

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

*House of
Representatives*



Proclamation *THE* **HIGHLANDS CURRENT**

- WHEREAS,** since its first issue in July 2010, The Highlands Current has been dedicated to delivering independent, non-profit journalism to the communities of Philipstown and Beacon;
- WHEREAS,** for 15 years, it has served as a trusted, reader-supported source of high-quality reporting that informs, engages, and connects local residents;
- WHEREAS,** the publication has played a vital role in promoting transparency by covering government meetings, school board decisions, elections, and environmental issues;
- WHEREAS,** it has also uplifted and celebrated the arts, culture, and community events that enrich the Hudson Highlands;
- WHEREAS,** The Highlands Current has become an indispensable resource and a cornerstone of civic life in the region;

Now, THEREFORE,

I, Congressman Mike Lawler of New York's 17th Congressional District, do hereby recognize and honor The Highlands Current for 15 years of outstanding service and its ongoing commitment to strengthening community through journalism.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Michael V. Lawler".

Michael V. Lawler
Member of Congress
17th District, New York



JULY 4, 2025

Date