

A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING WALTER & HELEN LEONARD ON BEING
NAMED CHELSEA'S 2000 CITIZENS OF THE YEAR

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

SEPTEMBER 20, 2000

WHEREAS, the Chelsea Community is honoring their Citizens of the Year on Thursday September 21, 2000, and

WHEREAS, Walter & Helen Leonard, former owners of the Chelsea Standard & Dexter Leader for nearly 50 years, have been honored as this year's award recipients, and

WHEREAS, Walter and Helen Leonard through their tireless efforts, produced a "community" newspaper in the truest sense of the word, and

WHEREAS, Walter & Helen Leonard significantly supported the Chelsea Public Schools through their news coverage of school millage issues, sports, and other issues of day-to-day interest, and

WHEREAS, Walter & Helen Leonard have been generous in their financial support of many non-profit organizations in Western Washtenaw County throughout their careers, and

WHEREAS, Walter & Helen Leonard maintained an unmatched commitment to their hometown community, and added significantly to the quality of life of the citizens of Washtenaw County;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners congratulates Walter & Helen Leonard on their accomplishments as Chelsea's Citizens of the Year, and wishes them well in all of their future endeavors.