riverfront Nutrition – July 2020 to about April 2022)
- Jake's Bakery – August 1, 2024 to present 2024

171 Mill St -south side –address is rear of hardware, business south side along river bank

- Portage River Padding – Bryan & Amanda Floro – 2017 to present 2024

Various early lumber related businesses on south side of Mill Street. Hard to do exact location placement. See Sanborn Fire Insurance maps for names & locations.

Mill St (South of Mill Street, between Portage River bank and Church & Locust Streets)

Frame Buildings (Numerous)

- (See Sanborn maps for locations)
- Griner & McCarthy Stave Factory - 1860–18__?
- Aleen, Rossey & Fenney Stave Factory – 18__? until 1869
- Roose, Mylander & McGrath Stave Factory - 1869 to Nov. 1878
- (Various stave factory storage sheds – 1860s to late 1890s)
- H.H. Mylander Stave Mill – after 1878 to 1894 (burned)
- Charles Roose Stave Factory, 1878 until about 1900?
- Retarder Factory - prior to 1904
- John Barnes & John Bickhart Flour Mill (burned 1902)

- C.C. Zimmerman Flour Mill, 1900–1902

Concrete Block & Frame Building

- Interurban Car Barns & Yard - 1915 to 1946
- Multiplex Concrete Machinery Company – 1946 – 1948 – sold to Oak Harbor for parking
- Harbor Manufacturing – late 1940s to 1951 (Quality Drop Forgings) Move to Genoa
- Reliance Rubber Corp - 1955
- Myca Products - 1955 to Aug. 23, 1963 (Burned completely August 23, 1963) – Fred Myers & Al Costello
- Site cleared of all debris – Used for parking?

Banking drive thru structure

- Bank parking lot & drive thru – 1972-2013 – National Bank of Oak Harbor
- Bank parking lot & drive thru – 2013 to present – Croghan Colonial Bank\
- (New 3rd drive thru lane – June 2021)

Mill St – south side - near Church Street

- Village Incinerator - 1950's/60's
- Toledo Edison Electric Transformer – 1947 to late 1960s(?)
- Parking lot leased by Village – Bought O.H. Hardware 2005 for parking

BROOKLYN STREET

118 Brooklyn St

- Sentimentally Yours – Victorian Gifts & Gift Baskets – Tammy Kissell – Open October 10/11, 1998 to March 1999 (Move to 236 W. Water 1999)

121 Brookly St

- Mrs. Don Price – Rep. for Klingbeil Florist of Port Clinton – 1949/1951

135 Brooklyn St

- Anderson Boat Company – Office for boat company -1956/1958
- Harbor Hulls Inc – Boat builders – 1959
- Oak Harbor Boat Builders, Inc – 1960
- Knorn & Kokinda Tool Company – 1963 - @1970
- L.O. Kilmer Lumber Company Office – (1970s?)

Brooklyn St (Near Portage River bank)

- Adolphus Kraemer – Saw Mill – 1850s
- Adolphus Kraemer – General Store – 1850s

Brooklyn St (West side near river)

- J.P. Rafferty Brick Yard – Around 1900

Brooklyn St (East of Brooklyn near Prospect St)

- Ezra Fetterman Cider Mill & Coal Yard – 1913
- Ezra Fetterman Brick & Tile Yard – 1904/1910

ERIE STREET

122 Erie St

- Durdel Monuments – Ron Durdel – 1971/1972

150 Erie St

- American Cander Society – 1956/1963

164 Erie St

- Frank's Lawn Service – 1988

Southeast corner of Erie & Prospect Streets

- (House) - Oak Harbor Telephone Exchange – until 1900 – In attic of house

MAPLE STREET – SOUTH MAPLE STREET

116 or 119 S Maple St

- Elmer Kollhman – Hay & Straw (Office in home) – 1956/1958 address was 119 S Maple
- Elmer Kollhman - Hay & Straw (Office in home) – 1959/1962 address was 116 S Maple

158 S Maple St

- Paws-itively Pets – 2004

160 S Maple St

- Healthlink Ohio, Inc – Patricia Clifford & Susan George – 1994

MAPLE STREET – NORTH MAPLE STREET

121 N Maple St

- Chiarelli Beauty Shoppe - 1956/1963 – Olive Chiarelli
- George Chiarelli Meats – Office in house – 1958/1963
- Oak Harbor Livestock Sales – Office in house – 1956/1963

127 N Maple St

- Lisa L. Hoover Appraisal Service – 2004

____ N Maple St

- Barn at rear of 238 E Main St – torn down May 2009

PROSPECT STREET

137 Prospect St

- Olive's Beauty Shop – 1947
- Tim's Vehicle Reconditioning Service – Tim Held – 1988

143 Prospect St

- River East Financial Group – Dave Christie – 1990/1994 (Office address)

149 Prospect St

- Wm. Walker's bridge tender's house moved here about 1912 from north side of Portage River bridge

156 Prospect St

- Ottawa County Credit Bureau –Oak Harbor Agency –1958 (Ottawa Credit – Port Clinton)

218 Prospect St

- Priesman Insurance – Wm. Priesman – 1958

PORTAGE STREET

115 Portage St

- Possible set up & storage area for basket factory – 1895-1950
- Concrete spoilage area for Gordon Lumber Company – 1960s to 1990s
- Rainbow Acres Educational Day Care Center – Francine Weirich Harder – 2004 to present 2024

154 Portage St

- Jack Hetrick – Medical Technician – Medical Lab Services – 1959

171 Portage St

- Damschroder's Carpets – Roger Damschroder – 1975

241 Portage St

- Russel Wheeler Excavating – 1953/1961 -Moved 1962 to 351 Bellman Road

254 Portage St

- Walter Bodi Construction – 1978

331 Portage St

- Out Door Beacon – Lowell C. Woodrich – 1978(?) to mid-1980s

MAIN STREET – EAST MAIN STREET

132 E Main St

- McNess Sanitary Products – Remedies, Extracts, Nectars, etc. – Geo. L. Windisch – 1920s or 1930s
- Four Seasons Service Company – Septic tanks, aeration systems, cisterns – Mike Blakley 1987-1989

153 E Main St

- Joy's Beauty Shop – Joy Kibbel – March, 1985 (One ad said 158 E Main St.)
- M&B Cleaning Systems – Mark & Brenda Ihde – 1991 (See also 109 Oak St.)

164 E Main St

- Standard Electric Sales – Delco parts, Westinghouse Lighting Plants – Ralph Velliquette – 1931/1933 (In new 1931 garage behind house).

211 E Main St

- Fehlhaber Studio – Sue Fehlhaber Bahnsen – 1999 (At close of Clint's studio uptown)

217 E Main St

- Harbor Office Supply – Ralph Dehn – 1962/1978 (Home office)

306 E Main St

- Ray Rauch, Inc. – Trucking & Excavating – Ray Rauch – 1978 (Used home as business office)

358 E Main St

- Lorentz Floral Shop – Vivian Lorentz – 1967 (Basement shop with cool room)

373 E Main St

- The Beauty Nook – Dorothy Bassett – 1962/1972

MAIN STREET – WEST MAIN STREET

110 W Main

- Langholz Machine Works - 1949/50
- Langholz Pump Company - 1956
- Dr. Geo. Habiltzel, D.D.S., 1962/63
- Apartments

114 W Main

- D&D Enterprises - 1984

- Pro Data Micro -Jan. 1994 - Carl Haycox, Jr.

129 W Main

- Gerry's Beauty Shop 1975/1978 (Geraldine [Goetz] Wolf)

135 W Main

- Paul Corthell Electric Service -1959

144 W Main

- Sharon's Beauty Spot – Opened Jan 3,1969 - Sharon Skinner

147 W Main

Frame House (2 story)

- John O. Fought Home - Fought Dairy at rear
- Oak Harbor Public Library - Bottom floor Feb. 1942 to 1944 fire
- Oak Harbor Public Library – Remodel to 1 story – 1945 to 1987

Brick Building

- Oak Harbor Public Library – 1987 – Dedication August 30, 1987
- Addition to west side – 2000 (Children's area)
- Oak Harbor Public Library – 2024

150 W Main

- Charles Bleckner Home, built 1880/83
- Various owners – private home
- Thierwechter Priesman Realty -1977 to 1990 – David Thierwechter & William Priesman
- United Insurance Service - 1990 to Apr. 1998 – Scott Dunnmeyer
- Village of Oak Harbor – Mayor & Village Administrator Offices – 1998 to present 2024
- (Handicap ramp – 1999 – Repair brick – 2023)

Municipal Building -NE Corner Main/Church – See 146 Church St

200 W Main

- Office & Home – Dr. S.D. Allen, MD – 1866/1912
- Gordon Cigar Factory – Charles Gordon
- Private Home – Chas & Emma Gordon
- Children's Clothing House – Oct 1993 Moved here from 210 W. Main St.
- Balloon's Gifts & More -Sandy Seaman – 2008-2009
- Private Home in 2024

210 W Main

- Private home
- Children's Clothing House -Used children's clothing - Sep. 1991 to Oct. 1993

214 W Main (Rear)

- (Concrete block garage for home)
- Art's Welding & Repair Shop, 1947–1961
- Fire Killer MFG. Comp., 1956
- Converted to 2 apartments – 1986

221 W Main

- Private Home (Bordeaux Cement Block)
- Glamour Beauty Shop – 1956/63 (?)
- Bought by Village of Oak Harbor – 2023 (Possible new Police Station)
- Torn down – March 25, 2024

224 W Main

- Farm Bureau Ins. – 1950 – Murland O. Brunkhorst

(226) W Main

- Barber Shop - Paul J. Smithberger – shop on alley side of house - 1956/58
- (Rear garage) - Woodworking Shop, Dale Windnagle, 1950's early
- (Rear garage) - H&N Garage (1956 phone book)
- (Rear garage) – Oak Harbor Hardware – mower/snow blower storage – 2018 to present

____ W Main

- Private Home
- GTE/Verizon Phone Exchange

____ W Main

- (Small house west of alley, north side)
- Fry Cigar Company, 1894
- (Rear) Wuest Bakery – (?) to 1930 (burned)

235 W Main

- Dr. Roy D. Heller - Vet – Home - 1939? Til 1962
- (Hatchery in barn at rear of house by alley)
- Hatchery & Vet until 1962
- IGA Storage – Dorothy & Dick Bassett
- Portage Fire District – April/May 2011
- House & Barn torn down – Dec 2012/Jan 2013
- Portage Fire District – Stoned lot – 2013 to present 2024

250 & 254 W Main

Small 2 story frame building & scale house

- Built in 1890?
- Oak Harbor Fruit Company Office – 1931 (Possible not ever here)
- Ottawa County Co-op Office - 1950

- Ottawa County Co-op & Farm Bureau - 1959/63
- Landmark until 1978
- Russell Music Center
- Small white building & garage torn down 2011
- 2 story frame torn down 2022
- Empty lot – 2022 - 2024 -Village of Oak Harbor
- (Possible future Village electric sub-station)

Large multi door frame along railroad spur

- Lipstraw Hay & Straw – Wm. Lipstraw
- Kolman Hay & Straw Storage – Elmer Kolman – Fred Kolman
- Kolman Hay & Straw Storage – Fred Kolman – 2007
- Torn down – July/Aug 2011
- Empty lot – 2011 to 2023 – Sold to Village of Oak Harbor 2022
- Empty lot – 2022 to present 2024 – Village of Oak Harbor
- (Possible future Village electric sub-station)

265 W Main

Frame elevator

- Thierwechter Elevator – Michael Thierwechter – burned 1900
- Thierwechter Elevator – 1902 to (?) - burned 1929?

