

**CITY COUNCIL**

**The City of Orange Township, New Jersey**

DATE May 21, 2024

NUMBER 295-2024

**TITLE: A RESOLUTION HONORING LGBTQ+ ELDERS IN THE CITY OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP. (Sponsored by Council Member Adrienne Wooten)**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Orange Township recognizes the invaluable contributions of LGBT elders to our community, whose resilience, activism, and wisdom have enriched our lives and advanced the cause of equality and justice for all; and

**WHEREAS**, LGBT elders have often faced discrimination, marginalization, and adversity throughout their lives, yet have continued to show strength, courage, and perseverance in the face of adversity; and

**WHEREAS**, LGBT elders have played significant roles in shaping our history, advocating for civil rights, and fostering a more inclusive society for future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, LGBT elders have demonstrated leadership, compassion, and solidarity within our community, offering support, guidance, and inspiration to individuals of all ages; and

**WHEREAS**, it is fitting and proper for the City of Orange Township to recognize and honor the contributions of LGBT elders, ensuring that their stories, experiences, and legacies are preserved and celebrated for generations to come.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Municipal Council of the City of Orange Township honor LGBTQ+ elders in the City of Orange Township.

**Adopted: May 21, 2024**

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**Joyce L. Lanier**  
City Clerk

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**Tency A. Eason**  
Council President



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