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MOUNT LAUREL TOWNSHIP PROCLAIMS MONTH OF FEBRUARY BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Mount Laurel, NJ --- On Monday February 14th, Mount Laurel Township Council proclaimed February 2022 as Black History Month.

The month serves to celebrate and acknowledge the contributions Black Americans have made to America's history and culture. The month also serves as an opportunity to learn and recognize that ethnic and racial diversity strengthens our community here in Mount Laurel.

Black History Month serves as a time to recommit ourselves to standing up against discrimination and racism. Black Americans have made significant contributions to our nation as educators, artists, government leaders, scientists, and influential speakers. The Township encourages members of the Mount Laurel community to learn about the significant achievements of Black Americans.

“Mount Laurel is a rich and diverse community that will continue to take steps to recognize the significant contributions of Black Americans. By celebrating and recognizing Black History Month we recognize and renew our commitment to racial equality, understanding, and creating a community that is peaceful and just” Mayor Pritchett stated.

This resolution will take effect immediately.

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