



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: In June of 2022, The Special Olympics USA Games were held in Orlando, Florida. The New Hampshire Special Olympics team is our State's largest sports organization for people with intellectual disabilities and provides year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic sports for children and adults; **and**

WHEREAS: Ten athletes, two US Youth Ambassadors, and three coaches from Dover travelled to Florida to represent this State and our City in these games; demonstrating their physical fitness, courage, and experiencing the joy of sharing their hard-earned skills with their families and other Special Olympics athletes; **and**

WHEREAS: The Mayor and City Council would like to recognize and celebrate the great accomplishments of these athletes; **and**

WHEREAS: Listed with this proclamation are the athletes, ambassadors and coaches that have made this City proud; **and**

WHEREAS: We recognize the hard work, dedication, and perseverance of the athletes, ambassadors, and coaches as they have worked through the challenges to their training and practice sessions they faced due to the pandemic.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROBERT CARRIER, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, AND THE ENTIRE DOVER CITY COUNCIL, do hereby proclaim our sincere appreciation for the accomplishments of the athletes, youth ambassadors, and coaches in this year's USA Special Olympics Games. On behalf of all citizens of this City I thank you all for your hard work and we heartily congratulate you on your accomplishments.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dover to be affixed this **13th Day of July, 2022**

Robert Carrier, Mayor,
City of Dover, New Hampshire

Alex Beauchner	Swimming	Bronze: 25-yard Freestyle Silver: 25-yard Backstroke Silver: 4x25 Freestyle relay
Jacob Constas	Softball	Team Silver
Samantha Dyer	Athletics - HS	Team Silver
Tessa Goodell	Softball	Team Silver
Dylan McDade	Athletics	Bronze: 400 meter Bronze: 4x400 Relay Team Silver
Jason Menard	Athletics - HS	Silver: 4 x 400 unified relay Team Silver
Kim Wesson	Sprint Triathlon	Bronze: Unified Sprint
Rhiannon Banley-Bill	Athletics - HS	Silver: Shot put Team Silver
Judah Payeur	Athletics - HS	Gold: Unified 400 meter run Silver: Unified 200 m Run Silver: 4 x 400 Unified Relay Team Silver
Brenden Curry	Softball	Team Silver
Elissa Armstrong	US Youth Ambassador	
Sally Gallagher	Coach - Swimming	
Kris Paradis	Coach - Equestrian	
Zoe Wisniewski	US Youth Ambassador	
MJ Hippern	Coach - Athletics	