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Lee County Supervisor of Elections Announces the 6th Annual Arts Vote Contest Winners!

Lee County, FL (April 14, 2023) Lee County Supervisor of Elections Tommy Doyle is pleased to announce the <u>winners of the 2022-2023 Arts Vote Contest!</u>

1st Place "Best Artwork": Alayna Calkins (Cypress Lake High School)
2nd Place "Most Original Artwork": Nisa Balbaloglu (North Fort Myers High School)
3rd Place "Most Creative Artwork": Haley Allensworth (Cypress Lake High School)

The Lee Elections "Arts Vote" Contest allows students at participating high schools to unleash their creativity and talent to promote voting, patriotism, and civic engagement.

Supervisor Doyle says, "I am thankful to the schools and teachers for their help fostering voter education and voter participation through the arts. My staff and I enjoy seeing the students immerse themselves in the contest every year. Their unique pieces inspire us and showcase what voting means to them!"

To support local schools and the arts, the Lee County Supervisor of Elections presented the winning school, Cypress Lake High School, with \$500. Winners received a gift card and a certificate of appreciation for participating in the contest.

The contest began on November 17, 2022, and ended on March 31, 2023. Supervisor of Elections Tommy Doyle and staff selected the winning pieces from 45 entries; nine from Cypress Lake High School and 36 from North Fort Myers High School.

Watch Supervisor Doyle award the winners.

The mission of the Lee County Supervisor of Elections is to deliver superior election services to the voters of Lee County.