THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Eric Johnson House Incorporated has a mission to respond compassionately and responsibly to the HIV/AIDS crisis by providing supportive services, housing opportunities, preventive strategies and community education in New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Eric Johnson House Incorporated focuses on intervention, prevention, and improving client health; and

WHEREAS, the Eric Johnson House Incorporated provides counseling, life skills training, medical treatment, and has a success rate of 83%; and

WHEREAS, the Eric Johnson House will hold their Nineteenth Annual New Jersey AIDS Walkathon, Sunday, May 2, 2010.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, of the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 2, 2010 as

AIDS AWARENESS DAY

in the Town of Morristown and encourage all citizens to further educate themselves on HIV/AIDS.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Geographics

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, HIV and AIDS is a horrendous disease which does not discriminate and has taken millions of lives worldwide; and,

WHEREAS, Bethel A.M.E. Church in Morristown, New Jersey, along with over 10,000 churches throughout the United States will be observing The Black Church Week of Prayer for the Healing of AIDS during the week of March 7, 2010 through March 13, 2010; and,

WHEREAS, The Bethel ANGELS (AIDS NETWORK GIVING EDUCATION LOVE & SUPPORT) and other local churches will be sponsoring several events during the week of March 7th through March 13, 2010 to help bring awareness to the African American Community on HIV and AIDS prevention, treatment, education and care; and,

WHEREAS, our thrust is to involve and unite the community in joining the journey to reach beyond our church to demonstrate our theme: "United We Stand Against HIV/AIDS"; and,

WHEREAS, a Prayer Vigil will be held on Wednesday March 10th at 6:00 p.m. followed by a P.U.S.H. (Pray Until Something Happens) worship service; and,

WHEREAS, this will be the 21st Annual observation of The Black Church Week of Prayer for the Healing of AIDS.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim the week of March 7, 2010 through March 13, 2010 as the

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR THE HEALING OF AIDS

in the Town of Morristown.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Frank J. Druetzler, Mayor

H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, 2010 marks the 125th Anniversary of the Alumni Association of Morristown High School; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association first met in 1885 in the chapel of the original school building and established its mission of advancing the interests of Morristown High School (MHS) and promoting social gatherings to bring alumni together; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association has since been committed to promoting the interests of MHS and today the Association's membership spans the globe, forming a network of Alumni that directly supports MHS and the local community with their donations and with countless hours of active volunteer service; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association has made many improvements to Morristown High School through Alumni donations. Some of the more recent accomplishments include: erecting and maintaining the Alumni Walk and a new granite sign for MHS on Early Street; installing a granite inset with the MHS seal and flagpoles by the front Early Street 'Heritage Doors'; installing a flagpole at the Flynn Rock, dedicated to former MHS football coach, Bill Flynn; and replacing all flags at MHS as needed. The Alumni Association has also recently refurbished antique light fixtures at the front and side doors of the school, purchased floor mats with the MHS seal for outside the school doors, and purchased park benches for the school grounds; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association publishes the semi-annual MHS Alumni News, sponsors the student-run MHS Heritage Club, the annual Wall of Honor and Teachers Corner inductions, the Athletic Gallery of Honor inductions, and annual Alumni events such as Homecoming and the MHS Alumni Night Out; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association sponsorship through Alumni donations, numerous annual scholarships for graduating MHS students, including the annual John Montieth Award and Joyce Heinold Award, the Leslie Krause Scholarships, and the Wong Family Scholarship; and,

WHEREAS, the current Executive Committee of the Alumni Association includes Edward Myers, President (Class of 1985); James Monahan, Vice President (Class of 1964); Howard Haimann, Treasurer (Class of 1953) and Jill Edwards, Secretary (Class of 1972); and

WHEREAS, many local officials and public employees are MHS Alumni. Recent past presidents of the Alumni Association include David Perry (Class of 1953), David Armstrong (Class of 1991), Joseph H. Dempsey (Class of 1950), and John "Jay" De Laney (Class of 1972).

NOW, THEREFORE, we, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor of the Township of Morris and Frank J. Druetzler, Mayor of the Borough of Morris Plains, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Tuesday, July 20, 2010 as, **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF MORRISTOWN HIGH SCHOOL DAY** in the Town of Morristown, the Township of Morris, and the Borough of Morris Plains.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

Frank J. Druetzler, Mayor
Borough of Morris Plains

H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor
Township of Morris

Certificate of Recognition

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy P. Dougherty wish to recognize Elizabeth Bain for her service on the Morristown Housing Authority and to the Morristown Community.

Elizabeth was first appointed to the Morristown Housing Authority by former Mayor Norman Block in 1990. Since her appointment, she served in an outstanding manner as Commissioner, and as Chair to the Board for several years.

Elizabeth has been instrumental in ensuring that the Morristown Housing Authority always provided the highest quality of life to all of its residents.

Timothy P. Dougherty
September 2010

Certificate of Acknowledgement

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy P. Dougherty wish to acknowledge the Reverend Doctor Jerry M. Carter, Jr. for 20 years of service to the Calvary Baptist Church, located at 10 Martin Luther King Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey, and for his service to the Morristown Community.

It is an honor to join the November 5, 2010 celebration entitled "A Celebration of Pastor and People" in which Reverend Doctor Jerry M. Carter, Jr. will be acknowledged.

