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ACTION TOGETHER NEW JERSEY CONGRATULATES PHIL MURPHY AND ALL ATNJ MEMBERS WHO RAN FOR OFFICE

Last night, after a six-month long and hard-fought campaign that stretched across every corner of the state, Phil Murphy was elected the next Governor of New Jersey. We look forward to the new administration and the economic and social improvement that lies ahead for this great state.

In light of these results, Action Together New Jersey (ATNJ) would like to thank its growing base of members, policy advocates, tireless volunteers, and those running in this year's state and local elections, for their efforts in implementing progressive policies throughout New Jersey and reversing the last 8 years of failed leadership under Chris Christie and Kim Guadagno. Our voices matter now more than ever. With each passing day, the Trump Administration and Republican lawmakers at the local, state, and federal level try to infringe upon the rights of Americans. Over the last year, ATNJ's members made countless phone calls, wrote thousands of letters, protested injustices, and advocated for the implementation of progressive policies that aim to serve the entirety of New Jersey's diverse population.

We want to specifically thank those members that made the sacrifice to run for office. The decision to serve the public is not an easy one and requires a daily and ongoing commitment. We are eternally grateful to you and look forward to supporting those that uphold our democratic and progressive ideals.

The 2017 election is over; however, now is the time to step up, support, and push our newly elected and re-elected leaders to adhere to the tenets of a truly progressive platform. Action Together New Jersey asks its members, advocates, volunteers, and the elected officials representing us to continue the hard work and fight for the economic and social rights of the people of the great state of New Jersey.

Please join us in congratulating the following individuals who chose to serve their communities.

- Elaine Ray Wexler
DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE, ANDOVER TOWNSHIP. Member since Feb. 2017.

- Nicole Luthman Turnbull
MONMOUTH COUNTY DEMOCRATS. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Julie Carrea Turner
DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE MEMBER, NEW PROVIDENCE, UNION COUNTY. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Shelly Morningstar
MOUNT OLIVE MUNICIPAL CHAIR. Member since Nov 2016.
- Stephanie Press Wilson
CHAIR OF THE SPARTA MUNICIPAL DEMOCRAT COMMITTEE. Member since Nov 2016.
- Pat Andresen Heavener
TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE, GREEN TOWNSHIP. Member since Nov 2016.
- Anita Esteve
DEMOCRATIC MUNICIPAL CHAIR, PEQUANNOCK. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Susan Druckenbrod
COUNTY COMMITTEE, CHERRY HILL. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Gina Buongiorno
COUNTY COMMITTEE, HOPATCONG. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Jennifer Lepow Apell
CHERRY HILL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE. Member since Dec. 2016.
- Laura Zurfluh
COUNTY COMMITTEE, CRANBURY. Member since Jan. 2017.
- Michele Van Allen
TOWN COUNCIL, HARDYSTON TOWNSHIP | SUSSEX COUNTY DEMOCRATIC STATE COMMITTEE. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Ben Silva
STATE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE, SUSSEX COUNTY. Member since Nov 2016.
- Joyce Santos
HUNTERDON COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE, RARITAN TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Iris Perrot
MANSFIELD DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE, WARREN COUNTY CLERK. Member since Nov 2016.
- Erin Jacobus
HOPATCONG BOARD OF EDUCATION. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Joan Jacobsen
COUNTY COMMITTEE, HARDYSTON. Member since Nov. 2016.
- JoAnn Richmond Hinksmon
COUNTY COMMITTEE, VERNON TOWNSHIP. Member since Jan 2017.
- Leslie Schneider Boen
DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE, SUSSEX COUNTY. Member since Nov. 2016.
- George Youngkin
STATE SENATE LD8. Member since May 2017.