Concrete elevator

- Ottawa County Co-op - (fire April 18/19, 1949)
- Luckey Farmers Inc.
- Torn down – Sept to Dec. 1984
- Land sold to Bassett – Early 1985

Frame 1 story building

- VFW/Armory, 1989
- IGA/VFW Hall – 1989 to 2021
- Storage – The Rocket Shop – July 2021 – Kathy Steinmiller
- The Rocket Shop – Jan/Feb 2022 to present 2024 – Kathy Steinmiller – Rebecca Peterson

308 W Main

- Lawn Moving & Maintenance – 1992 - Ed D. Masso

W Main

- South Side (See Sanborn maps)
- Fleckner Greenhouse
- Greenhouse – 1915 - John Westinghausen
- Oak Harbor Greenhouse – 1931 – Lewis Schroder (address in 1932 - 311 W Main)
- Building moved to Townline Street – 1930s?

311 W Main (house)

- Don's Shoe Repair – 1960s

316 W Main

- Greeting Cards – (Retail) - 1978 - Mary Kiefer

___ W Main (Flat Iron Park)

- Anspach Bros. Mill Office & Storage 1869–1895
- (Information Missing)
- Flat Iron Park - Dedicated in 1919 – Village of Oak Harbor

CENTER STREET

Note: The railroad, when it came through Oak Harbor in 1882, was granted use of the center part of the Center Street right-of-way that extends from the Portage River to the North Corporation Limit. Center Street as it is in 2024 is the west side of the original plotted street. East side of plotted street is now covered with railroad stone embankment.

___ Center St (Railroad Station & Yards)

- House removed from depot site prior to 1882 – Moved to a lot east of tracks on Ottawa Street – Edward & Jennie (Block) Cook lived in house before moved.
- Wheeling & Lake Erie Railroad - Completed July 1882
- Depot built at Mile Post 26 (Milage from Toledo) - 1882
- New York, Chicago & St. Louis (Nickel Plate) Dec. 1949 - 1964
- Norfolk & Western, Oct. 1964- 1982
- Norfolk Southern, Jun. 1982 – Present 2024
- Station - 1882 to Apr. 17, 1989 – Torn down
- (Various Rail Yard Configurations – See Sanborn maps)

117 Center St

Frame Building

- Boarding house & saloon – August Fleckner – 1885(?) to 1888
- Moved to the west about 1888

Brick Building

- 2 story brick building built 1888 – August Fleckner, Sr.
- Wheeling House – Hotel & Boarding House -1888–1896
- Wheeling House 1896 to early 1900s(?)
- (Covered with cement or stucco – Year?)
- Apartment House – (?) to present 2024

Center St

- Water Tower - Built 1939
- Water Tower torn down 2023
- Empty lot in 2024 (Water lines and small block building on site)

155 Center St

- Possible hotel or boarding house – Built prior to 1888

CHURCH STREET – SOUTH CHURCH STREET

S Church St, Fire Dock

- Wooden dock – Passenger & freight vessel dock – Fire Dept. access - 1800s to (?)
- Concrete dock – Passenger & freight vessel dock – Fire Dept. access
- Concrete dock – Fire Dept. access & fishing area
- Portable kayak launch docks (seasonal) – 2017
- Concrete Dock – torn out in 2017
- Oak Harbor Station, Interurban Overlook, & Kayak Launch – Spring 2017

S Church St - West Side – (South of alley by river)

Frame Buildings

- Stave sheds –frame storage buildings – See Sanborn maps
- 1 story frame, implement storage – See 1904/10 Sanborn maps
- (Some buildings on NW/SE angle for railroad spur in the 1870s)

Concrete Block Building

- Built in 1925
- Bloom Woodworking Shop – Wallace Bloom - 1925
- Oak Harbor Novelty Comp. – Wallace Bloom – Flower baskets, etc.
- 2nd floor - Sadoris Novelty Company – 1934
- Branium Electric – 1963 – (possible in basement?)
- “DugOut” Fish Frys during Fall Fair – Basement, with overhead door open to river in 1950’s & 60’s
- Torn down - 1973
- Empty lot & parking for current US Bank in 2024
- (See 201 W. Water St for bank names)

S Church St - West Side - (South of alley, second building from river)

Frame Buildings

- Stave sheds – frame storage building – See Sanborn maps
- 1 story frame, implement storage, tool shed – See 1904/10 Sanborn maps

Brick Building

- Carpenter Shop – H.A. Sorg (Homer Adolphus Sorg)
- S.T. Black – Machine Shop – Samuel Block - 1911
- Charles F. Kemp Paint Shop - 1912
- 2nd Floor – Nehls & Sabiers – Carpenter work – Emil Nehls & L.C. Sabiers - 1911
- 2nd Floor - Bloom Woodworking Shop – Wallace Bloom – 1912 to 1925
- Kinsel Wiring, appliances, etc. – Carl Kinsel – 1936/1937
- International Harvester – (storage? of tractors)
- Oak Harbor Hardware – Tin Shop & storage – (1960s) – Had 2 large opening doors & wooden access ramp for the doors
- Torn down – 1973
- Parking and rear of current US Bank building – 1973 to present 2024
- (See 201 W. Water St for bank names)

117 S Church St - West Side - (North of alley)

- Town lock up (jail) – 1882 – Small frame building behind Perse building, opposite rear of hardware building across the street - (See 201 W Water)
- Brick Building
- Storage – Carpenter -1904 map
- Stove Warehouse - 1910 map
- W.G. “Guy” Brooks, Blacksmith, 1917
- Oak Harbor Cab Co. – 1947 – Joe Bassett
- Joe Bassett Garage - Body Shop - 1950
- Phillip’s Fish & Fur - mid 1960’s to Jun. 1966
- Torn down – 1973
- Bank building – 1973 to current US Bank in 2024
- (See 201 W. Water St for bank names)

S Church St - East Side

- Oak Harbor Hardware store (Water to Mill Street) – (See 179 W Water St)
- (Possible comfort station in the sidewalk area near the current billboard – 1925 ordinance passed – Not built according to newspaper but 2002 sidewalk construction found extremely black fine dirt?)

CHURCH STREET – NORTH CHURCH STREET

N Church St - (West Side of Street) – Church Street side of Hotel Building from Water St to alley (See 200 W Water St for Kuebler Hotel Water Street store fronts)

Frame Buildings

- 2 story frame house – Amos Fought – Prior to 1867
- Amos Fought General Store – 2 story frame commercial building – 1867- 1898
- Meat Market – (Prior to 1897) – Paul Spitzer (Facing Church St next to Shoe Store)

- The New Shoe Store – J. H. Brady – (Facing Church Street) - 1897
- New York Racket Store – (Next to Brady facing Church Street) – (?) until 1899
- Paul Spitzer Meat Market – Expanded into room vacated by Racket Store 1899
- Buildings moved in 1898 for brick hotel construction.
 - Barn to Dr. Emory B. Huyck, MD near Washington Gordon’s home
 - Ice House to J.H. Brady’s (Meat market)
 - Murphey Office to Church St. near river (Natural gas company office)
 - House to near Main & Locust Streets intersection

Brick Building

- Kuebeler Hotel – lobby – 1899 to present 2024 -Various names and owners over the years. (See 200 W Water St)
- (Behind lobby) – Office - Sherman Fyre Ins., - 1947 (Church St, entry - now closed off)
- (Behind lobby) - Dining Room
- (Behind lobby) - Warner Hotel Barber Shop - 1950
- (Behind lobby) - Bert Bordeaux Barber Shop – 1962
- (Bar for Hotel) – Entry from Church St.
- Bar for other occupants over the years
- Empty in 2024

111 N Church - (West Side of Street) – Hotel Building - 2 Store fronts near alley

- (South) - L.L. Carstensen Barber Shop, 1900/1904/1910
- (South) - Charles “Honsey” Fought Barber Shop
- (South) - C. Bertram “Bert” Bordeaux Barber Shop, 1917
- (North) – L.P. Spitzer – Meat market – 1900
- (North) - Hoedt Sisters Millinery Shop
- (North) - Wm. Lipstraw Baled Hay & Straw – Office
- (North) - Mutz Sisters Dry Goods - 1913
- (North) – United States Post Office – (1932?) until 1938
- (Both) – Nehls Cleaning & Tailoring - 1940
- (Both) - Dry Cleaners - Band Box, 1956/59 – John Shank ran it (?) to 1976
- (Both – Dry Cleaners – Band Box Jim & Bev Goldstein – 1976 to April 5, 1986
- (Both) - Victorian Room, Hotel Dining Room/Banquet Room (See 200 W Water)
- (Both) - Hartford House Dining Room – 2019 to about 2021
- 2nd Floor - Telephone Exchange -1900 to 1916/17
- 2nd Floor – Hotel owner apartment (above dry cleaners) – 1900 to 2000s

121 N Church St - (Adolphus Kraemer Park)

- Town Hall – 1883 – Town/Township offices - Fire Dept. 1883/1885 to 1907 (Red brick)
- Town Hall torn down for new 1907 Town Hall
- Town Hall – Built 1907 - Town/Township offices – 1907 to January 1996 (White brick)
- (Rear exterior wall was red brick – thought to be brick from 1883 Town Hall)

- 2nd floor - Opera House – 1907 to the 1950s? - Left vacant after 1950s
- Southwest corner of lot – 2 bay cement block building
 - Oak Harbor Fire Department – 1907 to about 1930
 - Oak Harbor Street Department – about 1930 to (?)
 - Oak Harbor Police Department garage – (?) to current 2024
- Town Halls (Both) used side grass lot as a park or meeting area
- 1907 Town Hall torn down in 1996
- Empty lot - 1996 to 2002/2003 - Various Santa Houses/Easter House
- Log Cabin - 2002/2003 to present 2024
- Named “Adolphus Kraemer Park” August 3, 2009

104 N Church St - (East Side of Street) – Entry from Church Street (See 178 W. Water)

- Built by Amos Fought – 1876 – Grocery store
- Warehouse & Storage – Amos Fought (Grocery goods)
- Flour & Feed Store – Wm Wolf – Possible prior to 1900? – No exact location known.
- Side Entrance – Fought grocery store – Prior to 1913
- (Bank moved to building in 1911 (See 178 W. Water St)
- Side Entrance - Oak Harbor State Bank – 1913 to 1965
- Walk up window – Oak Harbor State Bank -1965 until 1973
- Walk up window removed -1973 - Brick entry added 1973 - (Window is now utility drive up window at Oak Harbor municipal building)
- (Side entry to building and access to following businesses – 1973 to present)
- Gro-N-Glo Live Plant Shoppe, 1979 – Sally Rutledge
- Portage Valley Interiors - 1982 until 1986 – Douglas A. Ames
- Alan McLean – Lawyer - Sep. 1986 until July 1987
- Legal Tender, - Coin Shop - Oct. 1987
- Bolte Real Estate - July 1989
- Heintz Reality – Rear entrance – Sept 1990
- 2nd floor rear, outside entry – Masonic meeting hall
- 2nd floor rear, outside entry - Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety, Jul. 1992
- Parties Are Us - 1994
- Chamber of Commerce – 1997
- Spouse Insurance – 2010
- 2024 – Entry to ?