Timothy P. Dougherty
November 2010

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Chi Eta Phi Sorority, Inc. is an international, non-profit Organization that was charted in Washington, D.C. in 1932 for the purpose of elevating the plane of nursing and to help increase the field of nursing. Today the organization has over 9000 members located throughout the United States, the Virgin Islands and West Africa; and

WHEREAS, Chi Eta Phi Sorority, Inc.'s motto and mission of "Service to Humanity" is accomplished through programs which focus on health promotion and disease prevention, leadership development, mentoring, recruitment and retention and scholarships; and

WHEREAS, Chi Eta Phi Sorority, Inc. will hold the 58th Conference and Education Workshops in Morristown, New Jersey from April 14th-April 18th 2010; and

WHEREAS, on Friday, April 16, 2010, the Chi Eta Phi Sorority, Inc. will hold an Awards Luncheon at the Hyatt Morristown to acknowledge members for community service activities and donation of charitable contributions to external organizations; and

WHEREAS, this years theme is "The Challenges of Healthcare during an Economic Recession".

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, do hereby proclaim the week of April 14th-April 18th, 2010 as

CHI ETA PHI SORORITY, INC. WEEK

in the Town of Morristown.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the 15th Annual Community Health Day will be held at Headquarters' Plaza and the County College of Morris in Morristown, New Jersey on September 11, 2010 from 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Morristown has a vital interest in the health of its residents and promoting healthy, productive living; and,

WHEREAS, health education, disease prevention, and health promotion are essential components of health and wellness; and,

WHEREAS, Community Health Day has continued to promote the health of the residents of Morristown by providing sound health promotion/disease prevention interventions in a fun-filled, family focused event.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown hereby proclaim Saturday, September 11, 2010 as,

COMMUNITY HEALTH DAY

in the Town of Morristown in recognition of the importance in promoting a better health status for all Morristown residents through sound health education principles and proven health promotion interventions.

Timothy P. Dougherty

Geographics

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Congenital Heart Defects are the most frequently occurring birth defect and the leading cause of birth defect related deaths worldwide; and,

WHEREAS, over a million families across America are facing the challenges and hardships of raising children with Congenital Heart Defects; and,

WHEREAS, every year 40,000 babies are born in the United States with Congenital Heart Defects; and,

WHEREAS, some Congenital Heart Defects are not diagnosed until months, or years after birth; and,

WHEREAS, undiagnosed Congenital Heart conditions cause many cases of sudden cardiac death in young athletes and despite these statistics, newborns and young athletes are not routinely screened for Congenital Heart Defects; and,

WHEREAS, a disproportionately small amount of funding is available for Congenital Heart Defect research and support; and,

WHEREAS, Congenital Heart Defect Awareness Week provides an opportunity for families whose lives have been affected to celebrate life and to remember loved ones lost, to honor dedicated health professionals, and to meet others and know they are not alone; and,

WHEREAS, the establishment of Congenital Heart Defect Awareness Week will also provide the opportunity to share experience and information with the public and the media, in order to raise public awareness about Congenital Heart Defects.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, do hereby proclaim the week of February 7-14, 2010 as

CONGENITAL HEART DEFECT AWARENESS WEEK

in the Town of Morristown. I encourage all citizens to increase awareness, education, and services for Congenital Heart Defects which each year affect thousands of babies in the State of New Jersey.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the United States of America was signed by the Constitutional Convention on September 17, 1787 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and,

WHEREAS, September 17, 2010, marks the Two Hundred and Twenty-Third Anniversary of its signing; and,

WHEREAS, this magnificent document is the framework for the organization of the United States government and therefore it is fitting and proper to accord official recognition to this document and to the patriotic celebrations which will commemorate the occasion; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Morristown has a rich and historical significance in the history of the United States of America.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown do hereby proclaim the week of September 17, 2010 through September 23, 2010 as,

Constitution Week

in the Town of Morristown, and ask our citizens to hold firm to the ideals of the Constitution, the central place it holds within our Government, and the protection is carries as the guardian of our liberties.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, dating violence is a reality for many young people, and an issue that many are unaware of; and

WHEREAS, one in three young people are affected by physical, sexual, or verbal dating violence and one in five are in a serious relationship reporting having been slapped, pushed, hit, threatened or coerced by a partner. Breakups can be a time of even greater risk, even when a relationship was never physically abusive; and

WHEREAS, when young people understand that healthy relationships are based on respect and learn to identify early warning signs of an abusive relationship, they will choose better relationships; and

WHEREAS, elimination of dating violence must be achieved through cooperation of individuals, organizations, and communities; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim February 2010 as

DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH

in the Town of Morristown. I encourage residents, community leaders, educators and parents to learn more about preventing dating violence and to show support for the numerous organizations and individuals who provide critical advocacy, services and assistance to victims

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, domestic violence is a serious crime that affects people of all races, ages, gender and income levels; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence is widespread and affects over 4 million Americans each year; and

WHEREAS, one in three Americans have witnessed an incident of domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, children that grow up in violent homes are believed to be abused and neglected at a rate higher than the national average; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence costs the nation billions of dollars annually in medical expenses, police and court costs, shelters, foster care, sick leave, absenteeism, and non-productivity; and

WHEREAS, a coordinated community effort will help put a stop to this heinous crime; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim the month of October 2010 as

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

in the Town of Morristown. Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an excellent opportunity for citizens to learn more about preventing domestic violence and to show support for the numerous organizations and individuals who provide critical advocacy, services and assistance to victims.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

Geographics

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Emilio Joseph Gervasio was born in Morristown, New Jersey on August 3, 1910; and,

WHEREAS, before his graduation from Morristown High School in 1931 Emilio was Captain of the 1926 Freshman Football Team, and Captain of the 1929 Varsity Football Team, as well as a member of the Track Team, and Glee Club; and,

