

Township of Nutley

County of Essex, New Jersey

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Hereby Issue this Proclamation on May 20, 2025

WHEREAS, Seraphina Gann, currently a seven grader at John H. Walker Middle School, was nominated by her math and science teacher, Mrs. Johnson, to attend Tech Trek, a week-long camp offered to New Jersey seventh-grade girls; and

WHEREAS, Seraphina, a straight A student who excels in math and science, also figure skates and plays the piano; and

WHEREAS, as part of the selection process, Seraphina sent in several essays and was interviewed by the Camp Leadership Committee; and

WHEREAS, Seraphina was informed in April that out of 100,000 seventh grade girls in New Jersey, she was one of 40 girls to be chosen to attend this prestigious camp; and

WHEREAS, at Tech Trek, girls are immersed in a world that empowers and encourages them to think of themselves as future scientists, engineers, mathematicians, and computer specialists; and

WHEREAS, in addition, Tech Trek Campers take part in activities like programming robots, extracting their own DNA, formulating lip gloss in a chemistry lab and visiting coastal waters or Pinelands Preserve;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, TOWNSHIP OF NUTLEY, COUNTY OF ESSEX STATE OF NEW JERSEY, that Seraphina Gann be hereby recognized and applauded for her tenacious young spirit that earned her a spot at the Tech Trek Camp this summer. We look forward to seeing her continued accomplishments in the next few years.