110 N Church St

- Built by Amos Fought sometime after 1876
- Grocery Warehouse/Storage – Amos Fought Grocery
- Jno. O. Fought Grocery - 1913
- Schnoor & Black Grocery – 1917/1927
- (Information missing)
- Kinsel Electric – 1948 – left in 1950 – Carl Kinsel
- Hetrick Radio & TV – 1953 to (?) – Walter Hetrick

- Murland Brunkhorst Ins. Agency, 1958/62
- Hetrick & Brown Nationwide, 1962/63
- Oak Harbor Municipal Offices, Nov. 1, 1968 until ---
- Kauble's Variety Store – Antiques & Collectables – 1971
- H&R Block Income Tax, 1977
- Dave Wood Barber Shop, 1978
- J's Fast Print Service, --- until Dec. 1984
- Ottawa County Farm Bureau, Sep. 1985 to Oct. 1988 (United Way office, Aug. 1986)
- Securance Service, Inc., Mar. 1989
- Partitions installed on main floor – Dec 1988
- Building metal/stucco façade painted grey – May 1989
- Summer 2024 – metal/stucco removed and brick repaired
- 2nd floor – Apartment(s) (?) to present 2024
- Apartment, main floor (?) to present 2024

112 N Church St - (2 ½ to 3 story frame building)

- Grain Elevator & Warehouse – Amos Fought – 1888, 1893, 1898 maps
- General Storage – Amos Fought - 1904
- Marble Works – Harmon Gens – 1905/1910 (Roof windmill removed in 1905)
- Cream Station – 1920 - (Unknown use?)
- Black's Grocery – 1929 /1935 – Gus Black – (Sold Edward's Foods in store)
- Al Hay Grocery – 1932 (Name was Alta? Hay)
- Fire - Destroys south side of building – rebuilt -1932
- Max Sharpe Grocery – (?) until 1945
- Fuller's Market - 1945/1957 – Melvin Fuller
- Rutledge Grocery - 1958/59 – Russ Rutledge
- Lou's Video Service - 1959
- (Rear hollow tile building) - Hay's Radio Shop
- (Rear hollow tile building) - Hetrick T.V.
- Paul Corthell Electric Service -1962
- Corthell & Luchsinger Electric – Paul Corthell & _____ Luchsinger
- Nearly New Shoppe - 1966 until 1983 – Betty Yoder
- Nearly New Shoppe – 1983 to Dec. 30, 1994 - Bette Bryant Whaley
- Dr. Jack Gutilla - Chiropractor, 1995 to Feb. 2001
- Midwest Center for Stress & Anxiety, Sep. 2001to (?) - ___ Bassett
- By Laurie – Custom Jewelry – Laurie Cirone 2012 to 2014
- Planner Kate – Kate Antesbuger – March 2019 to (?)
- Massage Therapy & Reflexology – Amanda Conn – LMT, BCPP – May 2021 to present 2024

118 N Church St – Frame Building

- Built November 1899 – Amos Fought
- Office – Amos Fought – 1899 to (?) – (Contractor/builder, grocery store)
- Doctor's Office – 1905/1910 - Dr. F.S. Heller, MD – (Frederick Smith Heller)

- Confectionary Store – Sandwich Counter – Year? - Prior to 1938
- 2nd floor – Speakeasy during prohibition??
- Doctor’s Office – Dr. F.S. Heller, MD – 1912 (Fredrick Smith Heller)
- Doctor’s Office - Dr. A.S. Mack, MD – until 1946 – (Alexander S. Mack)
- Doctor’s Office - Dr. Wilson Shortridge, MD – 1946 to 1955
- Doctor’s Office - Dr. Robert Reeves, MD – 1955/1956 to 1960 – (See 9849 W. 163)
- Mar-Del Beauty Center, 1962/63 – Marian Wilbur(?) & ___ Durdel
- Bonnetts Beauty Shop – 1966/1978 – Neccia Gdovicak & Fran Chio
- Hair Pin – Jill Goldstein – until 1984
- A Cut Apart – 1989 – Joyce Tallman – To present 2024

118 ½ N Church – Rear hollow brick building

- Horse barn – Dr. F.S. Heller, MD (Frederick Smith Heller)
- Chet Young Poultry & Eggs – 1930s
- Civil Defense – Office & Storage – 1950s
- Corthell Electric – Paul Corthell – 1958
- Oak Harbor Surplus Store – 1960
- Kelley Upholster, 1967
- Evan’s Upholster - March 1985
- Apartment
- Snyder Storage – 2010 – Adam Snyder
- Apartment or (?) – 2024

126 N Church St

Brick House

- Amos Fought Home – Built by Amos Fought 1876 to 1878 – Foundation in 1876 and set over winter to make sure it was solid - House built 1877 to 1878
- Home – Dr. F.S. Heller, MD– Bought in 1905 – (Frederick Smith Heller)
- Converted to apartment house – until Oct 1938 – torn down for US Post Office

United States Post Office (Brick Building)

- Oak Harbor Post Office, 1938/39 (Always had rear 1 story loading area)
- Drive on south side – 1980s – Handicap ramp – Dec 1995
- (Basement) Co-operative Extension Office – 1938 until 1998 – empty 2024
- Post Office 2024

146 N Church St

- Blacksmith Shop – John Windisch – Frame bldg. moved off lot May 1, 1886
- Central Hotel, 1887/1901, 3 story brick building
- IOOF Hall – 3rd floor – until 1901
- Flats, 1904 map, 3 story brick
- 2nd & 3rd story removed for glove factory – 1st story retained, windows bricked in.

- Glove & Mitten Factory, 1909/1910, 1 story brick (The Fremont Mitten & Glove Company)
- Louis Link Garage – 1914
- (Single story addition to original building & 2 story block by alley – 1916)
- Palace Garage - 1920
- Dunmyer Motor Sales, 1922 to 1953 – Dewey Dunmyer
- Max Sharpe Ford Tractor Sales – 1953 to 1956
- Formetal Storage/Warehouse – 1956 to (?)
- Brick 1 story building torn down 1976
- Oak Harbor Municipal Offices & Police Department - 1976 to present 2024

149 N Church St

- Vacant lot -1904 ---- House 1910 – House 1912
- Concrete block building – 1944/1945 – Fake “brick” overlay 1965 – Pitched roof after
- Oak Harbor Frozen Food Market – 1944/1945
- Ottawa Soil & Water Conservation District (SWCD) & US Soil Conservation Service (SCS) – Dec. 1965, - Move out April, 1986
- US Department of Agriculture Office – 1965 to Dec. 1998
- Brush Wellman Offices – 1998 or 1999 – Short time only
- Vogel Valuation Appraisal, Inc. – 2002 to (?) – Death of Robert Vogel
- Batdorff Realty – January, 1988 to present 2024

154 N Church St

- Mark’s Repair Service – Mark Blakely – Appliance Repair – 1990’s

155 N Church St

- House built 1917 – Revenaugh

161 or 163 N Church St

- School Buildings – 2 single story frame school buildings – Both moved from lot by 1874 to build M.E. Methodist church (One moved back to 207 W. Ottawa St. [still there] – Other to south of Methodist Church & then to 327 W. Water St.[torn down 2023]))
- Methodist Episcopal Church 1874/1875 to March 1962
- United Brethren – Circa 1965
- First Baptist Church – Nov 1974 to early 1985
- Calvary Baptist Church – April 1985 to Mid-1986
- Grace Baptist Church – June 1986 to Jan. 1994
- Private Owners – May 1993 to Present 2024 (Storage building) -metal roof 2018

164 N Church St.

- C.O.P.E. C.O.P.E. – Counseling Options & Parent Effectiveness – Joyce M. Gates MA, LICDC, LPCC – (?) to June 2010 – Moved to 106 W. Water St

166 N Church St (No such address – Ads, below, had this address)

- Sept. 24, 1921 Exponent – The People’s Market – Hay & Albert (See 112 N. Church St)
- 1947 Exponent – Methodist Church Ladies meeting – (See 155 N Church, Revenaugh)

(122 W Ottawa Street)

- Frame Building – St. John Lutheran Church – Faced Church St. Built 1867, Moved 1882 to west side of Church Street opposite brick church building and used as church school
- Brick Building – St. John Lutheran Church – 1882 to 1926
- Stone Building – St. John Lutheran Church – 1926/1927 to present
- Parsonage at rear of brick building, south of alley – Built 1914/1915, Moved to Ottawa St. next to educational building in 1926

215 N Church St

- Frame Building – St. Boniface Catholic Church – Built 1872, Addition about 1885, Torn down 1915
- Brick Building – St. Boniface Catholic Church built 1915 to 1917
- St. Boniface Catholic Church – 1872 to present
- Parsonage – Built 1880 on Oak St. – Moved to Church St. 1915

200 W Ottawa St

- Frame Building – St. John Lutheran School – (Old Church from opposite side of street) School used building 1882 to 1912 – Building moved to Locust Street near Portage River
- Frame Building – Parkson City Services Garage – Calvin Hetrick City Services
- Frame Building – (Different building built?) – Witt Electric – 1943 to about 1958
- Building torn down for parking lot – 1967 to present 2024

227 N Church St (House)

- Batdorff Realty Office – About 1968 to May, 1988 – Merlin Batdoff – Moved 1988

247 N Church St (SW Church & Park)

- Built 1879 (?)

300 N Church St (NE Church & Park)

- Built 1884 by William Bleckner
- Darr Health Clinic – 1963/1965 to about 1978(?)

316 N Church St

- Oak Harbor High School – Built 1875, Addition 1889, Torn down 1911
- Oak Harbor High School – Built 1911, Additions in 1937/1938, 1952, 1967, & 1994 School remains in use from 1911 to 2022
- (School House Park was partially on Church St. – From Park St. to side of 1875 school. Was here in the 1870’s to 1911. Park remained for a number of years after this on Park St. in the Water Tower area.)