WHEREAS, Emilio then graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1935. He also attended classes at Fairleigh Dickinson University, Seton Hall University and College of St. Elizabeth; and,

WHEREAS, from 1939 to 1965, Emilio was a Detective Lieutenant with the Morristown Police Department, and an Investigator with the Morris County Prosecutor's Office from 1965 to 1972; and,

WHEREAS, Emilio served as the Mayor of the Town of Morristown from 1973 to 1974, and again from 1982 to 1985. He also served as Vice-Chairman on the Morristown Charter Study Commission from 1971 to 1972, and on the Morristown Planning Board from 1982 to 1985; and,

WHEREAS, Emilio has always been generous and charitable in volunteering his time. He served as Chairman on the Coordinating Committee of the Holy Name Societies of New Jersey, as President of the Holy Name Societies of the Paterson Diocese, and as a Charter Member of the Bishops Council of the Laity Paterson Diocese. Additionally, he participated in the Knights of Columbus, Fourth Degree, and as a Board Member of the Morristown Neighborhood House, Chairman of the Morristown Cancer Drive, and as Charter Member President of the First Morristown Columbian Club; and,

WHEREAS, on Sunday, August 8, 2010 a celebration will be held in honor of Emilio Joseph Gervasio's 100th Birthday.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Sunday, August 8, 2010 as,

Emilio Joseph Gervasio Day

in the Town of Morristown, and wish Emilio a very happy 100th Birthday.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the 7th Annual Hope Chest Scholarship Foundation Black Tie Gala will be held at the Hyatt Morristown, in Morristown, New Jersey, on October 23, 2010 from 7:00 p.m. to midnight; and,

WHEREAS, this year's event builds on the Foundation's motto, "Access to Education: Hope for a Brighter Future"; and,

WHEREAS, from the beginning, The Hope Chest Scholarship Foundation has been assisting New Jersey students with funds to attend college; and,

WHEREAS, over the years the Foundation has distributed hundreds of thousands of dollars to students in need; and,

WHEREAS, Razac Products Company will be receiving the Corporate Partner of the Year Award for their contributions to the Foundation; and,

WHEREAS, Linzell Harris, GSC, Vice President of Global Strategic Operations for Johnson & Johnson Consumer Group of Companies, will receive the Citizen of the Year Award for his service to the community;

NOW, THEREFORE I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 23, 2010 as,

THE HOPE CHEST SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION DAY

in the Town of Morristown, in recognition of the importance of providing educational opportunities for all New Jersey students.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Geographics

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Thomas Jackson "Tommy James" was born on April 29, 1947 in Dayton, Ohio. His family settled in Niles, Michigan, where he made his first stage appearance as a child model at age four; and,

WHEREAS, in 1959, at the age of 12, he formed his first rock band, "The Tornadoes", and began playing local gigs around the area, developing a sizeable following along the way; and,

WHEREAS, in 1966 the group had changed their name to "The Shondells" and recorded an obscure song written by Jeff Barry and Ellie Greenwich called "HANKY PANKY". By May of 1966, HANKY PANKY was the number one record in Pittsburgh and Tommy James was a sensation; and,

WHEREAS, Tommy James has sold over 100 million records worldwide and has been awarded 23 gold singles, and nine gold and platinum albums. Tommy's hits include *Hanky Panky, I Think We're Alone Now, Mony Mony, Crystal Blue Persuasion, Crimson & Clover, Draggin' The Line, Sweet Cherry Wine, Mirage, Three Times In Love*; and,

WHEREAS, over the years, Tommy's music has been in countless movies, television shows, and advertisements. Notable appearances on the big screen include spots in *Forest Grump*, Oliver Stone's *Heaven And Earth, Cape Fear, Don't Tell Mom The Babysitter's Dead, We Are Marshall, Zodiac*, and the 1999 summer blockbuster Austin Powers: *The Spy Who Shagged Me*; and,

WHEREAS, Tommy's best-selling autobiography entitled ME, THE MOB AND THE MUSIC is headed for Broadway in 2011, and a major motion picture is now in development; and,

WHEREAS, Morristown has a special place in Tommy James' heart, in that Tommy's first drummer and very dear friend, Peter Lucia is from the Town of Morristown; and;

WHEREAS, Tommy James & The Shondells will be performing at the Morristown Community Theatre on Saturday, September 18, 2010.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Saturday, September 18, 2010 as,

Tommy James Day

in the Town of Morristown.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

Certificate of Acknowledgement

On May 3, 2010 the Morristown and Morristown Joint Free Public Library sustained severe damage caused by an underground explosion. Due to the quick thinking of experienced Library staff, the facility was evacuated before the explosion occurred, and serious injury was avoided.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown and H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor of the Township of Morris wish to recognize the following staff members for assisting in the evacuation on May 3, 2010:

Ruth Bensley
Stephen Brunskill
Jim Collins
Jim Davidson
Mike Dodd
Carolyn Dorsey
Barbara Gordon
Sandy Hall
Gail Hughes
Chrys Jochem
Karen Johnson
Matt Kissel
Polly Lacey
Gail Markitto
Mary McMahon
Doris Meyer
Maria Norton
Beth Pettigrew
Alberto Posse
Rob Schorr
Annette Tyler

Timothy P. Dougherty
July 20, 2010
THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

H. Scott Rosenbush
July 20, 2010
THE TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS
IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS
NEW JERSEY

THE TOWN OF

MORRISTOWN

Certificate of Acknowledgment

Peter Paul Lucia, Jr. was born and raised in Morristown, New Jersey. He was a gifted musician and Drummer.

