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The 10th District

The 10th District includes the following municipalities:

Bristol Borough, Bristol Township, Morrisville Borough, Tullytown Borough, Falls Township, Yardley Borough, Lower Makefield Township, Upper Makefield Township, Newtown Township, Newtown Borough, Doylestown Township, Doylestown Borough, Buckingham Township, Solebury Township, New Hope Borough, Plumstead Township, Chalfont Borough, New Britain Township & New Britain Borough.



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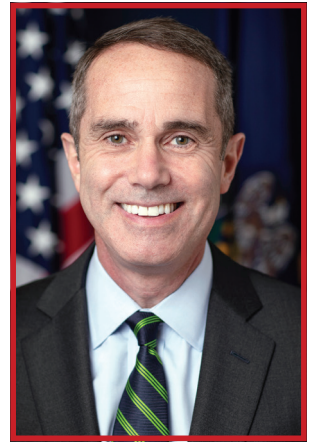
Dear Neighbor,

We live in a challenging era. Whether it is tumult on the national level or the high price of housing and groceries that put increasing pressure on working families to make ends meet, it can be hard, at times, to maintain a sense of optimism in the future.

But whenever I despair, I am reminded of the ability of the human spirit to lift us all up, and my hope is renewed. For example, during the tragic gas explosion at Bristol Health and Rehab shortly before Christmas that claimed three lives, our first responders exhibited great heroism in rescuing patients and workers from the building, thereby preventing an even greater loss of life.

We have reasons to celebrate and be hopeful. Throughout this newsletter, you'll read about ways I'm working with colleagues across the aisle to get things done in Harrisburg, how a bridge in Bristol was repaired and renewed, and how state grant dollars are helping our local partners strengthen our community and support our neighbors.

This year marks the 250th anniversary of our nation's independence. After the Constitutional Convention here in Pennsylvania, a woman asked Benjamin Franklin what kind of government we would have. He responded simply, "A republic, if you can keep it." I remain committed to ensuring our republic holds strong and works for the people of Pennsylvania, and I hope you'll continue to join me in that mission. Our democracy endures when people stay informed, involved, and look out for one another.



Steven J. Santarsiero
10th Senatorial District

FRONT COVER

(Top Left) I had a great time seeing everyone getting in the holiday spirit at the New Hope Christmas Parade.

(Top Right) Representative Perry Warren (D-31) and I were with the American Legion Post 317 as they presented this check to the Corporal Michael J. Crescenz VA Medical Center in Philadelphia. Our veterans are a model of public service, and I am always proud to support the incredible work they do for our community.

(Bottom Left) I celebrated the last day of Hannukah with Representative Tim Brennan (D-29) in Doylestown Borough and reflected on the meaning of the lights of Hannukah and the importance of community. We all have light within us that we must share with each other and our community.

(Bottom Center) It was great to see folks out and about at the Yardley Olde Fashioned Christmas Parade.

(Bottom Right) I enjoyed talking to members of the Rotary Club of Newtown about my work in Harrisburg and learning more about how they help improve our community here in Newtown. Service groups are a great way to get more involved in your community!

Steve in the Community



▲ It was great to see Bucks County Commissioner Bob Harvie and then Bucks County District Attorney-elect Joe Khan and Bucks County Sheriff-elect Danny Ceisler at the Bristol Christmas parade.



▲ Giving blood is a great way to help your neighbors! I had a great time donating at the blood drive I hosted with Representative Perry Warren (D-31) at Bucks County Community College last December. Our next blood drive will be with Representative Tim Brennan (D-29) on June 16th in Doylestown.



◀ I attended the grand opening of Aqua Penn's new PFAS treatment facility at their Edgely Water Treatment Facility in Bristol Township. This project was partially funded through Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority's (PENNVEST) interest loans and grants, which helped mitigate the impact to customers' bills. I'm proud to advocate for funding investments in infrastructure to make our water safer.



▲ Representative Tina Davis (D-41) and I were excited to present this check for one million dollars to Bristol Borough to support the construction of a new consolidated fire station. This new facility will be state of the art and make sure our firefighters have what they need to keep our community safe.



