



**WAYNE COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S OFFICE  
PROCLAMATION**

**HONORING**  
***Small Business Saturday***

*WHEREAS*, Michigan small businesses employ nearly half of the state's entire workforce according to the U.S. Small Business Administration; and

*WHEREAS*, Michigan's small business deliver goods and services across the globe, with more than 13,000 of our state's small businesses exporting products to overseas customers; and

*WHEREAS*, small business provides more than just commercial benefits and enriches our neighborhoods and downtowns with a sense of place and community spirit; and

*WHEREAS*, since its beginning in 2010, Small Business Saturday has grown into a 50-state event promoting and celebrating the value of small, community-based businesses and resulted in nearly \$13 billion in spending in 2017.

***THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY PROCLAIMED***, that I, Warren C. Evans, on behalf of the citizens of Wayne County, that Saturday November 24, 2018 is Small Business Saturday in Wayne County.

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**WARREN C. EVANS**, County Executive