

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

RESOLUTION #25-270

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPLICATION OF
RUTGERS MASTER GARDENERS OF MERCER COUNTY
TO CONDUCT AN INSECT FESTIVAL**

WHEREAS, application has been made by Rutgers Master Gardeners of Mercer County to conduct an Insect Festival in the Township of Hopewell at Mercer County Educational Gardens & Equestrian Center on September 6, 2025, between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Hopewell Township Health Officer, the Hopewell Township Police Department and the Hopewell Township Bureau of Fire Safety have reviewed the application and granted their approval to conduct the festival and recommend the granting of a permit pursuant to the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of Hopewell, Chapter IV, Section 4-3 Festivals and Large Assemblies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. This Resolution shall constitute a permit to conduct an Insect Festival in accordance with the application submitted by Rutgers Master Gardeners of Mercer County, which festival is to be held on September 6, 2025 at Mercer County Educational Gardens & Equestrian Center in Hopewell Township.
2. Rutgers Master Gardeners of Mercer County shall be exempted from the several provisions of 4-3, et seq. (4-3.8 Exemptions. a. Charitable or non-profit organizations) except those provided by 4-3.4, Insurance Requirement.
3. All Mobile Food Truck Facilities shall be licensed by the Municipal Clerk and receive their permits from the Health Department and Fire Bureau no later than two (2) weeks prior to the event.
4. The Municipal Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this resolution to Rutgers Master Gardeners of Mercer County, 1440 Parkside Avenue, Trenton, NJ 08638.

Date Adopted: July 14, 2025

CERTIFICATION

I, Katherine Fenton-Newman, Municipal Clerk, of the Township of Hopewell, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Township Committee at the regular meeting held on the 14th day of July 2025, in the Municipal Building Auditorium, Hopewell Township, New Jersey and via Zoom Video Communications.



Katherine Fenton-Newman, RMC
Municipal Clerk