



TOWN OF STRATFORD
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Beautification Committee Announces Annual Curb Appeal Awards

STRATFORD – The Stratford Beautification Committee is announcing the winners of their 2020 Annual Curb Appeal Awards this year, bestowed on residents that go the extra mile to make their properties, and ultimately Stratford, even more visually appealing.

The committee evaluated over 40 nominated properties that were selected for their interesting landscaping, flower beds and gardens, or improvements featuring unique fencing, walkways, or lighting fixtures. Nominations were accepted from June 1 through July 17 through an online nomination from on the Town Website.

“My favorite part of this program is delivering the awards to the winners. They are so appreciative and humbled,” said **Donna Caserta**, Co-Chair of the committee. “They are overflowing with pride. Hopefully their pride and hard work will have a ripple effect and their neighbors will want to be winners too.”

“One homeowner at a time, sharing gardening and landscape designs for others to enjoy, supports all our efforts to beautify our town!” added **Christine Griffin**, Co-Chair of the committee.

“It’s wonderful to see how proud the winners of this award are when they see their gardens are being recognized. It fosters a positivity for Stratford that we hope will continue throughout town,” said committee member **Laura Dancho**, Town Councilor representing the 10th District.

“I want to thank all of the members of the Beautification Committee for their great work once again this year, highlighting the many beautiful properties our town has to showcase,” said **Mayor Laura R. Hoydick**. “My congratulations to all the winners who have done that extra something special that makes our whole town look beautiful.”

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The winning properties are listed below, and a category of “Best Patriotic” was added in consideration of the cancellation of Stratford’s annual fireworks for the Fourth of July due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

- 70 Fox Hill
- 30 Margherita Lawn
- 351 Hilltop
- 367 Huntington Rd.
- 155 Sheppard
- 94 Sheppard
- 1827 Nichols Ave.
- 75-77- McQuillan
- 60 Dahl
- 99 Quail
- 293 Roger Dr.
- 90 Mercer
- 2339 Nichols Ave.
- 135 Perry Lane
- 145 Rockland
- 101 Ryegate Terr.
- 515 Birdseye St.

Top 3 Patriotic

- 453 Woodstock
- 165 Claudia Dr.
- 219 Anson

There will be no formal ceremony recognizing the winners this year in consideration of the COVID-19 pandemic, but winners will be presented with lawn signs to display in their yard as well as an award including a gift bag of daffodil bulbs, our signature flower.

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