Peter was the Drummer for Tommy James and the Shondells and Hog Heaven. He and Tommy James were long-time dear friends, and co-wrote "Crimson and Clover". In 1987 Peter passed away of a heart attack and has been deeply missed by his family, friends and fans.

As Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I Timothy P. Dougherty would like to acknowledge Peter Lucia for his contributions to the music world, to the Town of Morristown Community and to those who were close to him.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
2010

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, 2010 marks the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Macculloch Hall, now the Macculloch Hall Historical Museum-the cornerstone of Morristown's National Historic District; and

WHEREAS, George Macculloch, a Scotsman born in Bombay who immigrated to America from London with his wife and two children in 1806 settled in Morristown in 1810. He began building the Federal-style brick mansion on his new 26-acre gentleman's farm. A businessman, scholar, and visionary, Macculloch is best known as the "Father" of the Morris Canal, an international engineering marvel; and

WHEREAS, after five generations of Macculloch's descendants, Mr. W. Parsons Todd, philanthropist and former Morristown Mayor acquired Macculloch Hall in 1949 to house his notable collection of 18th and early 19th century American and English fine and decorative arts. He began sharing it with the Morris area community and in so doing, created both a testament to the distinguished public service of the Macculloch-Miller family and a monument to Morristown's heritage; and

WHEREAS, with the support of the Garden Club of Morristown, W. Parsons Todd also restored the gardens of Macculloch Hall to their 19th century splendor, incorporating original plantings and landscape features. The garden displays seasonal blooms, including forty varieties of heirloom roses that have become a favorite of local artists. Today, Macculloch Hall boasts the oldest garden in Morris County; and

WHEREAS, the Museum is renowned for its major collection of works by America's leading 19th century political cartoonist, Thomas Nast. Mr. Nast lived across the street from Macculloch Hall and is well known for popularizing the Republican Elephant, Democratic Donkey, and America's image of Santa Claus; and

WHEREAS, a Brunch and Concert will be held on Sunday, October 24, 2010 in celebration of the Macculloch Hall Historical Museum Bicentennial.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim October 24, 2010 as,

Macculloch Hall Day

in the Town of Morristown, and urge residents to visit and participate in the many special programs and events offered by the Macculloch Hall Historical Museum throughout 2010.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Certificate of Recognition

Justin Lejava will be presented with the Volunteer of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Without hesitation, Mr. Lejava has put aside his personal or professional obligations to help the MCHACC. To celebrate his birthday, Justin volunteered to build and install the runway for the MCHACC fashion show, which he accomplished in just one day! He is a fine and true example of what a volunteer is.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Justin Lejava on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Ambassador Francis Lorenzo will be presented with the Government Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Ambassador Lorenzo is the Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations (UN) and focal point at the Dominican Mission to the UN. He is a unique Ambassador who has made many significant contributions while advocating for the Hispanic Chamber and Hispanic-owned businesses internationally. He has traveled to Colombia, Puerto Rico, Canada, and the Dominican Republic representing the MCHACC with great pride and dedication.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Ambassador Francis Lorenzo on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Saara Marte with Prudential will be presented with the Corporate Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. For many years Prudential has been an integral part of the MCHACC. Miss Marte is the NY/NJ Metropolitan Area local relationship Manager for Prudential and has helped deliver 200 seminars around the United States. She is a MCHACC member who has made significant contributions while advocating for the Hispanic Chamber and Hispanic-owned businesses in New Jersey and New York.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Saara Marte on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

The New Concept Beauty School No. 2 will be presented with the Small Corporation of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. This small corporate organization has made significant contributions to the Hispanic community and has helped small businesses with contracting opportunities. Every semester many students have opened their own Beauty Salons offering, hair, nails and cosmetology services, thanks to the education, direction and support of New Concept Beauty School.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize the New Concept Beauty School No. 2 on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Jose Nido, Director of Supplier Diversity for Wyndham Worldwide will be presented with the Presidents' Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010 for his shining example as corporate advocate who, with the outstanding support of his company, Wyndham Worldwide, has leveraged that support to the benefit of the minority business community in the United States. His efforts have enhanced the relationship between the MCHACC's executive management team and Wyndham Worldwide. As Chairman of the Corporate Advisory Council, Jose Nido has been instrumental in identifying potential business opportunities for MCHACC members.

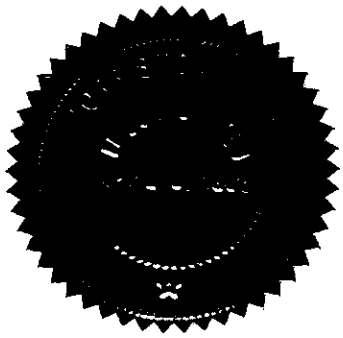
As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Jose Nido on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

The National Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on Health (NHCCH) will be presented with the Community Leadership Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. The National Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on Health is dedicated to advocating, promoting and expanding programs and policies, which will support the business development goals of Latino businesses in the hospital, pharmaceutical, managed care, insurance, and medical industries. The leadership and contributions to the Latino community through the NHCCH commitment have been outstanding. NHCCH is a note worthy example of valuable health programs developed to assist and meet community needs at a National level.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize The National Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on Health on receiving this prestigious award.



Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

The Queens Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (QHCC) will be presented with the Community Economic Development Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. QHCC has participated in several monumental programs at the local, national and international level, which have resulted in improving the face and economic status of the small business participant. This year's educational programs, support and advocacy have surpassed all expectations.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize the Queens Hispanic Chamber of Commerce on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Argentina Ramirez, LUTCF of Angie's Enterprises, Inc. will be presented with the Business Woman of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Mrs. Ramirez's business accomplishments have proved that woman are a leading source of economic development in this country. She helps families and individuals prepare effective strategies to achieve their financial goals.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Argentina Ramirez on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Javier Sepulveda, Director of Membership will be presented with the Board Member of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010.Mr. Sepulveda is a dynamic, professional and visionary Board Member. He has earned his peers' respect and the respect of the entire community. His personal accomplishments, leadership and quality of service provided to the MCHACC and Hispanic community have been tremendous.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Javier Sepulveda on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Aaron Velasquez, Morristown High School will be presented with the Most Improved Student of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. With a Grade Point Average of 3.78, Aaron has proved to be a talented young man who has blossomed and excelled in the High School over the past several years. He participates in many extra-curricular activities, such as playing the saxophone in the symphonic band and participates as a member of the High School radio station, WJSV. He has been a member of the wrestling team, as well as the cross-county team. Aaron has recently been chosen to become a member of the National Honor Society. Additionally, he has dedicated time to volunteering as a teacher's aid at a religious school, and as a coach and referee for a local recreational wrestling team.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Aaron Velasquez on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Wyndham Worldwide will be presented with the Large Corporation of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. As one of the world's largest hospitality companies, this large Fortune 1000 corporation has made significant contributions to the Hispanic community and has helped small businesses with contracting opportunities. Wyndham Worldwide opens its doors to diverse suppliers and continues to build partnerships one supplier at a time.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Wyndham Worldwide on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Robert E. Bard, President and CEO of Latina Style Magazine will be presented with the Media Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Latina Style has become the MCHACC's number one information source of women's activities, involvement and progress. 2010 **marks their 16th year of publication and during this time, LATINA *Style* Magazine has become the most influential publication reaching the contemporary Hispanic woman. With a national circulation of 150,000 and a readership of nearly 600,000, LATINA *Style* is unique in its ability to reach both the seasoned professional and the young Latina entering the workforce for the first time.**

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Robert E. Bard on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Senator Anthony Bucco will be presented with the Government Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Senator Bucco represents the 25th Legislative District and is a part of the MCHACC family. As a Government representative he has made significant contributions while advocating for the Hispanic Chamber and Hispanic-owned businesses in Morris County.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Jose Nido on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Rafael Cuellar of ShopRite Supermarkets will be presented with the Business Man of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Mr. Cuellar's accomplishments, including his business' mission are extensive. He recently sold President's supermarket, a Passaic, New Jersey based grocery store that had been in his family for over 20 years. In August, Mr. Cuellar acquired a Shop-Rite Supermarket becoming the first owner of Hispanic descent to join the Shop-Rite cooperative. He is an outstanding example of a motivated entrepreneur and an avid supporter of the MCHACC.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Rafael Cuellar on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Father Hernan Arias of Saint Margaret Church will be presented with the Community Leadership Advocate of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Father Arias' leadership and contributions to the Latino community throughout his career have been significant. As a Priest, he is a commendable example of a devoted professional and friend who has helped developed community unity and address issues of great importance to the Latino Community.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Father Hernan Arias on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Erica Garcia a student of Morristown High School will be presented with the Student of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Erica is a well-rounded and exception Senior student and currently holds a Grade Point Average of 3.63. She is a member of the Key Club, the Spanish National Honor Society, and the National Music Honor Society. This year she served as a Peer Group Connection Leader, where she helped incoming students become familiar with the High School and mentored them throughout the year. She is also a serious ice skater and competes on a nationally ranked team. Erica is outgoing, understanding, creative and admired by her peers.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Erica Garcia on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

Certificate of Recognition

Lasso Cosmetics will be presented with the New Business of the Year Award at the 2010 Annual Morris County Hispanic American-Chamber of Commerce (MCHACC) Awards Luncheon on Thursday, June 10, 2010. Lasso Cosmetics is a business success story. Owner, Cesar Lasso is a well-respected, self-made entrepreneur who is admired by the business community for his technological savvy. Through the use of sophisticated Internet marketing, Lasso Cosmetics is positioned as a fast growing business.

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy Dougherty wish to recognize Cesar Lasso and Lasso Cosmetics on receiving this prestigious award.

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 10, 2010

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Frank J. Druetzler, Mayor

H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, 2010 marks the 125th Anniversary of the Alumni Association of Morristown High School; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association first met in 1885 in the chapel of the original school building and established its mission of advancing the interests of Morristown High School (MHS) and promoting social gatherings to bring alumni together; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association has since been committed to promoting the interests of MHS and today the Association's membership spans the globe, forming a network of Alumni that directly supports MHS and the local community with their donations and with countless hours of active volunteer service; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association has made many improvements to Morristown High School through Alumni donations. Some of the more recent accomplishments include: erecting and maintaining the Alumni Walk and a new granite sign for MHS on Early Street; installing a granite inset with the MHS seal and flagpoles by the front Early Street 'Heritage Doors'; installing a flagpole at the Flynn Rock, dedicated to former MHS football coach, Bill Flynn; and replacing all flags at MHS as needed. The Alumni Association has also recently refurbished antique light fixtures at the front and side doors of the school, purchased floor mats with the MHS seal for outside the school doors, and purchased park benches for the school grounds; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association publishes the semi-annual MHS Alumni News, sponsors the student-run MHS Heritage Club, the annual Wall of Honor and Teachers Corner inductions, the Athletic Gallery of Honor inductions, and annual Alumni events such as Homecoming and the MHS Alumni Night Out; and,