___ N Church - West side of street – Walnut St. to Washington St.

- At least 4 private homes – torn down in the late 1950's
- Home at NW corner, Walnut St. & Church St. – Home Economics Dept. – 1940's & 50's
- Tennis Court & Shotput Pit – (Between Houses)
- School Athletic practice field – 1960's to present 2024

336 N Church St

- Cinder Tinders – Early 1980's

400 N Church St

- Lora's Look – Photography – About 2000 & 2001

405 N Church St

- Aetna Life Insurance – Don Foreman – Circa 1947 – Home office

415 N Church St

- Eldred's Workshop – 1978 – Dave & Pat Eldred – “Barbie sized” furniture

418 N Church St

- Dean Huston Construction - 2020

425 N Church St

- Carpets, Carpenter, Woodworker – Bob Marik – 1970's

428 N Church St

- Income Tax, Bookkeeping – G.E. Zimbeck – Circa 1952

509 N Church St

- Agent & Auctioneer – Baker Bonnigson Realty – M. Eric Millinger – 1996

523 N Church St

- Income Tax, Bookkeeping, Accounting – G.E. Zimbeck – Circa 1949

553 N Church St

- Leilani's Tidy Tress – 1959 – Lonnie Gluth

554 N Church St

- John Hancock Dist. Inc. – (Mutual Funds) – John N. Rogers – 1984

637 N Church St

- Al's Body Shop – Al Burdine – Late 1970's
- Riverside Property Mgt. – Residential & Commercial – Rob Schiets – 2007

LOCUST STREET – SOUTH LOCUST STREET

See Sanborn Fire Insurance maps for exact South Locust Street locations.

110 S Locust St - (brick 2 story building)

- Kramb Company Addition - 1910 – (Fill from 1907 Town Hall basement construction)
- Kramb Company Warehouse - 1920
- Gordon Lumber Company Offices - (date?)
- Drs. C.M. Seely, D.D.S. – 1949 (Clifton M. Seely)
- Dr. R.L. Bolte, D.D.S.- (Robert L. Bolte)
- W.R. Gibson, MD - 1949/1956 – (William R. Gibson)
- Dr. Gene Taylor, D.D.S., 1956/1967
- Dr. Tom Kilmer, Osteopathy - (joined Taylor & Gibson Aug. 67)
- 2nd floor: Migrant Health Center, late 1960's
- H&R Block – 1971-1972
- Storage, Spangler-Nau/Spangler
- Building torn down – June 8, 1988
- Used car lot – Spangler-Nau – 1988 to present 2024

S Locust St – frame - (East side of street behind Kramb Addition)

- Blacksmith - H.O. Mylander - prior to Kramb Company blacksmith
- Blacksmith - Kramb Company
- 2nd floor: Battery Service, 1920
- Shop moved & site became used car lot – date(?)
- Used car lot – (?) to present 2024

S Locust St – frame - (East side of street across from Mill St R-O-W)

- Poultry House – Kramb Company - 1904/1920 maps
- Rear: Ice House – Kramb Company -1904/1910 maps
- Torn down – Used car lot – to present

120 S Locust St – frame - (East side of street)

- Vulcanizing & Accessories - 1920 map
- (This location?) - Garage & General Repair – Kenneman – 1922
- (This location?) – Garage & General Repair - J.R. Bowman - 1925
- Schuster Body & Repair Shop - 1947
- Storage - Nick Stevens Auto Sales - Spangler-Nau Motor Sales
- Torn down after 1968
- Used car lot – to present 2024

121 S Locust St (west side of street)

Frame buildings

- S. Barnes Custom Flour Mill – 1888, 1893, & 1898 maps
- Carpenter Shop – 1910 - 1 story frame
- House – Ernest Hillman until 1917

Cement Block building

- Built 1917 – Bauch Ford Garage
- Bauch Company Implements - Ford Cars & Tractors – 1919/1920 until 1928/1929
- Smith-Druckenmiller Ford, 1928/1929 until (1930?) (Both from Fremont) ___ Smith & Philip Druckenmiller
- Tri-Motors -1930 to 1938/1939
- Royal Roller Rink – Chet & Mandy Young) 1939 to 1944
- Rear- Bus Garage, 1945 – Port Clinton Coach Lines – Gotlieb Schuster
- Rear - Frank & Bill's Body Shop, 1947 - ___ Frank & Bill Simpkins
- Nick Stevens Motor Sales – until 1960
- Spangler-Nau Motor Sales – 1960 to (?) – James Spangler & Paul Nau
- Oak Harbor Motor Sales – 2018 – (?) – Used car sales only
- Spangler Motor Sales – Present 2024

122 S Locust St – frame - (east side of street)

- Address given prior to 1938 for Cal & Mike Hetrick garage
- Possible Chet Young Sunoco Gas Station – 1942 (Somewhere on this side of street)
- Address given in 1938 for Ottawa Used Car Lot – Nick Stevens
- (In the area, present 2024 Spangler used car lot)

124 S Locust St – frame - (east side of street)

- C.N. Anderson – 1927

126 S Locust St – frame - (east side of street)

- Vacant lot, 1904
- Schaaf Hatchery - Dr. C.M. Schaaf, Veterinary -1915 to 1950s(?) (Carl M. Schaaf)
- Storage - Spangler-Nau Auto Sales
- Torn down after 1968 for used car lot - 2023

127 S Locust St – frame (small one story)

- Gordon Lumber Company - Main office building
- Torn down February 2002
- (Driveway to building was brick paving between Locust St and sidewalk – Thought to be the location of First Street on early Oak Harbor maps)

128 S Locust St (barn type building, east side of street)

- (Pilings from interurban bridge torn down in 1946 used by Gordie Priesman to construct floor. Pilings driven into old bayou in a random pattern.)

- Storage Barn - Gordon Lumber Company
- Truss & Panel Factory - Gordon Lumber Company
- Concrete Division Office – Storage – Gordon Lumber Company
- Storage Barn - Witt & Gaines – (2009?) to present 2024

130 S Locust St – frame - (east side of street)

- Vacant lot - Lumber Piles & Sheds - 1904
- Woodworking shop – frame, built /19141915 – Schultz Bros. – William Schultz
- Bill Schultz Workshop - After 1929
- Sharpe Tractor Sales – Didion Tractors - Max Sharpe -1949 to 1954
- (State of Ohio Liquor Sales – Max Sharpe (Years?))
- Tri-Motors Body Shop - 1962/63
- Mays Body Shop – Bill Mays
- Apling Storage – In with Mays Body Shop
- Bait & Tackle Store - early 70’s (front only)
- Oak Harbor Auto Parts NAPA, 1972-1974
- Witt Electric – Witt & Gaines - Witt & Associates - 1986 to present 2024 – Dave Witt, Jeff Gaines – (New front 1999)
- Rear pole building – 16’ pilings, 450-ton stone over old Hartford Bayou

133 S Locust St - (west side by river)

- Various flour mills/grist mills - (See Sanborn maps)
- Gordon Lumber Company – After 1904 when last of mills in area burned – until (?)
- Jehovah’s Witnesses -- Meeting Hall – January 2009 for 6 months
- Empty until 2012 –2013
- “River Place” - Storage - Radiant Windows – 2013 to present 2024 - Mike Shadoan

In this area - (east side of street, across from Radiant Windows)

- Wm. Kolath Blacksmith & Wagon Shop 1897
- A new Wm. Kolath Blacksmith in 1907
- H.O. Blacksmith, prior to 1910
- Geo. W. Bower Blacksmith in 1910
- Charles Immel, screens & windows, above Bower Blacksmith in 1913.

____ S Locust St - (east side of Street, near river) - (See Sanborn maps)

Frame buildings

- Saxon General Store - prior to 1850
- Zipperman Brewery - prior to 1855
- (Unknown exact locations or when removed)

Frame building

- Basket Factory - 1895–1950 -- various names
- Anderson Boat Company - 1953–58 – burned

Lumber Company lots

- Concrete Plant & storage yard - Gordon Lumber Company
- Buildings torn down – 2010 to 2011

Metal Building

- Dollar General – March 29, 2011 to present 2024

LOCUST STREET – NORTH LOCUST STREET

North of Water Street on Locust Street, between Water & Main, in unknown locations

- Spitzer & Co. Meat Market 1875
- Chas. Graner Groceries & Provisions 1875
- Johnny Young Fish House 1888
- Fire Department (Leased 6 months) 1882
- Agricultural Depot John Reed 1884
- Geo. R. Gamble Dodge Service garage 1919/1921

Kraemer Block – East side of Locust between Water & Main Streets

- (Do not know exact locations)
- Oak Harbor Weekly Press – May 1875
- Harness Shop – P.E. Sweet – October 1878
- C. Maeulen – Notary Public – 1878
- Hardware – Fred Hillman – October 1882
- Dressmaker – Mrs. Jennie Davenport – 1894
- Nagle Drug Store – (?)
- Eugene Brown/Brown Bros. – Cleaners - 1913

Northeast corner of Locust & Water Streets (Empty lot) – See 100 E Water Street

- Blacksmith shop – 1870s - See 100 East Water Street
- Trash dump – Prior to 1911
- Brick 2 story – Various groceries & general stores from 1911 to 1928
- Brick 2 story moved back 30 feet to present 2024 location
- Gasoline pumps & underground tanks – 1928 to (?)
- Empty lot – Owned 2016 to present 2024 - Monica & Dave Mitchell

N Locust – (1st building from Water Street on east side of street) (See 100 E. Water)

Fame building – on lot prior to brick building moved here in 1928

- Boarding house – Mrs. Z.B. Critchfield – 1883 (Possible location)
- 1st floor storage, 2nd floor paint store – 1904 map
- (South) - Barber Shop, Shirley Fought Barber 1920(?) to 1924
- (North) - Auto shop – 1920

Brick building

- Brick 2 story, moved here in 1928 from lot facing Water Street (See 100 E Water)
- Auto service and gas station - 1928 to 2015 (See 100 E Water)
- Car Storage & Apt. – Monica & Dave Mitchell – 2016 to present 2024 (See 100 E Water)

103, 105, 107 N Locust St – (East side of building at 102/104 W Water Street)

- 103 N Locust - Police Station, 1970 to 1977
- 105 N Locust – E.J. Michel Garage – 1939
- 105 N Locust - Stuart Brown Insurance -1965
- 105 N Locust – Leaser Plumbing & Heating – 1977
- 105 N Locust - Riverview Industries – Card & gift shop – 1981
- 105 N Locust - American Family Insurance - May 1998 – 2004 - Jennie Dornbusch
- 105 N Locust – Little Town Tattoos & Tanning – Air brush tanning - 2004 -Ruthann Buhrow, Holli Brecht, Jennie Dornbusch
- 107 N Locust - Shorin Ryu Martial Arts – July, 1998 to 2004 – Eric Robertson
- 107 N Locust – Young’s Video – 2005-2009 – Thomas & Donna Young
- (Auto garage door entrance glassed in for apartment entry – 2011/2012)

106–110 N Locust

Frame Building

- Short’s Bakery & Dining Room, 1874
- Thierwechter General Store, 1877 until 1882 – Michael Thierwechter
- Hillman Hardware – 1882 – Fred Hillman
- 2nd floor - Dr. E.B. Huyck, MD – 1874 – (Emory Burr Huyck)
- 2nd floor - Kraemer, Law Office & Print Shop, 1877
- Burned Sept 1883

Frame building- (Rebuilt on same lot)

- The Oak Harbor Bowling Alleys – D.A. Kraemer - 1900 – (DeWilton Kraemer)
- “The Hartford Club” or “The Club” – Social club, billiard hall, bowling alley - 1902
- Pool Room/Clubhouse, 1904/1910
- Warehouse, 1920
- Wood platform – (over bayou) - Nick Stevens sold used cars – 1920s
- Carl Kinsel Electric - 1930
- Ketus Kemp Barber – 1936
- Building torn down about 1945

Cement block building

- Building erected 1945/1946
- Ottawa County Exponent - 1946–1990
- Things Unique – Exponent office area - 1988–1990
- License Bureau, Jun. 22, 1992 to 2009
- Empty – 2009 to 2023

- Torn down Feb 20-24, 2023
- Parking lot 2024 to present

Driveway between parking lot and laundromat is private. It is not a Village alley and not maintained by the Village.

