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**MEDIA ADVISORY** 

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## Wayne County Land Bank to receive check from MSHDA for Porch Repair for Highland Park Seniors

**WHAT:** On Wednesday, August 14, representatives from MSHDA's Neighborhood Enhancement Program will be on hand to present a check for \$25,000 to the Wayne County Land Bank in support of the Highland Park Senior Porch Repair project.

In May, the Wayne County Land Bank, with funding partners Michigan State Housing and Development Agency (MSHDA) and Flagstar Bank, began accepting applications for the Senior Porch Project.

The project offers free front-porch repairs and ramp construction for qualified senior citizens throughout Highland Park. Qualified seniors must be a homeowner in Highland Park on a fixed income, meet certain income requirements, and be current on taxes.

**WHO:** Daniel Rosenbaum, Director of Wayne County Land Bank; Carrie Beth Lasley, Wayne County Land Bank Operations Director; representatives from the MSHDA Neighborhood Enhancement Program.

WHERE: Home of Barbara Perry 120 Rhode Island Street Highland Park, MI 48205

\* Barbara Perry is the first Highland Park resident to qualify for the Senior Porch Project. She will be present at the event.

WHEN: Wednesday, August 15, 2019

**TIME:** 11:00 – 11:30 a.m.