WHEREAS, the Alumni Association sponsorship through Alumni donations, numerous annual scholarships for graduating MHS students, including the annual John Montieth Award and Joyce Heinold Award, the Leslie Krause Scholarships, and the Wong Family Scholarship; and,

WHEREAS, the current Executive Committee of the Alumni Association includes Edward Myers, President (Class of 1985); James Monahan, Vice President (Class of 1964); Howard Haimann, Treasurer (Class of 1953) and Jill Edwards, Secretary (Class of 1972); and

WHEREAS, many local officials and public employees are MHS Alumni. Recent past presidents of the Alumni Association include David Perry (Class of 1953), David Armstrong (Class of 1991), Joseph H. Dempsey (Class of 1950), and John "Jay" De Laney (Class of 1972).

NOW, THEREFORE, we, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor of the Township of Morris and Frank J. Druetzler, Mayor of the Borough of Morris Plains, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Tuesday, July 20, 2010 as, **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF MORRISTOWN HIGH SCHOOL DAY** in the Town of Morristown, the Township of Morris, and the Borough of Morris Plains.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

Frank J. Druetzler, Mayor
Borough of Morris Plains

H. Scott Rosenbush, Mayor
Township of Morris

THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Morristown High School Football Team captured its 6th State Football Championship Title on Saturday, December 4 at the Meadowlands Stadium; and,

WHEREAS, the 80 student-athletes on the team set their sights on the 2010 State Championship Title and worked tirelessly to achieve it; and,

WHEREAS, the team was guided throughout its season by dedicated coaches and trainers and supported in its efforts by parents and loyal fans; and,

WHEREAS, The Morristown High School Marching Colonials and Cheerleaders supported and celebrated the efforts of the team at home and away; and,

WHEREAS, Morristown High School's proud and storied football program has contributed continuously to the spirit and pride of our community since 1922.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Saturday, December 4, 2010 as the

2010 Morristown High School Football Team Day

in the Town of Morristown, in honor of Morristown High School Football Team's 2010 State Championship win.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Geographics

THE TOWN OF

MORRISTOWN

Certificate of Acknowledgment

On Monday, October 4, 2010 at 9:00am, the Town of Morristown welcomes the Mayor of Montenegro, Quindio, Colombia, Gloria Ines Gutierrez Botero to the Town of Morristown, New Jersey.

As Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I Timothy P. Dougherty would like to acknowledge and support the Town of Morristown's Sister City relationship with Montenegro, Quindio, Colombia. Nearly 10% of Montenegro's population currently resides in Morristown, and for over 40 years they have contributed greatly to our community and to the state of New Jersey.

The relationship between Morristown and Montenegro is significant in that it encourages the residents of both our communities to explore and understand other cultures, and to promote our leaders to discuss practices and policies within our governments.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
2010

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Mary Mulholland is "The Spark That Started Hope House" and is the founder of Hope House and Board Member Emeritus; and

WHEREAS, Mary's golf tournament, The Dope Open, has helped support Hope House's Behavioral Health Services serving Morris County residents with substance abuse treatment; and

WHEREAS, Mary tireless efforts have helped raise over $5 million in support of the fight on drugs so that the youngest members of our communities will not succumb to drug or alcohol abuse; and

WHEREAS, Mary is also a founding Board Member of DAYTOP New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, she has served on the New Jersey State Drug Abuse Council, the Governor's Advisory Council for Drug and Alcohol Abuse, the board of United Way and as a trustee of the College of Saint Elizabeth; and

WHEREAS, Mary has received many awards of distinction, including the Pro Ecclesia et Pontific Medal from Pope John Paul II, the highest Catholic honor for women and was one of eight prominent Morris County business and community leaders honored as Female Legends in Morris County; and

WHEREAS, Mary lives in Morristown and is the mother of six and grandmother of seventeen; and

WHEREAS, Mary Mulholland remains attuned to her calling, and on February 25, 2010, she will be honored at the Hope House anniversary dinner.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim February 25, 2010 as,

MARY MULHOLLAND DAY

in the Town of Morristown.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

Certificate of Acknowledgement

On October 22, 2010 the Morris County Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) will hold its Annual Freedom Fund Banquet which commemorates the Branch's 79th Anniversary. The Banquet's 2010 theme is "Celebrating Distinguished Women of Morris County".

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, along with the NAACP, wish to recognize the following Distinguished Women of Morris County for their tremendous contributions in the fields of Medicine, Education, Fine Arts, Entrepreneurship, Community Service, Government and Criminal Justice and for providing inspiration within our communities:

Dr. Judy Banks, *Medicine*
Dr. Anita Barber, *Education*
Mrs. Karlene Brandon, *Entrepreneurship*
Ms. Dorothy Broome, *Community Service*
Mrs. Victoria Craig, *Fine Arts*
Mrs. Judith Dickerson, *Education*
Ms. Michelle Harris-King, *Government & Public Service*
Ms. Keisha Higgs, *Law Enforcement*
Mrs. Marjorie Hubert, *Community Service*
Ms. Linda Murphy, *Education*
Ms. Raline Smith-Reid, *Government & Public Service*
Mrs. Keisha Smith-Johnson, *Entrepreneurship*
Mrs. Susan Rosenthal, *Community Service*
LaJuan Tucker, Esq., *Criminal Justice*

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
October 22, 2010

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the number of elderly and disabled Americans is dramatically increasing; and,

