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Immediate Release

Hudson County Board of Commissioners approved the County of Hudson to accept \$ 21,600 grant from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs Recreational Opportunities for Individuals with Disabilities Grant Program and to Educational Arts Team

Jersey City-The Hudson County Board of Commissioners approved the County of Hudson to accept a \$21,600 grant from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs Recreational Opportunities for Individuals with disabilities Grant Program and to Educational Arts Team.

The target youth population will participate in a series of classes where they will explore different forms of art media (i.e. Ceramics, canvas, clay), creative movement (i.e., yoga, and dance), learn traditional and adaptive karate techniques and attend an educational field trip. Individuals with disabilities will also have the opportunity to have a caregiver or parent work collectively on their projects. The Educational Arts Team will provide thirty young people, ages 6-12, with an opportunity to participate in Camp Liberty. This is a summer camp that offers young people an outlet for artistic expression, a safe space to have social interactions and structured activities for recreation.

The term of this grant is from July 1, 2023, through December 31, 2024.

Board Chairman Anthony Romano and the Board of Commissioners are committed in their resolve in providing the necessary resources for persons with disabilities to participate and explore artistic expression through visual arts, dance, yoga in an

inclusive and fun setting for people of all abilities.

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