

**TOWNSHIP OF HOPEWELL
MERCER COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

Proclamation

**CONGRATULATING THE WINNERS OF THE 2023 HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP
PHOTO CONTEST**

WHEREAS, the 2023 Photo Contest, hosted by Hopewell Township, invited photographers of all ages and abilities to enter photos from within the Township that showcased the beauty of our community; and

WHEREAS, an assortment of more than 140 photos were entered into the contest by many talented photographers; and

WHEREAS, the community at large voted for their favorite images; and

WHEREAS, Ranajit Bhol, Mike Breese, Mike Chipowsky, Carrie A. Coward, Sherry Cronin, Sari DeCesare, Victoria Harvey, Jennifer Hirsh, Jeanne Imbrigiotta, Nirmal Siyaal Jain, Amanda Janack, Craig A. Reed, Monica Leigh Seabridge, Judi Steward, Lauren Turner, and Marisa Young (the Winners) submitted beautiful images of bucolic Hopewell Township taken in 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Winners' images were chosen as the top vote-getters; and

WHEREAS, the Winners have shared their creativity with the community; and

WHEREAS, the Winners' pictures are featured prominently in the Hopewell Township Municipal Calendar, Scenes of Hopewell Township 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Winners' pictures are now on display in the Hopewell Township Municipal Building Auditorium; and


WHEREAS, the Winners' pictures are now available for all members of the public to view and enjoy; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to publicly thank all who entered their beautiful work into this contest, and congratulate the winners of the 2023 Photo Contest.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED on this 20th day of February, 2024, the Hopewell Township Committee thanks Ranajit Bhol, Mike Breese, Mike Chipowsky, Carrie A. Coward, Sherry Cronin, Sari DeCesare, Victoria Harvey, Jennifer Hirsh, Jeanne Imbrigiotta, Nirmal Siyaal Jain, Amanda Janack, Craig A. Reed, Monica Leigh Seabridge, Judi Steward, Lauren Turner, and Marisa Young for sharing their photographic talent by entering the Hopewell Township 2023 Photo Contest; and

BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED that the Township Committee congratulates Ranajit Bhol, Mike Breese, Mike Chipowsky, Carrie Coward, Sherry Cronin, Sari DeCesare, Victoria Harvey, Jennifer Hirsh, Jeanne Imbrigiotta, Nirmal Siyaal Jain, Amanda Janack, Craig A. Reed, Monica Leigh Seabridge, Judi Steward, Lauren Turner, and Marisa Young and thanks them for their pictures which now grace the Hopewell Township Municipal Building auditorium and our homes by their inclusion in the 2024 Hopewell Township Calendar, Scenes of Hopewell Township 2024.

In Witness Whereof, I Hereunto Set My
Hand and Cause to be Affixed the
Seal of the Township of Hopewell
This 20th day of February 2024



Courtney Peters-Manning, Mayor