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## Hunterdon County Division Of Senior Services 2021 Senior Art Show

### Several First-Place Winners Submitted To State Competition

The 2021 New Jersey Senior Citizen Art Show was held virtually today, November 12<sup>th</sup>, and included several artists and their works from the county's virtual Art Show held in June, Hunterdon County Commissioner Shaun C. Van Doren announced.

Van Doren, the Board's Human Services liaison said, "The County Senior Citizen program has submitted several of the first-place winners from the Hunterdon County Senior Art Show for consideration at the statewide event. We should never be surprised by the level of talent of so many of our seniors in the County."

Each year the county sends first place winners from the art show to the state for their competition.

Pia Rey-Doklan, Hunterdon County Senior Services staff member and Art Show coordinator, said, "The Senior Art Show is something we all look forward to and being able to offer the program online has been a wonderful experience for everyone."

"Congratulations to all of our County first-place winners whose works are part of the state show and all our many seniors who engage in the art show program. This is such a worthwhile program and I extend the Board's thanks to Laine Nauman the Director of the County's Senior Division and Pia Rey-Doklan, the coordinator of the program, for continuing to make the senior art show a success every year.

We also extend our congratulations to the winners of the State Level Senior Citizen Art Show. The county has been well represented by our talented seniors in Hunterdon County," Van Doren concluded.

Hunterdon County Senior Artists who were awarded at the State Level Senior Citizen Art Show:

- Ed Ham 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Pastel "St. Augustine"
- Anne Sainz 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Digital "Reflections"
- Cynthia Carmen 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Oil "Winter Creek"
- Susanne Pitak Davis 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Sculpture "Madonna de los Milagros"
- Doris Terris Honorable Mention (HM) Place – Pastel "The Glen"
- Michael Kahney HM Place – Print "Mid Somers Night Dream"