

# **Fixed-in-Post**

***Guidelines for the March Assignment***

# *What is Fixed-in-Post?*

## **Background**

- Most photographs need some level of editing or enhancement
- Editing techniques can range from simple corrections to more complex enhancements



# ***Editing Tools***

- ✓ **In-camera tools (special functions)**
  - sunset, snow, beach, night, aquarium, etc.
  
- ✓ **Post-processing tools**
  - Photoshop Elements
  - Photoshop Creative Suite
  - Lightroom
  - Numerous free or low-cost editing programs
  - Smartphone applications



# ***Editing Techniques***

- There is an endless variety of editing techniques from straight-forward to more complex, multi-step enhancements
- Examples include:
  - Simple Fixes:
    - Red-eye removal
    - Straighten horizon
    - Cropping
    - Exposure adjustment
  - More Challenging Fixes/Enhancements:
    - Hue/Saturation
    - Tonal Adjustment
    - Shadows/Highlights

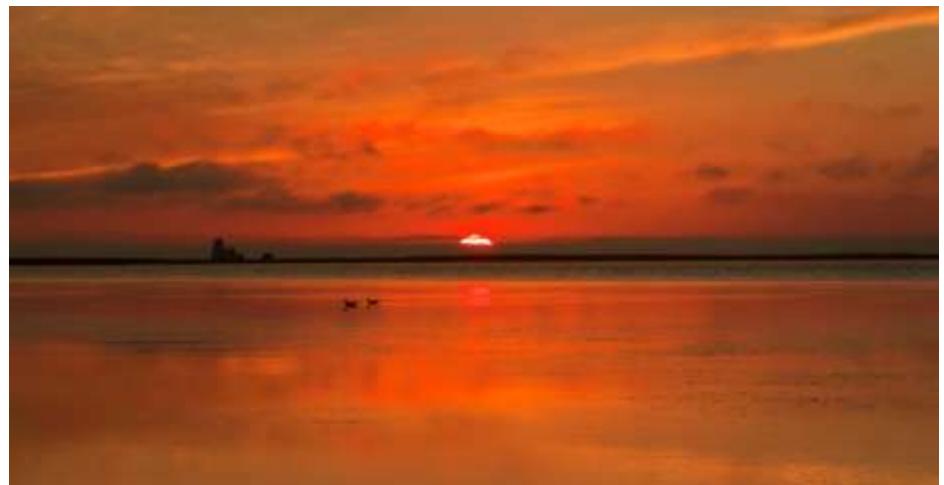
*The list goes on and on and on.....*

# *Example #1*



- **straight out of camera  
(jpeg format)**

- **white balance, exposure, contrast**
- **highlights/shadows, cropping**
- **hue/saturation**



## *Example #2*



- **straight out of camera  
(jpeg format)**



- **white balance, exposure  
cropping**

# ***Guidelines for March Assignment***

*All Club members are encouraged to submit ONE original photograph  
(straight out of camera with no editing, jpeg format)*

- **Members who do some editing:**
  - one original photo + edited/enhanced version of the original photo
- **Members who do no editing:**
  - one original photo
- **Members who do not usually submit photos:**
  - please consider submitting one photo

*Our April 7<sup>th</sup> meeting will be a great opportunity to view our photos,  
exchange ideas about editing, and maybe even pick up a few new tips*