Whereas, assisted living is a long term care service that fosters choice, dignity, independence and autonomy in our elderly nationwide; and,

Whereas, the National Center for Assisted Living proudly created National Assisted Living Week; and,

Whereas, the theme of National Assisted Living Week 2010 is "Living Life" and highlights the opportunity to share with our residents a multitude of events and activities that demonstrate how much they are cared for and loved; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of the citizens of the Town of Morristown, do hereby proclaim the week of September 12-18, 2010 as

National Assisted Living Week
"Living Life"

in the Town of Morristown. I urge all citizens to visit friends and loved ones who reside at these facilities and also to learn more about assisted living services and how they benefit our communities.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

Geographics

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Overlook Hospital's Auxiliary established an Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Committee in May 1995 whose goal is to make the public aware of organ and tissue donor needs and programs; and

WHEREAS, in the United States there are 105,000 people waiting for organs, (liver, heart, kidney, lungs, pancreas) almost 4,000 of whom are from New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, approximately 20 people die daily waiting for organs-the Gift of Life; and

WHEREAS, those needing tissues (bones, ligaments, heart valves, corneas, skin) are waiting to improve their quality of life.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2010 as,

ORGAN AND TISSUE DONOR AWARENESS MONTH

in the Town of Morristown and encourage the citizens of Morristown to sign donor cards in the Town of Morristown and encourage the citizens of Morristown to sign donor cards, witnessed by two persons, preferably next of kin and, because a donor card becomes a legal document, citizens are asked to share that decision with their families.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Ovarian cancer is called the "silent killer" because its symptoms are often vague or subtle and is the fourth leading cause of cancer death among women and the leading cause of gynecologic cancer death in the Untied States; and,

WHEREAS, each year, more than 21,500 Americans are diagnosed with the disease and approximately 15,500 die from it; and,

WHEREAS, if detected in its early stages, survival from Ovarian Cancer is 90-95 percent, but due to the great difficulty in detecting the disease early on, the survival rate is only 28 percent; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, do hereby proclaim **September 2010** as

Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month

in the Town of Morristown and encourage and support organizations such at the Turn the Towns Teal, Inc. to bring awareness to early detection of this disease and in helping to raise funds for research to find a cure.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Pancreatic cancer is one of the deadliest cancers and is the fourth leading cause of cancer deaths in the United States. In 2010, an estimated 43,140 people will be diagnosed with pancreatic cancer in the United States. 36,800 will die from the disease and approximately 1,130 deaths will occur in New Jersey; and,

WHEREAS, when symptoms of pancreatic cancer present themselves, it is usually too late for an optimistic prognosis, and 75 percent of pancreatic cancer patients die within the first year of their diagnosis, while 94 percent of pancreatic cancer patients die within the first five years; and,

WHEREAS, incidence of pancreatic cancer is approximately 50 percent higher in African Americans than in other ethnic groups; and,

WHEREAS, there is no cure for pancreatic cancer and there have been no significant improvements in survival rates in the last 40 years;

WHEREAS, the Federal Government invests significantly less money in pancreatic cancer research than it does in any of the other leading cancer killers; and pancreatic cancer research constitutes only 2 percent of the National Cancer Institute's federal research funding, a figure far too low given the severity of the disease, its mortality rate, and how little is known about how to arrest it; and

WHEREAS, the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network is a patient advocacy organization that serves the pancreatic cancer community in the Town of Morristown and nationwide by focusing its efforts on public policy, research funding, patient services, and public awareness and education related to developing effective treatments and a cure for pancreatic cancer; and,

WHEREAS, the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network and its affiliates in New Jersey support those patients currently battling pancreatic cancer, as well as to those who have lost their lives to the disease, and are committed to nothing less than a cure; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens of the Town of Morristown, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2010 as

Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month

in the Town of Morristown. The good health and well-being of the residents of the Town of Morristown are enhanced as a direct result of increased awareness about pancreatic cancer and research into early detection, causes, and effective treatments.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

Certificate of Recognition

As the Mayor of the Town of Morristown, I, Timothy P. Dougherty wish to recognize Irene Phelan on her 90th Birthday.

For 50 years, Irene has been a cherished member of the Morristown community. She has added to our community in so many great ways, including her roles as Mother, Wife, Educator and Friend.

Happy Birthday Irene!

Timothy P. Dougherty
June 2010

THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Town of Morristown is committed to promoting reading as the catalyst for our students' future academic success, their preparation for America's jobs of the future, and their ability to compete in a global economy; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Morristown, Morris School District and Educators have provided significant leadership in the area of community involvement in the education of our youth, grounded in the principle that educational investment is key to the community's well-being and long-term quality of life; and

WHEREAS, ***NEA's Read Across America***, a national celebration of reading, will be conducted on March 2, 2010, which would have been the 106th birthday of *Theodor Seuss Geisel*, better known as Dr. Seuss; and

WHEREAS, ***Read Across America-New Jersey*** is being conducted statewide by the New Jersey Education Association, in partnership with the New Jersey State League of Municipalities, the New Jersey Library Association, Saturn-UAW, and their local affiliates across the state to promote reading and adult involvement in the education of our community's students.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Tuesday, March 2, 2010 as,

READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY

in the Town of Morristown and call upon all residents, community leaders, educators and parents to assure that every child is in a safe place reading together with a caring adult. The Town of Morristown enthusiastically supports ***NEA's Read Across America and Read Across America-New Jersey***, and encourages the community to engage in programs and activities to make America's children the best readers world-wide.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey was critically important during the American Revolution because of the strategic location of the State between the British armies headquartered in New York City, New York, and the Continental Congress in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, General George Washington spent almost half of the period of the American Revolution personally commanding troops of the Continental Army in the State of New Jersey, including 2 severe winters spent in encampments in the area that is now Morristown National Historical Park, a unit of the National Park System; and

