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MOUNT LAUREL TOWNSHIP PROCLAIMS MONTH OF JUNE PRIDE MONTH

Mount Laurel, NJ --- On Monday June 14th, Mount Laurel Township Council proclaimed June 2021 as Pride Month.

The month serves to celebrate the contributions the LGBTQ+ community has made on America's history and culture. Pride Month is celebrated in June to honor the 1969 Stonewall Uprising that took place in New York City.

The historic proclamation at Monday's Township Council meeting marks the first time Pride Month has been acknowledged and recognized by Mount Laurel Township. "This is a historic moment for Mount Laurel Township and Township Council is excited to celebrate the LGBTQ+ community for their strength and perseverance." stated Mayor Steglik.

The Township of Mount Laurel values the dignity of each member of our community and appreciates the importance of equality. Every community member deserves a place to call home that is safe, free, and supportive.

Township Council appreciates and supports the contributions the LGBTQ+ community has made to our social welfare. Intolerance has no place in this, or any, community. Pride Month reaffirms Mount Laurel Township's commitment in our support for the LGBTQ+ community and their profound contributions to our society.

The resolution will take effect immediately.

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