

Resolution 2026-05

A Resolution to Award James Eoppolo for the 2025 City of New Castle Citizen Unsung Hero Award

WHEREAS, in February 2024, The City Council Approved Resolution 2024-5 A Resolution to Create City of New Castle Employee, Citizen, and Business Awards for Exemplary Service, Leadership, and Civic Engagement; and

WHEREAS, James Eoppolo has established and continued to operate the 2nd St. Coffee House monthly open mic night which serves as a showcase for local talent and builds community spirit; and

WHEREAS, The establishment of the 2nd St. Coffee House raises money for the Friendship House, a wonderful contribution to the community; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that James Eoppolo shall be recognized for the 2025 City of New Castle Unsung Hero Award in recognition of her civic minded nature and accomplishments through his actions, words and deeds, furthering the legacy and inherited tradition of the City, and the intricate part in which he plays in enhancing the quality of life of the City's citizens by volunteering and contributing to the building of community and our society through your professional and service minded endeavors that support humanity.

PASSED this 13th day of January 2026.

Suzanne Souder, City Council President

Joseph F. Day, III, Councilperson

Nermin Zubaca, Councilperson

Andrew Zeltt, Councilperson

Brian Mattaway, Councilperson

Attest:

Diane Delgado, City Clerk