

Parma road dedicated in memory of Vietnam veterans



Monroe County Executive Maggie Brooks addressed the group assembled in the foyer of the Parma Town Hall March 22 and spoke of the sacrifices of David Lemcke, Gerald Wilson and John Waugh which are commemorated in new road signs. "It's been said that memory is the highest form of gratitude," she said. Monroe County Legislator Richard Yolevich spearheaded and participated in the ceremony dedicating a stretch of Wilder Road in Parma in memory of the three residents who died while serving the country in Vietnam: David Lemcke, Gerald Wilson and John Waugh. He said: "As a Vietnam veteran, I am proud to recognize these young men for their service to our nation and I thank Chapter 20 President Ken Moore and County Executive Maggie Brooks for their efforts on support of this tribute." He also said that it is very important that they (the three servicemen) not be forgotten. **Maggie Brooks, Ken Moore, Dick Yolevich and Terrance Rice**, Director of Transportation for Monroe County, surround one of the two signs to be installed on Wilder Road in Parma. They will be placed near the east and west end of the road leading in to the Village of Hilton.



Photographs above by Walter Horylev.



David Lemcke, cousin of Parma Supervisor Rich Lemcke, is the first person sitting on the ground, on the left.