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Carney Drugs - North Main Street - c. 1960/1920: Commercial facade c. 1960 makes building appear as contemporary infill. Rear elevation evidences c. 1920's date of original structure. (42/331).

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121-13

Commercial Structure - 34 North Main Street - c. 1920 - Early 20th Century Commercial: Brick, 2-story, 3-bay wide vernacular commercial building characterized by rectangular windows with transoms across second story. (42/332).

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121-14

Commercial Structure - 44 North Main Street - c. 1840 - Greek Revival: Main building is set back from street, behind 1-story 1950's commercial storefront. Original building is vernacular, 2½-story post and beam framed house set gable end to the street. Some 6/6 sash survives on rear elevation suggesting construction period. Walls now sheathed with wood shingles. (42/333).

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Commercial Structure - 46 North Main Street - c. 1920 - 20th Century Vernacular: Narrow street facade dating c. 1960 is part of larger utilitarian 1-story brick building which extends to the rear. (42/341).

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121-15

Commercial Structure - 48-56 North Main Street - c. 1920 - 20th Century Commercial: 1-story brick commercial block adorned only by corbelling and simple cornice at roofline. Facade is glazed brick. Facade features five storefronts, one of which, Harvey's Bakery, is a notable example of 1940's Moderne design characterized by curved display windows and carrara glass. (42/7).

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121-16

The Rochester Post Office - 70 North Main Street - 1913 - NeoClassical: 5 x 5 bay NeoClassical building, 1-story. Characterized by round-headed window and door openings on facade framed by Gibbs surround motif. Similar treatment is given to rectangular windows of side elevation. Walls are of textured buff brick, with decorative patterns of contrasting darker brick near each corner. New doors have been inserted in lower part of entry, but multi-paned window with wooden mullions remains in upper section of entry arch as well as in the two flanking bays. The roofline is marked by a heavy block cornice and brick parapet. The building rests on a coursed sandstone foundation. There are a cornerstone and a United States Geological Survey benchmark on the southeast corner. The post office was completed in 1913 and is still a functioning in-town post office. It contributes to both the aesthetics and functioning of the central business district. (42/9).