

Letters July 24, 2024

Crown of Essex County

To the editor:

Thank you for your editorial supporting the renovation of the Cornell Building. I take issue with only one point. In the title and elsewhere, you note that the historic building "blesses Westport". That it does, but it also blesses the entire County of Essex. It is owned by the county, is situated on county land, and is viewed, if not used, by thousands of people from Essex County and beyond who attend the Essex County Fair. If the Cornell Building is the jewel of Westport, it is the crown of Essex County.

— **Lyn Barrett Bussian,**
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