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Dear Residents of SD-44:

Last week, I joined a bipartisan group of Senators representing Bucks, Chester, Delaware, and Montgomery Counties in a letter to Governor Wolf, Acting Health Secretary Alison Beam, and the members of the COVID-19 Vaccine Joint Task Force, in support of requests by county officials that the state distribute coronavirus vaccine doses to countyrun clinics rather than sending them to a single mass vaccination site for the entire region.

I know all of you are beyond frustrated about the lack of coordination and communication on how to obtain a vaccine. I cannot understand the purpose of the \$11.6 million-dollar contract with a consulting firm for vaccine distribution and yet, here we are, many questions unanswered, incomplete data, and inconsistent information day-to-day. Only providing one (or two) vaccination site for the entire Southeast region will simply disproportionately harm seniors who do not drive, single parents struggling to balance child care while working multiple frontline jobs, and so many who are just unable to travel an hour or more to a single vaccination site. We can and must do better. I urge the administration to listen to our local elected county leaders on this issue and ensure the true equitable distribution by showing all data and numbers.

Pop-Up Vaccination Clinic in Montgomery County

On Saturday, I stopped by to lend a hand at a pop-up vaccine clinic held at the Spring-Ford 7th grade center for over 1000 individuals in group 1A. It was great to see the joy and relief on so many people's faces as they received their first dose. Thank you to the Medicine Shoppe of Boyertown and all of the nurses, school staff, and volunteers for helping make the clinic a success.

Clinics will be held over the next few weekends and you can register here, or apply to be on a wait list if you are not 65 or older and they will contact you on a first come, first serve basis.



Get the Latest News I will keep posting updates from the DOH, as well as any vaccine opportunities that pop-

up across our community while I continue to advocate for more vaccine doses directly to our region in SEPA. Follow the latest updates, be sure to like and follow us on Facebook and Twitter.



become available.

Virtual Wellness Symposium TONIGHT at 7pm we will kick-off the Royersford Virtual Wellness Symposium on

Facebook LIVE! We will be discussing all of the services that our office offers and how we can be of assistance to you. The event runs through April 2nd and is hosted by Mayor Jenna of Royersford. Featuring

over 20 local businesses, offices, and organizations, this is a great opportunity to learn about resources that are available to you throughout Montgomery County. Make sure to click "GOING", so that you receive additional details and updates as they



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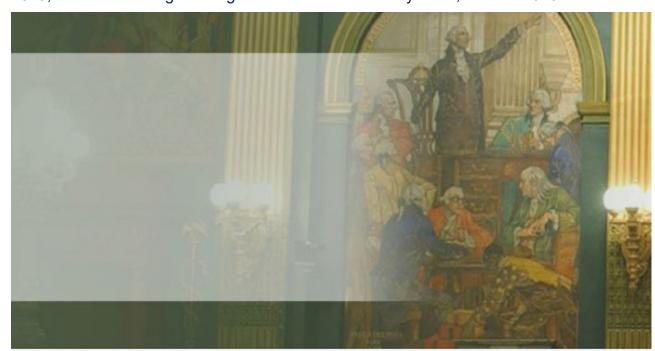
Make Your Voice Heard: Mail-In Ballot Survey The Senate Special Committee on Election Integrity and Reform is asking voters to

provide them with <u>feedback</u> on their experiences from the 2020 General Election by filling

out a survey. This includes individuals who voted by mail or in person, as well as poll

workers, County Election Officials, and individuals who chose not to participate.

This <u>feedback</u> will be reviewed by the Special Committee during its evaluation of Act 77 of 2019, the current law governing elections here in Pennsylvania, and the 2020 election.



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Volunteers Needed: Honey Brook Food **Pantry**

Chester County consistently ranks among the wealthiest counties in Pennsylvania, yet roughly 25,000 residents struggle with food insecurity.

Our friends at the <u>Honey Brook Food Pantry</u> helped over 260 families and 856 individuals in February and they could use your help in their gardens to make sure that they can provide fresh produce for the neighbors that they serve.

If you are interested in helping in the garden or donating produce please call 610-273-6102 and leave a message or email Kris Chiappa at ap506010@gmail.com for details.





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ERAP is an emergency rental assistance program created by the U.S. Treasury

Emergency Rental Assistance Program

Call 610-273-6102 and leave a message or

Department in response to the continued adverse socioeconomic effects of the COVID-19 pandemic. This program was established to provide rental and utility assistance with priority funding

on bringing tenants up-to-date with their landlords and/or utility companies, and provide housing stability. If you have experienced job loss or a 20 percent loss of income as a result of the current

□ Berks: https://www.doyourpartberks.com/rental-assistance □ Chester: Call 2-1-1 and request rent and utility assistance to apply

public health crisis, click on the links below by county for assistance. D

☐ Montgomery: https://yourwayhome.org/eruc



NEW Tax Deadline and Free Tax Prep **Service**

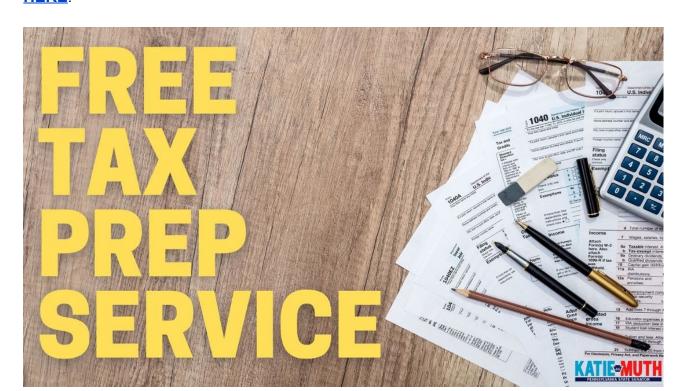
Pennsylvania will delay its tax filing deadline from April 15 until May 17, after the Internal Revenue Service said it is delaying the federal tax filing deadline until May 17, the state Department of Revenue said last Thursday. The decision postpones when individual taxpayers must file their return and when their payment is due.

Pennsylvania's Department of Revenue said taxpayers who owe money would not face any further penalties or interest on final 2020 personal income tax returns and payments if they pay by May 17.

My district office in Royersford Borough is offering free tax prep service for anyone who

needs to file a tax return by using a 1040 form. This service will be offered on Thursdays from 5-7pm through April 8 (all COVID precautions will be enforced).

You **MUST make an appointment** by calling my office at 610-792-2137 (ask for Nikki). To learn more about the service and what you will need to bring to your appointment click **HERE**.





How to Stay Informed

Pennsylvania Department of Health

- The PA DoH <u>Daily COVID-19 report</u>. Updated regularly throughout the day.
- Follow the PA Health Department on <u>Twitter</u>.
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U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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- Learn how best to <u>prevent "community transition"</u> with specific details on what to do before, during, and after outbreaks.

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