



### Folk Art Environments in Ohio

#### Wauseon, Fulton County--Elias (Eddie) Kuebeck's Sculpture Garden

A sculpture garden featuring a fountain with Kuebeck's brother and boss shooting water out of their mouths.

Grand Rapids, Lucas County--A combination Mexican restaurant and public museum.

#### Chegrin Falls, Cuyahoga County--Henry Church's Squaw Rock Picnic Garden

Carved natural rock outcroppings dating from before 1908.

#### Conneaut, Ashtabula County--Edgar Speer's Oilcan Playhouse

In the 1930s Speer built a playhouse for his daughter out of 1500 empty oilcans.

#### Stark County--Lewis Smith's Murals

Painted murals on Smith's house and outbuildings.

#### Dover, Tuscarawas County--Henry Warther's Tree of Pliers

Warther built a steam locomotive and a tree made out of pliers.

#### Alcony, Miami County--Old Box House

House made of old boxes.

#### Springfield, Clark County--Ben Hartman's Rock Garden and Village

Hartman built models of buildings--Abe Lincoln's log cabin, Mount Vernon, Independence Hall, the Liberty Bell--and people--George Washington, Noah, Santa Claus, Snow White, Joe Lewis--in a half-acre garden in front of his house.

#### Muskingum County--Baughman Memorial Park (National Register of Historic Places site)

Collection of larger than life carved statuary, including likenesses of presidents and war heroes.

#### Loveland, Hamilton County--Harry Andrews' Chateau Laroche

Andrews built the medieval Norman-styled castle between 1929 and 1981. The castle features crenelated walls, lookout towers, fighting decks, a dungeon, a dry moat, and formal gardens. This site was nominated for National Register of Historic Places status.