- Gina Danesi Trish
STATE ASSEMBLY LD24. Member since March 2017.
- Laura Shaw
STATE ASSEMBLY, LD 23. Member since April 2017.
- Lacey Cotter Rzeszowski
NJ STATE ASSEMBLY FROM LD 21. Member since Nov 2016.
- Kate Christie Matteson
STATE ASSEMBLY, LD 24. Member since Feb 2017.
- Emma Thompson Mammano
STATE SENATE, LD 10. Member since Nov 2016.
- Mariel DiDato
STATE ASSEMBLY, LD13. Member since March 2017.
- Jannie Chung
STATE ASSEMBLY, LD 39. Member since April 2017.
- Christine Lui Chen
STATE SENATE, LD23. Member since April 2017.
- Charles Boddy
STATE ASSEMBLY LD23. Member since Nov 2017.
- Lisa Colasanti Bhimani
STATE SENATE, LD 25. Member since March 2017.
- Amy Ferrante-Martin
GLEN ROCK TOWN COUNCIL (RE-ELECT). Member since April 2017.
- Amelia Lamonde
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION, UNION TOWNSHIP. Member since Jan 2017.
- Arati Sadalge Kreibich
GLEN ROCK TOWN COUNCIL. Member since Nov 2016.
- Daniel Ward
BARNEGAT TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE. Member since April 2016.
- Kari Johnston Solomon
TOWN COUNCIL, MONTVALE. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Balvir Singh
FREEHOLDER, BURLINGTON COUNTY. Member since April 2017.
- Katie Rotondi
HAMPTON TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE. Member since May 2017.
- Anthony AJ Riccardi
STANHOPE COUNCIL. Member since May 2017.
- Tom Pullion
FREEHOLDER, BURLINGTON COUNTY. Member since Aug 2017.
- Rupande Mehta
DENVILLE TOWN COUNCIL. Member since Feb 2017.
- James McGrath
COUNCILMAN, BUTLER. Member since Aug 2017.
- Rachel Marlowe
MOUNT OLIVE TOWN COUNCIL. Member since May 2017.

- Chris Marlowe
THIRD WARD COUNCIL MEMBER – LOWER TOWNSHIP, CAPE MAY COUNTY.
Member since Aug 2017.
- Debra Lonsdale
FREEHOLDER, CAMDEN COUNTY. Member since June 2017.
- Paige Sebbert Livingston
HUNTERDON COUNTY FREEHOLDER. Member since Aug 2017.
- Jonathan Lace
BOROUGH COUNCIL IN CALDWELL. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Rielly Karsh
CLINTON TOWN COUNCIL. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Sadaf Jaffer
MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Jennifer Green
DENVILLE TOWN COUNCIL. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Kris Grasso
MOUNT OLIVE TOWN COUNCIL. Member since May 2017.
- Nathan Gould
DENVILLE TOWN COUNCIL. Member since June 2017.
- Marjorie Fox
SUMMIT COMMON COUNCIL, WARD 2. Member since January 2017.
- Caren Sollish Fitzpatrick
COUNTY FREEHOLDER AT LARGE, ATLANTIC COUNTY. Member since Nov. 2016.
- Matt Fink
MOUNT OLIVE TOWN COUNCIL. Member since May 2017.
- Amalia Duarte
TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE, MENDHAM, Member since Nov. 2016.
- Danielle Davies
FREEHOLDER, CAPE MAY COUNTY. Member since Dec. 2016.
- James Corti, Jr.
HARDYSTON TOWN COUNCIL. Member since January 2017.
- G. Carol Cook
WARREN COUNTY FREEHOLDER, Member since Nov 2016.
- Dr. Rozella Clyde
FREEHOLDER, MORRIS COUNTY. Member since January 2017.
- Angela Bardoe
PITTS GROVE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE. Member since March 2017.
- Patrick Antonetti
LINCOLN PARK COUNCIL-AT-LARGE. Member since July 2017.
- Margie Donlon
MONMOUTH COUNTY FREEHOLDER. Member since April 2017.
- Edina Brown
OLD BRIDGE COUNCIL. Member since Oct 2017.

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ABOUT ACTION TOGETHER NEW JERSEY:

Who We Are

We are the largest grassroots group in NJ and we are growing every day as NJ citizens join to fight for our values. We share a passion for equal rights, for progressive ideals, and for building a brighter future for all Americans. We are your neighbors, your friends, and your coworkers. And while we don't always see eye to eye on every issue (just look at the pork roll/Taylor ham divide), we are residents banded together to help secure a more inclusive and progressive future for our state and our country. We invite you to join us and to be at the forefront of that change. ATNJ is part of the grassroots national network, [Action Together Network \(ATN\)](#), which numbers around 750,000 grassroots members nationwide.

A few of the causes we value and fight for include:

Racial Justice, Reproductive Rights, Environmental Concerns, Women's Rights, LGBTQ+ Rights, Common Sense Gun Laws, Immigration, Education, Healthcare, Social Services, Criminal Justice Reform, Electoral Reform, Finance and Economic Reform, Smart Foreign Policy, Workers' Rights, Civil Rights Protection and Expansion, and Military and Veterans Issues.

For more information on what we do, and how we strive to accomplish our goals, visit us at:

www.ATNJ.org