▲ Representative Tim Brennan (D-29) and I hosted an Electronics Recycling Event at Holicong Park in Buckingham Township at the end of last year. More than 600 residents came to the event, and we collected about 1200 lb of food for the Bucks County Opportunity Council. The event ran smoothly thanks to our great student volunteers from New Hope Solebury, Central Bucks East, Central Bucks West and Council Rock North high schools.



◀ Representative Perry Warren (D-31) and I visited the Yardley Borough Police Department to let them know they received an LSA Grant to pay for a new roof for their police station. Our first responders are key to keeping our communities safe and having a new roof that doesn't leak should help make that important job just a little bit easier.

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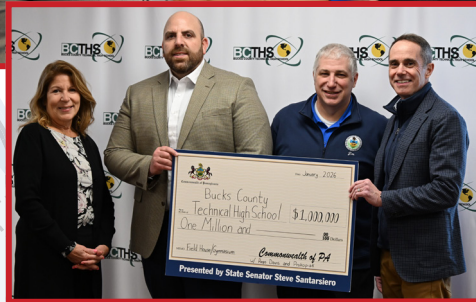


▲ Representative Perry Warren (D-31) and I introduced the Environmental Clean Up and Recovery Act at the Upper Makefield Township Building on the one-year anniversary of the Sunoco/Energy Transfer Pipeline Spill in the Mt. Eyre neighborhood. We're going to push for this bill to ensure that no other Pennsylvanians are left in the lurch during a hazardous spill in a residential area.

► I was honored to speak at the Bucks County Fire School graduation at Bucks County Community College. Our firefighters are frontline heroes and it's always heartwarming to see young people step up to serve their community. I'm pictured here with BCCC President Patrick Jones, Representative Perry Warren (D-31), and two new fire school graduates.



◀ Bucks County Technical High School received a one million dollar state grant this year to support the construction of a new field house and gymnasium. I visited the school with Representatives Tina Davis (D-141) and Jim Prokopiak (D-140) who helped secure this grant for our community. We met with school administrators who told us more about the important work BCTHS is doing for students in our county and how we can support them at the state level.



◀ I attended the kickoff event for PA America250 and am pictured here with Bucks County Prothonotary Donna Petrecco, County Commissioner Bob Harvie and Representative Tim Brennan (D-29). It's more important than ever to remember the sacrifices made 250 years ago to establish our democracy and the work we must continue to do to preserve it today.



▲ It's always crowded in the capital building during Governor Shapiro's annual budget address. I was excited to hear the Governor shares many of the priorities we have in the 10th District: affordability, clean energy, public transit, education, funding local innovation and supporting our first responders.

◀ SB 1014, our Cell Phone-Free Schools bill, passed out of the Senate with bipartisan support on February 3rd. I'm pictured here with my cosponsors Senators Vincent Hughes (D-7) and Devlin Robinson (R-37), advocates from PA Unplugged and the Pennsylvania State Education Association, and Senator Rosemary Brown (R-40).



RANDALL AVENUE BRIDGE REOPENING

Maintaining our roads and bridges is one of the most fundamental responsibilities of effective state and local government. I'm proud that Representative Tina Davis and I were able to secure \$3 million in state funding through multiple rounds of grants to support the reconstruction of the Randall Avenue Bridge in Bristol Township. With the bridge reopening on January 14, 2026, that investment is now delivering real results for residents, businesses, and visitors to Bristol Township who rely on this corridor every day. I am committed to funding projects like this that improve public safety and maintain essential infrastructure in the 10th Senate District. I'm grateful to everyone who worked to complete the reconstruction as efficiently as possible, knowing how disruptive the closure was for the community.



ENVIRONMENTAL CLEAN UP AND RECOVERY ACT

Over a year ago, a pipeline carrying jet fuel leaked into the water supply of residents in Upper Makefield Township. That's over a year that residents have been left with questions and without timely action. Clean up was voluntary and our state government didn't have the power to act under our current laws.

