

# Proclamation

*By Mayor and Council - Township of North Brunswick*

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Services and the North Brunswick Recreation Advisory Committee present a **Young Adult Peer Advocate Award** in recognition of distinguished examples of strong character, leadership abilities and is a positive role model to their peers in their community; and

**WHEREAS**, **Amani Shah** is a senior at North Brunswick Township High School with a GPA of 4.54; and

**WHEREAS**, **Amani** is an exceptional student, earning many honors and awards, who has taken several honors classes, ten Advanced Placement courses and is among the top 5% of her graduating class of 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, **Amani** demonstrates academic excellence as well as displaying leadership and service throughout her years at North Brunswick Township High School. She is a member of the National Honor Society and a 2020 STEAM Tank Competition Finalist in addition to a member of the STEM Program. She earned Academia Excellence in World Language – Spanish. Amani received honor status at the Rutgers University MiniMed Program, an opportunity for students to take electives and seminars who wish to pursue a career in medicine or the healthcare field. Amani is a four -year member of the Key Club and the PUSH Program where she educates young students on the prevention of alcohol and drug use. Amani is Vice President of the Human Right Coalition and a delegate of the Diversity Council on Global Education and Citizenship. She is a member of the Environmental Club. Amani is treasurer for the Care-To-Walk Club which raises awareness about the steps to reduce Breast and Ovarian Cancer. Amani is also a student athlete playing for the Varsity Golf Team for four years; and

**WHEREAS**, **Amani** volunteers for the St. Joseph’s Healthcare and Rehab Center assisting residents in their needs and has attended numerous lectures by medical professionals. Amani participated in the MyGoal Autism Program in support of individuals and families affected by Autism. She is an SWAB4USA Ambassador, a group of high school students bringing awareness to blood cancers and to encourage people to register for Be The Match; and

**WHEREAS**, **Amani** plans to further her education in the field of Biology.

**WHEREAS**, **Amani** is an outstanding role model to her peers demonstrating strong leadership and volunteer efforts to her community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, WE**, the Mayor and Council of the Township of North Brunswick, along with the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee, **DO HEREBY PROCLAIM**, the respect and admiration of the community of North Brunswick to **Amani Shah**, and name her a Young Adult Peer Advocate Award recipient for 2021, and wish her continued success in the future.

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Francis M. Womack III  
Mayor

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Council President

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Lisa Russo, Township Clerk  
December 2021

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Lou Ann Benson  
Director of DPRCS