116 N Locust

Frame Building

- Ottawa County Exponent – 1900 (?) to 1945/1946
- 2nd floor – (Possible) – Jennie Davenport – Dressmaker - 1894
- Building torn down – 1945/1946(?)

Concrete Block Building

- Built in 1946 (?)
- Bob Thayer - Minn. Moline Tractors
- Portage Sales & Service - 1949/50 – Studebaker, Minn. Moline tractors
- Griest Motor Sales – until 1968 -
- Van Aita Co-OP Laundry - 1968–1980 – Al VanAtta
- Blakeley’s Co-OP – 1980 - Dry cleaning offered April, 1984
- Sew-N-Sew Shop, Mar. 1992–Mar. 1995 – Kim Hoffert
- Laundromat–1997 – Bob & Sue Morse
- Freddy’s Laundromat & Dry Cleaning – 2004 to 2012/2013(?) – Bill & Erin Flowers
- Slick Willy’s – 2013(?) to present 2024
- (There is a small apartment above the southwest side of building)

118 N Locust – Small building attached to north end of 1900 frame Exponent Building

- Otto Rose Meat Market – June to November 1932
- Chas. H. Schlunz Meat Market – 1932
- Modern Upholstery Shop - 1933
- (Located where north side of present laundromat building is.)

120 N Locust

- Frame building - rear of building on piles over Hartford Bayou
- (North store front) – Painter & Paint Shop – Kemp - 1912
- (North store front) - tailor, 1920
- (South store front) – Wallpaper – George Paulsen – 1912
- Oak Harbor Natural Gas Company – Office? – 1922
- Kinsel Electric Shop – 1929 – Carl Kinsel
- Bill Earle Laundry – (date?)
- Chestnutwood Cleaners – 1930’s
- Oak Harbor Cleaners & Dryers – 1933 – Gladys & Nate Goldstein
- Oak Harbor Cleaners –1946 Nathan Goldstein –1970s, Bev & Jim Goldstein
- The Male Room – Men’s clothing - 1967/69 – In cleaners on south side of building

- The Treasure Chest -1976 - Christian Bookstore -
- Side Line Sound Shop-1977 –Gordie Adams, Jerry Goldstein, Jeff Burdine, Mary Felder
- Building torn for parking lot from (?) to present 2024

129 N Locust St

- Donna’s Country Nook, Aug. 28, 1989 until late 1990

130 N Locust

- Vacant lot, 1904/1910 maps
- C.L. Rymers Service Station – 1924/1939(?) – Cliff Rymers
- Quality Heating & Metal Shop – C.N. Anderson – 1926 – In Rymers building
- Tri-Motors - 1938 until 1967
- (Tri-Motors added 2 bays in 1946 over a 1930s town dump site)
- (Tri Motors added showroom 1957 until torn off in July 1998))
- Griest Motor Sales – Nov 1967 until Oct. 18, 1986 - (Also License Plate Bureau)
- Empty 1986 to 1988 – 2 Apple Festival Lion Club fish fry’s
- Tack Sales & Service - May 1988 to Oct. 1989
- (128 N Locust St address) - Dr. Krishnam Ragothaman MD - March 1999 to present
- (128 N Locust St address) – Mercy OB/GYN Associates – 2013 – In Ragothaman office
- Rainbow Acres - March 1999 to 2004
- Bay Park Rehabilitation Center – 2005 -2007 – (In room between doctor office & pizza)
- Marco’s Pizza – (Suite 100) – March 30, 2009 to present 2024
- Health Point Nurse Aide Training Center (Suite 200) (NE corner facing Main Street)
Katrina Millinger RN & Debra Wilt RNC – 2009 to 2011
- Apartment (Suite 200) – 2010/2011 to present 2024

---- N Locust - NE Corner Locust & Main St

- Fairgrounds – 1860s (?)
- Griest Motor Sales used car lot
- Tri-Motor used car lot – 1964 to 1967
- Playground, Rainbow Acres – 1999 to 2004
- Parking lot to present 2024

N Locust - NW Corner Locust & Main St

- Small square red hollow block building – Built May/June 1912
- Dr. Henry Langholz, MD, office - 1912
- Dr. George Hablitzel, DDS
- Atwater Beauty Shoppe – 1956/1958 - Possible used 110 E Main address
- (Possible Auto License sales – Jim Goldstein
- Small apartment
- Snyder Real Estate Office – Adam Snyder – present 2024

143 N Locust

- Cat Sitting – Ruth Trammell – 1995

145 N Locust

- Frank's Radio & TV Service – 1955

150 & 150 ½ Locust

- Premier Poultry & Dairy Products – P.J. Sturos – 1950-1953
- Weitzel's Improvement Company – 1958 (150 ½ Locust)

176 N Locust

- Myerholtz Nash Co. – 1936

201 N Locust

- Myerholtz Beauty Shoppe – 1935 (In house)
- L.J. Myerholtz – Contractor & Excavating –
- House & garage built 1933/1934 – Nash Garage? – 1-2 gas pumps

--- N Locust

- Joyce's Beauty Shop

--- N Locust

- Locust Street Greenhouse – John & Mary Wistinghausen – 1915 or 1921 to about 1933
- John Wistinghausen Florist
- John Wistinghausen & Son (Lewis) – Moved to Townline St.(about 1933?)

227 N Locust

- A.J. (Albert) Kramb – Venetian Blinds & Window Shades – 1943, 1949

--- N. Locust

- Laundry (1904 Sanborn Map)
- Oak Harbor Steam Laundry (1910 Sanborn Map)

239 N Locust

- Balloon Bouquets – 1984

250 N Locust (At Park Street intersection)

- Rocket Way – 2021 – 900' road to BCS Intermediate School

301 N Locust

- Wm. T. Earle Laundry – In basement
- Dwyer Funeral Home – 1954 – 1958
- Crosser Funeral Home – 1958 to 2020 (Clifford Crosser)
- Crosser Priesman Funeral Home – 2020 to present 2024 (John Crosser & Tom Priesman)

--- N Locust at Washington (?)

- Atwater Beauty Shop (2 houses in from Locust St on south side)

302 N Locust

- Anchored to the Rock Christian Goods & Church Supplies – Mrs. James Young – Closed 2015 & move to Fremont

318 N Locust

- Water Hauling – Leonard Genzman & Son – 1951

324 N Locust - (Block building in alley between Washington & Walnut St.)

- Built 1940s
- Didion Tractor Sales – Ford Tractor & Dearborn Farm Equipment – 1950
- Grieger Produce – Harold Grieger & Sons – 1956 to @1970
- (Building still there in 2024)

326 N Locust

- Melvin J. Martin – Roofing & Sheet Metal – 1958/1959

327 N Locust

- Leona's Beauty Salon – Leona Dewey 1978
- Leona's Beauty Salon – Carolyn Fic & Judy Dewitz – 1984
- North side of house

401 N Locust

- William H. Douglas – Carpenter – 1962/1963

402 N Locust

- Kelley's Upholstery – Fred R "Buck" Kelley – Prior to 1984 - (Also canvas work)

411 N Locust

- Jim Beard Furs – 1973/1974 to @1988 – 4 months per year in garage

419 N Locust

- Civil Defense Director, Ottawa County – Howard Brown's home – 1950s -1960s

500 N Locust

- Roger Carpenter Printing

518 N Locust

- Leaser Plumbing, Heating & Electrical – 1970s? – Barn at rear of property

527 N Locust

- John C. Lane – Newspaper Distributor (Toledo Blade) – 1970s?

528 N Locust

- Paulsen Bait & Tackle – Rollie Paulsen – 1956 – In garage – Sold Christmas trees

___ N Locust

- Wott's Sheet Metal & Heating

540 N Locust

- Area to rear of house & northeast corner of garage was a storage area for railroad ties when the line was built (1850s or 1870s) – Area to the north of the house was labor camp for Chinese workers (1850s or 1870s)

541 N Locust

- Art-In-Iron – Robert J. Bahsen – Orders for Fremont Ornamental Iron Company – 1954

550 N Locust

- Everett & Son – 1951 – Ernest Everett & Glendon Everett
- Everett's Hay & Straw 1984
- Sandwisch – Jason Sandwisch – 1995

555 N Locust

- Wm. E. Fleckner – Income Tax Service – 1958

___ N Locust - (North of 602 N Locust St)

- Hotel – Harbor House – 1870s
- Rahm Boarding House & Saloon- 1904 Sanborn Map
- Boarding House/Apartment House – until 1960s?
- Box Factory & Dewey Foreman Woodworking Shop – Barn at rear – Burned 1958
- Apartment house – House burned 1971
- Empty lot
- Drive to Eagle Fabrication – North side of lot – Dec 1989

610 N Locust

- G.M. Meyer Drop Forge – Grayson Myer – 1950s to 1960s
- Cleveland & Soon tool & Die – 1980s – Closed 1986
- Eagle Fabrication & Repair Inc. – John & Mayette Bradberry – Propane tanks & repair – 1989 to about 2021
- Eagle Fabrication & Repair Inc. – Business owned by sons of John & Mayette Bradberry 2021 to present 2024

___ N Locust

- Warehouse, iron on studding – 200' east of Locust – north side of tracks
- Emery Thierwechter hay barn
- Wm. Lipstraw Hay & Straw Warehouse – 1920s
- Stock yard between Locust and warehouse – 1930s, 1940s
- (Burned?)

See North Railroad Street for grain elevator.

