

# City of Newburgh

## Press Release

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### Paintings by Jim Arvanetes in City Hall through Feb. 8

Visitors to Newburgh City Hall at 83 Broadway can enjoy paintings by Pine Bush artist Jim Arvanetes through February 8. A reception for the artist will be held on February 1, from 2-4 p.m. at City Hall, 83 Broadway. The public is welcome to attend.

A retired teacher of history with degrees from Columbia University and Fairleigh Dickinson University, Arvanetes has successfully presented his landscapes in oil and photography

in various juried shows in the New England and the New York/New Jersey regions.



**View from St. Luke's Hospital**

His work has earned a number of awards from the prestigious Washington Square outdoor exhibit in New York City, the Old Saybrook, CT outdoor art show, the first Danielson, CT outdoor sidewalk show, the Wickford, RI Art Association, and the South County Art Association in Rhode Island.



One of Jim's photographs was a New England Guide first prize winner. He is presently exhibiting works in oil. Primarily self-taught, Jim has attended classes at the Mystic, CT Art Museum, the South County, RI Art Association, the Peacedale, RI Guild, the Lyme, CT Art Association, and presently, at the Marasco Art Center in New Windsor.

He was awarded the Paul Loring Award from the South County Art Association for Best Marine Work, and in 1986 he won the Philip Eisenberg Award at the Washington Art Exhibit.

Jim's works are in private collections in Rhode Island, New York City, Pennsylvania, Georgia, Switzerland, and South Africa.

For more information, please call (845) 361-5489.