That's why Representative Perry Warren (D-37) and I introduced the **Environmental Clean Up and Responsibility Act** (ECRA). ECRA would empower state government to start a cleanup immediately and collect payment from polluters later. We need fast clean up and polluters must pay, not tax payers.

For more information on ECRA,
visit my website using this QR code.



SB 1014 PASSES OUT OF THE PENNSYLVANIA SENATE WITH BIPARTISAN SUPPORT

Senate Bill 1014, which would ban cell phones bell-to-bell in K-12 schools, passed out of the Pennsylvania Senate with near unanimous bipartisan support on February 3rd, 2026. I am proud to cosponsor this bipartisan legislation with Senators Devlin Robinson (R-37) and Vincent Hughes (D-7).

SB 1014 will now move to the Pennsylvania House where it will have to pass out of the Education Committee and then a full floor vote in the House. I've been working closely with my cosponsors to keep this bill moving forward, and I've been encouraged by the strong support from both sides of the aisle, as well as from parents, teachers, and mental health professionals. Governor Shapiro has come out in support of this bill and will sign it when it reaches his desk so it can take effect for the 2027-2028 school year.

If you'd like to show your support, you can sign
the petition on our website using this QR code.



LSA GRANT SPOTLIGHT

At the end of last year, we announced our annual Local Share Account (LSA) grants, which are funded through state gaming revenues and support projects that serve the public interest across Pennsylvania. Eligible recipients include local governments, municipalities, nonprofits, and development authorities.



This year, I was especially proud to secure almost 2 million in funding for our brave first responders throughout the 10th Senate District, including the Morrisville Fire Department, the Plumsteadville Volunteer Fire Company, the Third District Fire Company in Bristol Township, the Plumstead Township Police Department, the Yardley Borough Police Department, and the Levittown-Fairless Hills Rescue Squad. On December 23, Representative Tina Davis and I visited the Bristol Borough Firehouse to deliver a \$1 million grant to support the construction of a new consolidated fire station. Just hours later, we witnessed the heroism of our first responders firsthand as they rushed to save lives during the explosion at Bristol Health and Rehab Center. I will always advocate for the funding our first responders need to continue serving our community with courage and dedication.

Additional grants were awarded to:

- Mercer Museum (**\$239,000**)
- Fonthill Castle (**\$500,000**)
- James A. Michener Art Museum (**\$409,000**)
- Solebury Township and Lower Makefield Township for Redevelopment projects (**\$1,210,000**)
- Bucks County Technical High School for a new field house and gymnasium (**\$1,000,000**)
- Tullytown Borough for a new dump truck (**\$127,623**)
- Network of Victim Assistance (NOVA) (**\$88,715**)

Each year, we receive many worthy applications for LSA funding, and I'm proud that these grants will support so many organizations working every day to strengthen and improve communities across the 10th Senate District.



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UPCOMING EVENTS



HELP FOR JOB SEEKERS

with **Rep. Prokopiak**

10AM - 3PM

Williamson Park
97 N Delmorr Avenue | Morrisville



ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

with **Rep. Prokopiak**

10AM - 12 PM

Pennsbury High School West
608 S Olds Blvd. | Fairless Hills



COLLEGE PREP NIGHT

with **Rep. Brennan**

7PM - 9PM

Central Bucks West High School
375 W. Court Street | Doylestown



DISABILITY RESOURCE FAIR

with **Rep. Brennan**

3PM - 5PM

Doylestown Township Rec Center
425 Wells Road | Doylestown



SHREDDING EVENT & FOOD DRIVE

with **Reps. Prokopiak & Davis**

10AM - 12PM

Bucks County Technical High School
610 Wistar Road | Fairless Hills



SCAM JAM

with **Rep. Perry Warren**

2PM - 4PM

Lower Makefield Township Community Center
1550 Oxford Valley Road | Yardley



SCAM JAM

with **Rep. Brennan**

1PM - 3PM

Central Bucks Senior Center
700 N Shady Retreat Road | Doylestown

PROPERTY TAX & RENT REBATES

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