



# Proclamation

*WHEREAS, the month of December is a time for giving and reflection and calls for a celebration of Americans at their best by acknowledging the generosity and volunteerism that unites people of all ideologies; and*

*WHEREAS, National Giving Month recognizes Americans who tend to the unmet human, educational, health, environmental and public needs of our communities; and*

*WHEREAS, National Giving Month promotes a strong and vibrant charitable and philanthropic sector ensuring all Americans experience life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; and*

*WHEREAS, National Giving Month celebrates donors, volunteers, corporations, foundations and organizations who financially invest in the local, state and national challenges before us.*

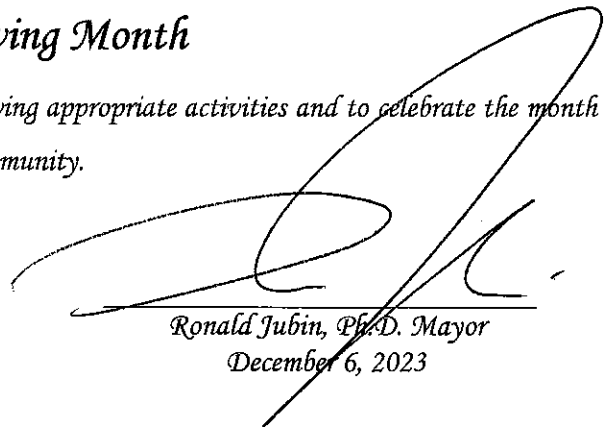
*WHEREAS, National Giving Month encourages nonprofit sector to solve the socio-economic challenges that ensure every man, woman and child can pursue the American dream; and*

*WHEREAS, National Giving Month highlights civic responsibility and the spirit of community and service through shared values that transcend race, religion, gender, age, disability, region, income and education.*

*NOW THEREFORE, I, Ronald Jubin, Mayor of the Borough of Watchung, along with Members of the Council, do hereby proclaim the month of December, 2023, to be,*

## *National Giving Month*

*and call upon all residents to commemorate this period by observing appropriate activities and to celebrate the month by sharing one's time and resources for the betterment of our community.*



Ronald Jubin, Ph.D. Mayor  
December 6, 2023