WHEREAS, the Washington Association of New Jersey was established in 1874, and until 1933 owned and operated the Jacob Ford Mansion – Washington's Headquarters prior to donating the property for inclusion in Morristown National Historical Park, the nation's first national historical park; and

WHEREAS, Public Law 109-338 in October 2006 established the Crossroads of the American Revolution National Heritage Area in New Jersey which encompasses 213 cities and towns and all or parts of 14 counties from Bergen to Gloucester; and

WHEREAS, the Morris County Tourism Bureau is a destination marketing organization that positively affects the economy of Morris County by promoting the area's exceptional historic, cultural and recreational opportunities by providing services to residents, business travelers and tourists; and

WHEREAS, Revolutionary Times Weekend is an annual celebration to help promote the importance of Morristown and New Jersey in the American Revolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim April 16, 17 and 18, 2010 as,

REVOLUTIONARY TIMES WEEKEND 2010

in the Town of Morristown, and urge our citizens to join with me in expressing appreciation to the organizing committee and the participating sites and individuals for helping bring notice to the importance of Morristown's rich history.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the success of Scouting for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and Venturing depends on our community organizations; and

WHEREAS, there are 505 churches and synagogues, schools and parent-teacher associations, service and fraternal clubs, and other community organizations that have been chartered in our area by the Boy Scouts of America to use the Scouting program; and

WHEREAS, the volunteer leaders selected by these chartered organizations are performing an outstanding service for 18,871 boys and young men and women; and

WHEREAS, the Patriot's Path Council of the Boy Scouts of America and its corps of dedicated volunteer leaders are providing necessary support to the leaders in the 6,236 Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops, Explorer Posts, and Venture Crews; and

WHEREAS, beginning February 2, 2010 through February 9, 2010, the Boy Scouts of America will celebrate their 100th Anniversary serving our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim the week of February 2, 2010 through February 9, 2010 as,

SCOUTING ANNIVERSARY WEEK

in the Town of Morristown, and urge our citizens to join with me in expressing appreciation to the community organizations and their volunteer Scouting leaders for bringing this values-based program to our young people.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, sexual assault affects women, children and men of all racial, cultural and economic backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the immediate physical and emotional costs, sexual assault may also have associated consequences of post-traumatic stress disorder, substance abuse, depression, homelessness, eating disorders and suicide; and

WHEREAS, sexual assault can be devastating for not only the survivor, but also for the family and friends of the survivor; and

WHEREAS, no one person, organization, agency or community can eliminate sexual assault on their own, but we can work together to educate our entire population about what can be done to prevent sexual assault, support victim/survivors and their significant others, and increase support for agencies providing services to victims/survivors.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim the month of April 2010 as

SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH

in the Town of Morristown. I encourage residents, community leaders, educators and parents to learn more about preventing sexual assault and to show support for the numerous organizations and individuals who provide critical advocacy, services and assistance to victims.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF
MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Silver Star Families of America designs and manufactures Silver Star Service Banners and Flags to honor the wounded and ill men and women who have sacrificed for our country; and

WHEREAS, to date The Silver Star Families of America has freely given thousands of Silver Star Service Banners to the wounded and their families; and

WHEREAS, The Silver Star Families of America's sole mission is to see that people remember the sacrifices made for this Town, State and Nation every time they see a Silver Star Service Banner in a window or a Silver Star Flag flying; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Morristown would like to honor the men and women in the Armed Forces, and wishes that the sacrifices of so many in our Armed Forces never be forgotten.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 1, 2010 as,

SILVER STAR BANNER DAY

in the Town of Morristown in honor of all our wounded and ill Armed Forces members.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown

THE TOWN OF MORRISTOWN

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, twenty-five years ago, Nancy Urquhart began volunteering at the Community Soup Kitchen and Outreach Center in Morristown, New Jersey; and,

WHEREAS, in 1984, the Soup Kitchen served a simple meal to 15 or 20 individuals a day and Nancy was always there, recruiting volunteers and food donations; and,

WHEREAS, for the last 25 years, Nancy has not only organized the Saturday meals at the Soup Kitchen, but has rolled up her sleeves and worked 3 Saturdays every month to serve a hot noon-time meal to the working poor, elderly, disabled and homeless of Morris County; and,

WHEREAS, with Nancy's help, the Soup Kitchen has grown from serving 15 people a day to over 300 a day; and,

WHEREAS, Nancy has brought many new volunteers to the Soup Kitchen. She also approaches food stores and restaurants and encourages them to contribute leftover food. Due to her efforts, the volunteer base has grown to over 2,000 volunteers and the Soup Kitchen has been able to operate 365 days a year, enabling it to never miss a day, and never run out of food. The Soup Kitchen has also been able to expand to include an Outreach Center which helps guests access the services they need to become self-sufficient; and,

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2010, Nancy will be honored by the Community Soup Kitchen and Outreach Center at their annual Share the Bounty benefit to be held at the Madison Hotel.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor of the Town of Morristown, on behalf of all the citizens do hereby proclaim Thursday, April 22, 2010 as,

NANCY URQUHART DAY

in the Town of Morristown, and ask that special recognition be paid to Ms. Urquhart for dedicating her life to being the person to make a difference in the lives of many.

Timothy P. Dougherty, Mayor
Town of Morristown