637 N Locust

- Blacksmith Shop – Lud. Soenichsen – 20'x30' barn built in 1923
- Henderlich Repair Shop – H.O. Henderlich – Lawnmowers, Engines – 1949
- H.O. Henderlich – Sharpen blades, saws, etc. – 1954
- Building torn down 1982 – Lot to Northern Manufacturing 1993

640 N Locust

- Gas Station – 1937 to tear down in 1994 – concrete block
- Shell Gas Station- Oak Harbor Co-op – 1959
- Gas Station – Luckey Farmers
- Gas Station – 24 hour self-serve gas pumps – 1994 to present 2024
- Elevator complex (3 silos) built 1978
- Sprint Tower – Feb 2005

712 N Locust

- Radiant Window Warehouse – 2021 – Mike Shadoan
- All Elite Sports Complex – Training facility- 2022

715 N Locust

- Lowry Hartwell – Barber Shop – Before 1930
- Lenz's Groceries & Meats – Clarence & Lucille Lenz – 1938-1965
- Musser's Northland Bait – 1966
- Northland Bait & Tackle – Northland Sporting Supplies – 1965-1978
- Northland Sporting & Supplies – Division of S.R. Gloor, Inc 1988
- D&N Sporting – Northland Sporting – Closed 2008
- Storage & Woodshop – (?) to present 2024

715 ½ N Locust

- Lenz Floor Covering – 1954 – Bought out by Bob Hockin
- Bob Hockin Floor Covering – 1954/1956

721 N Locust

- Fruit Trees for sale – L.W. Meyer – 1928

Apartment Complex – West side of Locust, South of church

- North Village Apartments – Open House Feb. 15/16, 1975

749 N Locust

- Kendonly Restaurant (?) -- Know nothing about this. – Address said to be Oak Harbor, Ohio found on line in 2010)

750 N Locust

- Baptist Church – 2 trailers put together – 1 year only? – 1970s
- Salvation Army Drop Off Station – 1984 – (? Where)
- Northside Mini Storage – Ronald & Robert Jensen – 1990, 2nd building 1991
- Clean Sweep Car Wash – January 1993 – Bay on west side added 2001
- Car Wash & Storage businesses functioning in 2024

769 N Locust

- Oak Harbor United Brethren in Christ – 1987/1988 – Addition in 2000
- Shoreline Church – (Name Change) – 2008/2009 to present 2024

STATE ROUTE 19 – SOUTH STATE ROUTE 19 – SOUTH OF OAK HARBOR

Wagon/automobile bridges across the Portage River

- Covered bridge – Before Civil War – lasted 10 years- Washed away
- Between 1858 & 1897, high water & ice washed away 4 different bridges. 2 known years were 1867 & 1870. Dates of construction & wash aways are not exactly known.
 - Cribb bridge with empty Cribbs – Washed away
 - Cribb bridge with stone Cribbs – Washed away
 - Pontoon bridge – Washed away
 - Pile bridge – Washed away
- 3 span steel girder bridge – Swing span – 1897 to 1932
- Steel & concrete bridge – 1932 to 1993
- 5 span steel beam concrete reinforced -1993 to present 2024

779 S State Route 19

- Didion Tractor Sales – Before 1950
- M.G. Sharpe Ford Tractor Sales – Mercury Motors, Reynolds Boats – Max G. Sharpe – 1950-1976
- Tack Ford Tractor Sales – Llyod & Dan Tack -1976-1986
- Tack Sales & Service – 1986 – (?) – (Small mowers & parts – no Ford tractors)
- Wisler Landscaping – Boat storage – Gordon Lumber storage – Randy Wisler – 1987(?) to present 2024

789 S State Route 19

- Winebarger Plumbing & Heating – 2004 – Same area as Wisler's

S State Route 19

- Hayward Inc. – Alfalfa mill – Lawrence “Jack” Schiller – (Est 1932) – To Oak Harbor 1936(?)
- National Alfalfa Dehydrating Co. – 1971
- Ohio Dehy, Inc. 1985
- D&H Pallet – 1992 (Same drive as Ohio Dehy)

- 2024 – Buildings & metal boilers scrapped - 2024
- Storage Buildings remain – 2024

1016 S State Route 19

- Hayward Inc. – Office Building – (Office’s moved to Toledo 1986)
- Nature’s Best – JoAnn & Joe Wyble – 2000
- Commodore Perry Federal Credit Union – Suite C – March 2000
- (Original building torn down – 2010)
- Commodore Perry Federal Credit Union – New building

1010 S State Route 19

- Cemetery – Shown on 1874 map – (No evidence of this has been found)
- Natural Gas Pressure Building – (Small building on north side of driveway going to Hayward/Credit Union) – Columbia Gas - 2024
- .52 acre – (Small triangle property south of gas pressure building) – Hellenic Enterprises (prior to 2009), St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church (Elyria, Ohio) in 2009, In 2022 to Douglas Everett & Sarah Sanchez (Empty lot 2024 in front of brush area)

1048 S State Route 19

- Krieger Greenhouse – Arnold & Naomi Krieger – 1946-1957 – Destroyed by storm April 5, 1957 (Not rebuilt)
- (1st House beyond Credit Union Driveway)

1100 S State Route 19

- Young’s Video Rental & Sales – (Rear breezeway) – 1983-1992 Moved to Mill Street.

____ S State Route 19 (Driveway & area north of 1100 S State Route 19)

- Salem Township Dump & Burn Area – 1957 to (?)
- Village Dump & Burn Area – 1970s to (?)
- Ed Wheeler/Russ Wheeler – Excavating & Backhoe work
- Ray Rauch – Excavating & Backhoe work – 1970s
- Henry Bergman Company – stone storage, oil tanks, blacktop plant – 1958? -1970s
- Lin-Mor, Inc. – 575,000-bushel grain pod – (tent like structure) – 1986

____ S State Route 19 – 11180 N Parkland Drive (White building)

- Gordon Lumber – 2 storage bldg.– Incoming rail shipments of lumber- 1992
- Gordon Lumber Truss & Panel – closed in 2014
- Pioneer Vintage Trailer, LLC – 2016 to present 2024

951 (?) S State Route 19

- Green Cement Block – (east side of road, mid-field)
- Moved here in 1950s(?) as a frame building
- Enclosed in cement block – 1946 - LP gas storage – Mulligan Electric – 1950s
- Storage (?) – 2024

1284 S State Route 19

- Mulligan Electric – 1946(?) – Built by Jack Mulligan – Storage & Garage
- W.C. Jeschke & Son – John Deere – 1945-1952(?)
- 20th Century Lanes – Bowling Alley – 1959 – 1999 – Louis Brindley
- 20th Century Lanes – Scott Renz & Kathy Brindley Renz – 1999 – 2020
- 20th Century Lanes – March 2023 to present 2024

1315 S State Route 19

- Shirley’s Style Center – 1975/1977

Southeast corner of Rte 19 & County Road 17

- Oak Harbor Veterinary Hospital – Dr. J.J. Quecke – 1959/1962
- (Small square portion is part of Applegate /Barbershop moved her about 1950)

1358 S State Route 19

- Oak Harbor Pet Haven – Janet Stone – 2002

1386 S State Route 19

- Michael Stone – Veterinary – 1991/1992
- Oak Harbor Veterinary Hospital – 2002(?) to 2024

1430 S State Route 19

- Tri-Motor Sales – 1967 to present 2024

1951 – S State Route 19

- The Country Cupboard – Healthy & Bulk Foods – 1986

2080 S State Route 19

- Vern Miller Chevy-Olds – 1978 – Bought 1972 by Bauman, Miller name until 1997
- Al Bauman Chevy- Olds – 1997 to 2001
- Interstate Road Management Service – Highway paint striping –2004–2016 (Weed spraying only by 2016)
- Greer Automotive – 2028 to present 2024

WEST PORTAGE RIVER SOUTH ROAD

11060 W Portage River South

- Knorn Machine Company -Willie Knorn – (1965? To 1971)
Jon’s Golf Carts & Machine Company 2017

11108 W Portage River South

- Tack Ford Tractor Sales – 1985

1335 Applegate Road

- Vining Quick Release – Cleveland & Sons Tool Company - 1960s

RAILROAD STREET – NORTH RAILROAD STREET

North Railroad St

- Kirk & Payne – Grain elevator – Mid 1881- Jan/Feb. 1883 – Burned to ground
- Magge, Paffenbach, Lipstraw – Grain elevator – 1902-1910 – John Magge, Henry Paffenbach, Wm Lipstraw
- Michael, Fritsche, Brokate – Grain elevator – 1910 -1914
- Oak Harbor Co-operative – Grain Elevator – 1914-1977
- Luckey Farmers -Grain Elevator – 1977-1994 – Torn down Jan./Feb. 1994
- Parking lot & part of North Railroad Street (part of elevator was on R-O-W of North Railroad Street)

North Railroad St

- Elmore Veneer Co.– (Fetterly Basket Company) - Built @1911 – (See 1910 Sanborn Map) (Across from railroad station)

132 North Railroad St

- Babcock Reel Company – Fishing reels – 1950s
- Nelson Cabinet Company – 1963
- C. Nelson Manufacturing Co. – ice cream cabinets – 1978
- Northern Manufacturing – 1951/1959 (Founded 1951) – Additions 1984 & 1994) Moved to Lakewinds Industrial Park 2020s – Some storage, but basically empty in 2024

224 North Railroad St

- Orlo Kern Contractor – Truck, crane, pile driving, basement work -1976, 1979 – Moved here from 342 N Benton Street

304 North Railroad St

- Jim’s Boat Repair & Refinishing

RAILROAD STREET – SOUTH RAILROAD STREET

South Railroad St. – Various locations & times

- 4 or 5 wood shanties about 1854
- Collin’s House 1872 – Hotel, bar, boarding house
- Spitzer & Bros Grocery
- Bid Hull’s Saloon & Residence (burned 1874)
- D.A. Duffey & Son Contractor 1963

133 South Railroad St

- Bud's Automobile Service – But Gluth – 1950/1978 – concrete block building burned October 1967 – Make shift roof after fire
- Midway Welding – 1953 – Gave a 135 S. Railroad address but work done at 133 S. Railroad
- (Equipment sold at auction 10-26-1985 – Junk yard sold & cleaned out early 1980s)

135 South Railroad St

- Railroad Hotel – Collin's House 1872
- Boarding house & saloon – Reiman Snyder
- Soft Drink Parlor – 1920 Sanborn Map
- Gluth's Grocery Store – 1928
- Gluth's Groceries & Tavern – 1950
- Welcome Inn – 1971
- The Way Station – Christian Book Store – 1974/1975 to late 1980s?
- Kim's Creative Sewing – Kim Hoffert – 1995 (Also canvas repair)
- Private residence – early 2000s?
- (False front 3rd floor cut off – May 2002)

South Railroad St

- LS&MS Railroad Station – 1872
- NYC, Penn Central, Conrail, Norfolk Southern
- Railway Express Agency – 1950s
- (Station used for railroad maintenance storage – 2024)

