

# Township of Nutley

County of Essex, New Jersey

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## THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Hereby Issue this Proclamation on April 21, 2020

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### Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) is an infectious virus caused by a newly discovered coronavirus; and

**WHEREAS**, the COVID-19 virus has infected over a million people worldwide, is responsible for countless unnecessary deaths and has become a world-wide pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, there is no current treatment or vaccine for the COVID-19 virus; and

**WHEREAS**, the greatest weapon available in the fight against this invisible disease is the courageous network of first responders, scientists, researchers and medical professionals who are on the front line combating the Coronavirus pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Nutley is tremendously grateful to all those who have chosen the noble profession of healing, caring and protecting others; and

**WHEREAS**, all the first responders and medical professionals across New Jersey and specifically in Nutley treat their fellow neighbors with compassion, dignity and the respect they deserve; and

**WHEREAS**, we express our immense gratitude to all those caring for and treating patients across our nation and whose commitment to serving others has never been clearer. Their contributions to society is immeasurable; and

**WHEREAS**, we thank all the scientist and researchers relentlessly working day and night to develop a vaccine for this deadly virus; and

**WHEREAS**, we are grateful to all our public employees who have dedicated themselves to ensure we continue to provide essential services to all Nutley residents;

**WHEREAS**, we are also grateful to all truck drivers, social workers, grocery store workers, and all others that are working to assure that the nation is receiving the vital supplies and services needed to get through this pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, we extend our thanks to all our educators who continue to find ways to educate our children and provide them with the skills and knowledge needed to help future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, all these brave men and woman are the most fearless, talented and gifted in the world, who's incredible spirt and resolve is helping to save lives each day and contributing to the wellbeing of our citizens; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Nutley, County of Essex, State of New Jersey that we extend our utmost appreciation, gratitude and most important, our sincere thanks to all those individuals and professions courageously working to save lives during this pandemic; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Township of Nutley pray for the continued strength and health of all those affected by this virus and in need of healing.

**BE IT ALSO RESOLVED**, that the Township of Nutley extend its thoughts and prayers to all those we have lost during this pandemic and their families. No one will be forgotten.

