



Proclamation

By The County Executive

Recognizing Officer Kenneth Butera

Whereas, The Kiwanis Club of Hamilton hosts the 44th Annual Hank Leverence Police Officer of the Year Awards Dinner on June 7, 2019 at Ancient Order of Hibernians in Hamilton; and

Whereas, The Kiwanis Club of Hamilton's Annual "Police Officer of the Year" Award is given to an officer who exhibits the utmost dedication to his or her community, going above and beyond the call of duty to touch the lives of individual Hamilton residents deeply and profoundly; and

Whereas, Hamilton Township Police Detective Kenneth Butera, who was raised in Hamilton and is a graduate of Nottingham High School, is recognized as the 2019 "Police Officer of the Year"; and

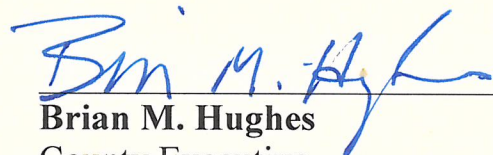
Whereas, Detective Kenneth Butera has been an exemplary police officer who since 2008 has been assigned to the Training Unit and currently serves as Use of Force Trainer for Armament Systems and Procedures; and

Whereas, Detective Kenneth Butera holds certifications as Division Armorer, Firearms Instructor, HazMat Team Member, EMT, CPR Instructor, and Field Training Officer, and in addition to his daily police work is a Co-Coordinator for the Hamilton Police Special Olympics Torch Run and Polar Bear Plunge; and

Whereas, Detective Kenneth Butera has been honored with numerous awards throughout his career, and this year has been chosen as Hamilton "Police Officer of the Year" by his peers and colleagues who believe he surpasses the normal standards expected of our law enforcement men and women,

Now, Therefore, I, Brian M. Hughes, Mercer County Executive, do hereby congratulate Detective Kenneth Butera on his receipt of this award, and thank him for his exemplary service to the people of Hamilton Township, Mercer County and the United States of America.




Brian M. Hughes
County Executive