South Railroad St

- Saloon & Boarding House – Charles & Minnie Pomrauque – 1891
- Saloon & House – Saloon & House shown joined together on 1904 Sanborn Map
- 1910 Saloon is vacant – by 1920 Saloon moved to 601 N Church St. – House 2024
- House remains at 201 South Railroad - 2024

South Railroad St

- State of Ohio Highway Garage – Building from 1937
- State of Ohio Highway Garage – New building 1990/1991 to present 2024
- Salt Building/canvas topped barn – 2020

411 South Railroad St

- Ayling & Reichert Co. – To Oak Harbor from Toledo 1963 to present 2024
- Humble Gardens - 2024

Southeast corner S. Railroad & Benton Streets

- Future Fire Station & EMS – property bought 2018 from Lucille Jess – 8.667 acres

STATE ROUTE 19 – NORTH STATE ROUTE 19 – NORTH OF OAK HARBOR

1015 N State Route 19

- (Northeast corner of 19 & Salem-Carroll Road)
- Shelhase Blacksmith
- Beck's Garage – Ervin Beck – 1954/1956
- Beck's Garage & Marine – 1958
- Art's Welding & Marine – Art Whaley – 1961'
- Inland Marine – Pal Goldstein, Bill Mays – 1970/1971
- Mays Body Shop – Bill Mays – 1978
- Bill Simpkin's Body Shop
- Crum's Body Shop –
- Building – (Use?) - 2024

N State Route 19

- Winter's Plumbing & Heating – Zet V. Winters – 1951-1974
- Pal's Small Engine – Pal Goldstien – 1984
- Stuart's Custom Bikes – 2009
- Office -SGH Enterprises – Fix It/Home Repair – Stuart (son) & Greg (father) Hathaway – 2009
- Building – (Use?) - 2024

LAKE STREET

240 Lake St

- Ottawa County Agricultural Complex – Built 1998 to present 2024
- National Resources Conservation Services, Ottawa Soil & Water Conservation District, Ohio State Co-op Extension Farm Service Agency (USDA), Ottawa county Sheriff Branch Office, OSU Extension
- Renamed “The Earl Johnson Agricultural Building” December, 2007

HOUGHTON STREET

Houghton St- (West of Church Street to the railroad)

- Oak Harbor Creamery – Otto Beier – 1893 (South side of street near Railroad)
- Beet Dump – 1920s & 1930s – Near Glass Company along railroad spur
- Glass Company – Etched patterns on glass – 1917/1918 to 1928 (burned)
- Harbor Supply – Gulf oil bulk fuel tanks – Across from Formetal – 1960s(?)
- Formetal – 1950s to 2019 – Empty 2020 to present 2024 – Owned by Adam Snyder

TOWNLINER STREET

111 Townline St

- Silk Expressions – Silk Flowers – Helen Palmer & Karla Windnagel – 1984/1986

Townline St

- Milton Depner Welding – 1947 (Near Wistinghausen Florist)

114 Townline St

- Wistinghausen Florist – Greenhouses – 1915(?) to present 2024

215 Townline St (Weller buildings torn down in 2003)

- J Weller Company- Office Building – 1898 – 1980 (Remodel to house in 2018)
- Hille Farms – 1980 – 1985
- Oak Harbor Produce - Pickle & Cabbage Storage – Chester Mauch, David Hille – 1986
- Buildings (Except office & 1 warehouse) torn down 2003
- Weller Office building remodel to house – 2018 to present 2024

250 Townline St

- PT Link Therapy – Quick Twitch Center – Tom Hallett, Jr – Built 2019 to present 2024

JEFFERSON STREET

210 Jefferson St

- Eagles Nest – Rental Hall – Masonic Hall – Roger Carpenter – 2009/2010

211 Jefferson St

- Al Morse – Masonry & General Construction – 1980s
- Morse Chimney Sweeps – Bob Morse – 1985

Jefferson St

- Weller Swimming Pool – 1962/1963 to 1983 – Pool filled in Sept. 1987 (North side of Jefferson Street, between Church Street and railroad)

WASHINGTON STREET

111 Washington St

- Atwater Beauty Shop – 1942

Washington St

- Electric Engineer Co. – John Schwable, Jr – Furnaces, Appliance Repair – 1946

Washington St (North side just east of railroad)

- 4 bins, small building – 1930s
- Commodity Credit Corp – 30 bins for grain & corn storage – 1950s
- BCS Schools – 1968 (empty lots given by Louis Carstensen estate)
- EMS Station – Bought from school in 1988 (1st runs on December 23, 1988)
- EMS Station – 1988 to present 2024

WALNUT STREET

114 ½ Walnut St

- Winona Monument Company – Wayne W. Sampson, Dealer – 1954

118 Walnut St

- Ice house moved here from North Locust Street across from Musser’s Store (Between Lake & Broad St.) – House in 2024

200 Block -Walnut St

- School property – Bus garage – Athletic Field

300 Walnut St

- Village Cleaners – R. Kinney – 1950 (Cement Block building) – House/storage 2024

400 Walnut St

- Musical Creations – Music box repair – Earl Wittman – 1995

430 Walnut St

- Sutter Block Company – Cement block factory -Henry Sutter – 1940s – 1950 (garage/factory torn down in the 1970s or 1980s(?))
- Sugar Plum’s Inc – Candy & art flower arraignments made in basement of house Patricia Cousins, Robert Babcock, Steven Massen – 1992

WALNUT STREET – EAST WALNUT STREET

East Walnut Street is not a plotted street. It is a private drive to access businesses located at the end of it. In the past, the Village maintained the stone “street” and plowed it in the winter under the mistaken impression it was Village owned. This was corrected in the late 1960s or early 1970s. The US Post Office assigned addresses to houses and businesses using the East Walnut Street designation.

- (Artesian well creates the stock yard pond – center rarely, if ever, freezes)
- Tilton & Roose Tile Yard – 1902
- Leow Brick & Tile Yard – Harmon Leow – 1920
- Borrow Pit for 1932 Locust Street Bridge approaches – John Knopp

- Village of Oak Harbor – City Dump – 1950s (Next to pond)
- Stock Yards – 1960s – 1970s (Barn torn down 1987)
- Formetal Storage – 1970s – Short time only – Barn just to east of house)
- Bob Green Antiques – (Small office building by large stockyard barn)
- City Auction Barn – 1976
- Dee’s LP Gas & Boat/RV Storage – Dee Genzman – 1987-1998
- Mulligan Supply Inc. – 1980s
- Country Cottage Crafts – (238 East Walnut) – 1992
- Toussaint Developers – (238 East Walnut) – Early 20000s
- Becki’s Canvas – (?) to 2002
- Small barn along driveway, north side just beyond house – (Use in 2024?)

PARK STREET – EAST PARK STREET & WEST PARK STREET

East Park Street, east at Locust Street, is not a plotted street. It was, in the 1950s, a private drive to access a business located at the end of it. In the past, the Village maintained the stone “street” to about where it curved south to the business. In 2021 the BCS school district improved the drive to make it “Rocket Way” to access the new intermediate school & include parent auto access for R.C. Waters Elementary School.

EAST PARK STREET

111& 111 ½ East Park St

- Branum Plumbing, Heating, & Electrical – 1950s to 1970s’ – Private drive.
- Rocket Way – Driveway BCS Intermediate School & Auto access RC Waters Elementary – 2021

WEST PARK STREET

111 W Park St

- True Products – Cleaner’s & Dyerr’s Supplies – 1959

209 W Park St

- Park Street Garage – 1933 – (Rear of house, in alley, doors open to alley)

221 W Park St

- Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church – Built 1924 to (?)
- American Legion Hall – 1949 to present
 - S-OH 2nd grade – 1956-1957 – Girls upstairs, Boys downstairs
 - Ottawa County Retarded Children’s School – 1962/1963
 - Lion Club Meetings – 1983-1984
 - Grace Christian Church – 1984

- Grace Baptist Church – 1986
- Fremont Ballet School – 1995
- (New addition – 1986 --- West side expansion – 1992)
- American Legion Post #114 – 1949 to present 2024

_____ W Park St

- School House Park -1875 to (?)
- Waterworks Park – 1911 to 1950s(?)
- School addition – 1937 to present
- Water Tower – 1911 – 2018
- (New) Water Tower – 2023 to present 2024
- Light & Water garage -Public Power – 1911 to present 2024

248 W Park St

- Evelyn Beauty Parlor – 1925

305 W Park St (1st house, south side, west of railroad)

- G.E. Black – Stock Dealer – House & Barn – 1940s & 1950s
- House burned – torn down

409 W Park St

- Wilkins Lawn Care & Landscaping – Jeff A. Wilkins - 2014

OAK STREET

108 W Oak St

- Keith L. McCracken – TV Sales & Service – 1958 (Phone book ad)

109 W Oak St

- M&B Cleaning Systems – Dry foam carpet & upholstery - Mark & Brenda Idhe – 1990/1991 – Move in 1991 to 153 E Main St.

114 W Oak St

- Hetrick Radio & TV – Walter Hetrick – 1957/1967 (Owner of first car radio in town) Small building behind house at alley intersection.

116 W Oak St

- Ravas Electric Service – Theodore Ravis & Sons – 1956

118W Oak St

- Oak Tree Art Studio – Beth Craddock & Machenzie Warren – 2015
- Site of a “Little Free Library #24192” – 2015

227 W Oak St

- “Brite” Music Marketing – In home distributor – Joyce Tolan – 1988

W Oak St (South side, east of railroad)

- Gulf Refining Corp – John Zehner – 1938/1943/1964 (2 tanks with concrete bunker, metal building)

422 W Oak St

- “4 Your Home” – Household products – Bart & Jenny Hepner – 2003 (In garage)

501 W Oak St

- Hi Speed Gas Station – Ernie Knieriem – 1924
- (Business moved to 101 Benton – Building torn down)
- Kozy Korner Sandwich Shop – Chet & Mandy Young – 1951
- Kozy Korner – Merle & Vi Ladd – 1960
- Circle K – Fred & Faye Kindle – 1970 -1972
- Kozy Korner – Konieczny family owned – 1973-1988
- (Dining room added 1970)
- (Closed July 1988 to July 1990 due to family dispute)
- Kozy Corners – Carl & Sandy Konieczny – 1990 - 2021
- Kozy Corners – Randy & Monica Genzman – 2021 to present 2024

