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MAYOR MANZI NAMES LYNN VIDLER AS SEPTEMBER'S ARTIST OF THE MONTH
Methuen Photographer's Work on Display in the Mayor's Office

Mayor William M. Manzi has named Lynn Vidler as September's Artist of the Month. Lynn has had formal training in the arts; however she is a self-taught photographer, working in both film and digital photography. She is inspired by the simplicity, color, emotion and feeling of movement in nature that is all around us along with "the magnitude and awe of some of the most common objects in our communities that can often be easily overlooked."

Lynn works with seascapes, landscapes, nature, flora, and fauna. Currently, she is studying black and white photography, abstract art using realistic subjects and the human body and form with candid portraits. She entered her first art show in 2007, at the Nevins Library. The Art Institute of the Merrimack Valley sponsored the show. Her photograph "Taking a Break" won an award. She is now an active member of the Art Institute.

Mayor Manzi stated, "It is my pleasure to display Lynn's work in my office. She is one of many talented citizens working and living in Methuen. I encourage the public to come by City Hall and view her fine work."

The Methuen Artist of the Month Program was created by Mayor Manzi two years ago in order to give members of the Methuen Arts Community a forum to display their work and to encourage participation in Methuen's growing creative economy. Methuen artists interested in being considered for Artist of the Month should contact the Mayor's Office.

(Photo Below)

