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## SANITATION FOUNDATION HOLDS SIGNING FOR THE 2022 DSNY CALENDAR

### *FEATURED MODELS AND ARTISTS SIGN COPIES AT THE “SANITATION CELEBRATION” ART EXHIBIT AT THE ART GALLERY AT PACE UNIVERSITY*

On January 26th, the **Sanitation Foundation** held a meet-and-greet and autographing event for its 2022 DSNY Calendar, which captures the strength and dedication of the NYC Sanitation Department’s (DSNY) workforce and the beauty in its operations. This year’s calendar, generously sponsored by the **Municipal Credit Union**, features members of DSNY’s uniformed workforce and civilian employees—some as models and others as featured photographers.

The event was held at [Sanitation Celebration](#), an art exhibit of inspiring works by artists who serve within DSNY’s ranks. This exhibit remains on display at the **Art Gallery at Pace University** through Saturday, January 29, 2022.

“With this 2022 DSNY Calendar, we have a chance to recognize Essential Workers like those at the Department, who too often remain invisible, even while serving 8.8 million New Yorkers every day,” said **Sanitation Commissioner Edward Grayson**. “We’re honored to showcase some of New York’s Strongest, who collect trash and recycling, sweep our streets, maintain our fleet, enforce our laws and clear snow and ice—no matter the challenges placed before them.”

“We’re thrilled to celebrate the NYC Department of Sanitation’s workforce, whose dedication helped New York City persevere through the darkest days for the COVID-19 pandemic,” said **Sanitation Foundation Executive Director Julie Raskin**. “We’re grateful for these uniformed and civilian employees, who gave us hope and who keep New York City a great place to live. The DSNY calendar is one of the City’s most beloved annual collectibles—get yours before they’re gone!” Proceeds generated by sales of the 2022 DSNY Calendar support the [Sanitation Foundation](#)’s programs and projects to support DSNY’s workforce and advance the Department’s sustainability initiatives.

There are 10 models in this year’s edition, which includes both uniformed and civilian employees, with photographs by two Sanitation Workers and one civilian employee. From Sanitation Workers, to tradespeople to Sanitation Police Officers to Department administrators, all play a part in keeping the city healthy, safe and clean.

[Click here to donate to the Sanitation Foundation and order the 2022 DSNY Calendar.](#)

**About the Sanitation Foundation:** The [Sanitation Foundation](#), founded in 2016, is the official nonprofit organization of the New York City Department of Sanitation. Supported by private funding and in-kind donations, the Foundation leverages non-traditional strategies to promote sustainability and advance the essential services of Sanitation employees.

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**About the NYC Department of Sanitation:** The Department of Sanitation (DSNY) keeps New York City healthy, safe and clean by collecting, recycling and disposing of waste, cleaning streets and vacant lots, and clearing snow and ice. The Department operates 59 district garages and manages a fleet of more than 2,000 rear-loading collection trucks, 450 mechanical brooms and 705 salt spreaders. The Department clears litter, snow and ice from approximately 6,500 miles of City streets and removes debris from vacant lots as well as abandoned vehicles from City streets.



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