502 W Oak St

- Bell’s Corner – Sim Bell – (Small stand) – 1922
- Bell’s Corner – Sim Bell – (Single story) – 1924
- Bell’s Corner – Sim Bell – (Two Story) – 1926
- Bells Tavern – Sim Bell – 1926-1941(?)
- Wayside Inn – (Sutter Café?) – Fritz & Mary Sutter – 1942-1947(?)
- Wayside Inn – Chris & Pauline Peterson, Mgr. – 1947-1949
- Wayside Inn – John J. Helget, owner – 1950-1954(?)
- Wayside Inn & BonBar Grocery – 1950
- Art’s Tavern – Art Tolan – 1954-1958
- Ha’Lo Inn – Harold & Lois Draves – 1959-1963
- Ha’Lo Inn – Richard Dewitz – (?) to 1976 – Burned down Jan, 1976
- Apartment complex – Built on tavern foundation – 1976? to present 2024

504 W Oak St

- Tolan’s Gem Shop (1 story attached to west end of tavern building) – Art Tolan – 1957
- (Burned with Ha’Lo Inn fire in 1976)
- Apartment – Built on gem shop foundation 1976(?) to present 2024

514 W Oak St

- Tri-Motors Used Car Lot – 1965/1966
- FMB Gas & Splash – Bob Franck, Bill Mays, Curt Brough – 1970-1978(?)
- (1st vehicle thru car wash – Feb 1970 – Cliff Crosser ambulance)

- Marathon Gas & Splash – (Gas & car wash)
- Buckeye Pit Stop – _____ Brough & Bob Weirich – 1983-2001
- (Bar was called “Boar’s Nest”) Canopy 1998
- Buckeye Pit Stop – DJ & Patti Greenhill 2001
- Drive thru started in removed car wash – December 2002
- South overhead door removed 2009
- The Chop Shop (Deli) – Matt & Hope Adkins -- 2009-2014
- (Jan/Feb 2014 – Gas pumps bagged)
- Audra’s Florals & The Wine Shop – Audra Arebaugh – 2014-2020
- 514 ½ - Classic Construction – Matt Adkins – 2020 (Auditor site gave this – where in building?)
- Harbor Mattress – (1 month only for storage? – Inside old Audra’s Floral Shop) – Feb 2021
- Empty building (?) – Summer 2024 – Gatherings, football games, parties – Austin Short
- Canopy & underground tanks removed October 2024

OTTAWA STREET – EAST OTTAWA STREET & WEST OTTAWA STREET

East Ottawa Street

_____ East Ottawa St

- Alfred Schnoor & Sons, Inc. – Building Contractors – 1962

145 East Ottawa St

- Richard Wilson – Technician – 1958/1959 – (Still lived here in 1962 but no technician listing)
- Krieger Decorating – Interior & Exterior, Paper Hanging, Picnic tables -Ron Krieger – 1975/1978

West Ottawa Street

100 W Ottawa St

- L.J. Myerholtz – Contractor/Machine Work –1930s to 1950s
- Myerholtz Beauty Shop –1935 (Both change address to 201 N Locust in 1950s)

101 W Ottawa St

- Roam Network – Scott & Kim Krieger – Early 1990s

108 W Ottawa St

- Chistian Church of Disciples of Christ – 1879(?) to 1921

- School classes about 1910/1911 while building on Church St. being finished
- Grace Lutheran Church – Before 1927 move to Park Street
- Oak Harbor Tabernacle – Rev. Floyd S. Magsig - 1931 to 1935 (Owed building)
- American Legion Hall – 1935 to 1949 (Church cupola removed in Feb 1938)
- Oak Harbor Dance Studio – Ruthann Spring, Ted & Kit Hook - 1955
- K of C Hall – 1949 to 1996
- Jackson Gymnastic Academie -Matt Jackson – 1998 to Oct 1999
- Private Residence - 2024

112 W Ottawa St

- Ezra B. Smith Electric Service – 1956/1962 – (In garage at rear)

118 W Ottawa St

- Ohio State Construction Co. – In 1959 Phone Book

122 W Ottawa St

- St. John Lutheran – Rectory – Frame house moved to Oak Street, Brick house moved from Church Street to this site.
- St. John Lutheran Educational Building – (torn down 1959)
- St. John Lutheran Educational Building – 1960(?) to present 2024

122 W Ottawa Street

- Frame Building – St. John Lutheran Church – Faced Church St. - Built 1867, Moved 1882 to west side of Church Street opposite brick church building and used as church school
- Brick Church Building – St. John Lutheran Church – 1882 to 1926
- Stone Church Building – St. John Lutheran Church – 1926/1927 to present 2024
- Parsonage at rear of brick building, south of alley – Built 1914/1915, Moved to Ottawa St. next to educational building in 1926 (still between educational building & alley)

155 W Ottawa St

- Mulligan Electric – 1943 (small 2 story building at rear of lot, alley intersection)

200 W Ottawa St

- St. John Lutheran Church – Frame building
- St. John German Lutheran School – Frame building
- (Church Building moved to Locust Street just prior to 1922)
- Cities Service Gas Station – Calvin Hetrick – Built 1922(?)
- Cities Service Gas Station – Buchman (Year?)
- Parkson Gas Station – 1933 (Rebuild of 1922 building or new building)
- Gas Station & Witt Electric – Myron “Mike” Witt – 1943 to about 1957/1958
- Building torn down for St John parking lot about 1967 (Parking lot 2024)

204 W Ottawa St

- Parkson Flower Shop – Built onto house in 1938/1939 – 1946 to 1950s

- Ice House – Lester C. Parkson – Prior to 1938 – Rear of lot
- House torn down for St. John parking lot

207 W Ottawa St

- School House – Sometime prior to 1872/1874 – (South side of street, directly behind Church)
- Possible also used as town hall prior to 1872/1874
- Private home - 2024

228 W Ottawa St

- Wilber S. Lochotzki – Insurance & Monuments – 1954/1963

_____ W Ottawa St

- North side of Ottawa, east side of railroad track
- Ice House – Used to ice down railroad cars from Oak Harbor Fruit Company

_____ W Ottawa St

- South side of Ottawa, east of railroad track
- Berley & Gielow Coal Sheds – Prior to 1913 (Moved for fruit house)
- Carl Sharman Coal Yard – (Same time as Fruit Co.?)
- Lipstraw Coal & Feed – (Same time as Fruit Co.?)
- Oak Harbor Fruit Company 1913 to (?)
- Empty lot – 2024 (NS railroad property)

315 W Ottawa St

- Dreier Tax Service – Dreier Health Claim Consulting – Wayne Dreier – 1994

318 ½ W Ottawa St

- Tile 2 story barn at rear of 318 along alley
- Furniture & Undertaking Supplies – W.H. Hetrick & Son – Storage – Prior to 1945
- St. Clair Bros. Construction – Louis St. Clair, Charles S. Clair – 1947

324 W Ottawa St

- Mulligan Supply, Inc – Michael L. Mulligan – 1988 (Move to 422 E Water in Dec 1988)

400 W Ottawa St

- Tidy Tress Beauty Shop – Lonnie Gluth – 1958
- St. Paul UCC parking lot - 2024

STATE ROUTE 163 – WEST STATE ROUTE 163 - (WEST OF OAK HARBOR)

_____ W State Route 163

- BCS High School - to present 2024

11685 W State Route 163

- BCS Schools Administration Bldg.
- Addition – Sept/Oct 1985
- (House – Prior Occupants – Jerry & Joanne Phillips)

11697 W State Route 163

- Magruder Medical Building – Opened April 1990
- Dr. Minick moved here in May 1995
- Addition to building – Summer 2007
- Renamed to RW Minick Medical Building –

11707 W State Route 163

- Zimmerman & Kreager - Dental Office – Dr. Donald L. Zimmerman, DDS & Dr. Randall Kreager, DDS – 1978-2009
- Oak Harbor Dental Care – Khan, Mahmond, & Kreager - 2009
- Mark A. Bedford 2015, Marc Asmar 2016, Daniell Daoud 2017
- Oak Harbor Dental Care – Dr. Nivine Dughayli, DDS & Dr. Cass Ahmed. DDS (buy business in Feb 2022) – present 2024

12148 W State Route 163

- Bayou Creek Farmstead – Holistic living – Jennifer & Larry Heggie – 2017 to present 2024

W State Route 163

- Frame school house – Prior to 1905 – Moved to west across Vogel Road
- Salem Township School #4 – Veh School - Built 1905 – Closed as a school in 1919
- Oak Harbor Grange #2218
- Pentecostal Church of God in Trinity Faith - Rev. Elsie Pierce, Pres – (Year?)
- Farm storage (?) to present 2024

12535 W State Route 163

- Idle Hand Stock Farm – F.W. Yauch, George Balduf, Coonie Balduf – 1917 (Hog Sale)
- Apple Fruit Stand – George Balduf – 1950s & 1960s
- Sorg Builders – Don Sorg & Tom Sorg – 1984 to (?)

STATE ROUTE 105 – WEST STATE ROUTE 105 – (WEST OF OAK HARBOR)

W State Route 105

- Cemetery – Both sides of road - North side of road dates to 1853
- Oak Harbor Memorial – (mausoleum) 1923 to present 2024
- Union Cemetery – Both sides of road – (?) to present 2024

____ **W State Route 105**

- E.S. Price & Son Lumber Mill – (Specialized in virgin timber) – 1948

11751 W State Route 105

- Jami Green & Friends – 5th Annual Country Home Show

11805 W State Route 105

- Oak Harbor Alliance Chapel
- Moved here in 1978
- Added gym & rec hall in 1991
- Church buildings & parking lot – present 2024

11859 W State Route 105

- Zibbel’s Brick Crite – Arthur Zibbel – 1951 to 1973(?)
- Karate – Jeff Behm
- Jazzercise – Amy Behm – 2004-(?)
- Yuson Hawaiian Kenpo- Jeff Behm – 2017
- (Empty in 2024?)

11969 W State Route 105 (Built 1979)

- Kersten Korner’s – Child Care/Nurse School – Ann Kersten – 1979 to 2016
- Giving Tree – Mayann Davids & Ann Kersten – 1982
- Kersten Korner’s – Angie & Jeff Lipstraw – 2016 to present 2024

325 Toussaint Portage Road - (Mylander Road)

- Grace Baptist Church – Built 1993/1994
- Added on to building – 2003/2004
- “Ottawa County Christian Academy – K-12 – 2004 to present 2024
- Addition & Steeple – 2016 to present
- Grace Baptist Church – to present 2024

____ **W State Route 105**

- Grant Koepke Windows – 1955

14250 W State Route 105

- Ray’s TV & Service – Ray Schuster – (?) to 1966 (Scott Renz buys parts service)
- Ray’s TV – Scott Renz buys Ray’s TV – 1972
- (1977 – Scott Renz has 1st wind turbine in Ottawa County)
- Ray’s Electronics – (?) to present 2024

14028 (?) W State Route 105

- Egg Farm – Chicken Farm – 1960s - (Rauch?) – (2 or 3 single story long rectangle shaped buildings behind house at this address)

14052 W State Route 105

- Koepke Farm Insurance
- To present 2024

Brush Beryllium came from Lucky, Ohio in 1953. It is equal distance between Elmore and Oak Harbor. In 1960 it had 260 acres. – Name changed to Brush Wellman.

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