

May 2022 Collections Committee Proposals

The Collections Committee recommends the Besser Museum Board of Trustees accept the items listed below into the museum's Permanent Collection:

1. Oil painting painted by local artist, Nicholas Zrolka, in 1989. The painting features people swimming off the trestle bridge located off Johnson St. in Alpena.



The Collections Committee recommends the Besser Museum Board of Trustees deaccession the following items out of the museum's Permanent Collection:

Name	Accession Number	Reason for Deaccession
Blueprint Crane & Co Dalton Mass 1897	92286.34.36	Outside scope of collections
Front page of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(a)	Duplicate
Page two of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(b)	Duplicate
Page five of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(c)	Duplicate
Page seven of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(d)	Duplicate
Unidentifiable page of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(e)	Duplicate
Page eleven of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(f)	Duplicate
Page twelve of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(g)	Duplicate
Page fourteen of Northeastern Michigan's Newspaper April 15, 1940	72793.8.9(h)	Duplicate
(2) House blueprint (Unnamed) labeled "Front Elevation" (No date)	61771.36.55a	Outside scope of collections
U.S. Lake Survey "Lake Erie including the water ways to Lakes Ontario and Huron" 1950	94/113	Outside scope of collections
Survey of the Northern and Northwestern Lakes-Lake Michigan 1935	74/117	Poor Condition
Path Finding for the Glidden Tour (No date)	81/71	Poor Condition
Map of Au Sable & Oscoda, MI 1880/ Reprint 1980	80/80	Duplicate
Outline map of Alpena Co., Michigan (No date)	76/170a	Duplicate
Duplicate Outline map of Alpena Co., Michigan (No date)	76/170d	Duplicate
Metal Film Reel Container National Screen Service Corp 11-22-MS	89/146.1	Poor Condition
Metal Film Reel Container National Screen Service Corp 09-19-unidentifiable year	89/146.2	Poor Condition