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Dear Friends,

I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to each of you for giving me the opportunity to serve you this past legislative term. It has truly been an honor to represent such a wonderful community and to get to know so many of you personally. I am incredibly grateful for the opportunity to serve you for another term. Your unwavering support and trust mean the world to me.

While I am expressing my thanks, I would be remiss not to give tremendous credit to my incredible team. They work tirelessly to serve our constituents and show every day just how much they care about the people we serve. Their passion and commitment to making a difference are truly inspiring. Our team pours their hearts into every task, ensuring that we are always there for you when you need us. Whether it's assisting with important issues, providing valuable resources, or simply lending a listening ear, they go above and beyond to make sure your needs are met. I could not serve you so diligently without their tremendous efforts, and I am incredibly fortunate to have such an extraordinary team by my side. Their hard work and compassion are the driving forces behind our ability to make a positive impact in our community.

In this term, my team and I have successfully completed over 20,000 caseworks, providing essential guidance and assistance with state services, and brought almost \$13 million in grant funding back to our community. We are committed to continuing our outreach efforts to ensure even more of our neighbors receive the help they need. I hope you will join me in showing thanks to my team. They deserve all the recognition and appreciation for making our mission possible. Thank you, Rafia, Leza, Alex, and Colin for everything you do.

Together, we have achieved so much, and I am excited about what we can accomplish in the future. I am deeply

committed to working hard on your behalf, addressing the issues that matter most to you, and continuing to make our community a better place to live, work, and play for everyone. Thank you for believing in me and for allowing me to be your voice in Harrisburg. Here's to another term of progress and positive change!

On that note, my team and I have been hard at work planning events for the next six months, and I have included that information inside this mailer. Mark your calendars—we'd love to have you join us at any of the events that interest you!



To stay informed about our upcoming events and the latest happenings in Harrisburg, please join our email list. You can sign up at https://www.pahouse.com/Cerrato/emailsignup.

GRANT FUNDING BROUGHT BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY IN 2023-24 SESSION

AMBLER GRANTS

Ambler Borough - \$1 million

On behalf of Wissahickon Fire Company of Ambler, for renovations to the first station.

Ambler Borough - \$899,717

To construct 51 ADA compliant curb ramps with associated crosswalks.

Ambler Lakeview Development, L.P. - \$504,754

For sidewalk and roadway work along North Maple Ave. in Ambler Borough.

Wissahickon School District - \$206,751

To improve safety, security, and mental health supports for students and staff.

Ambler Theater, Inc. - \$36,424

For operating and marketing expenses for the arts organization.

Act II Playhouse - \$28,089

For operating expenses for the performing arts organization.

Ambler Borough Police Department - \$25,000

For equipment purchases.

HORSHAM GRANTS

Horsham Township (Miracle Field) - \$1 million

To build a baseball field specifically designed for people with disabilities.

Horsham Water & Sewer Authority - \$970,918

For the replacement of 3,000 LF of water main with new 8" cement-lined ductile iron water main in three roads in the township, along with new hydrants, valves, and water services to the residents on these streets.













Hatboro-Horsham School District - \$575,000

To replace the roof at Hallowell Elementary School.

Miracle Field at Horsham - \$500,000

For construction of the miracle field.

Horsham Water & Sewer Authority - \$493,636

For the video monitoring of 20,000 LF of sanitary sewer and manholes to identify areas most in need of repair.

Hatboro-Horsham School District - \$197,596

To improve safety, security, and mental health supports for students and staff.

Horsham Wayer & Sewer Authority - \$175,000

To purchase a crane truck.

College Settlement - \$150,000

To expand cabins and pavilions at the camp.

Horsham Township - \$149,600

For two turf soccer fields at Kohler Park.

Horsham Water & Sewer Authority - \$106,921

To add two tank mixers into existing water storage tanks.

Horsham Township - \$76,275

For a new emergency vehicle.

Horsham Police - \$15,000

For the purchase of K9 Mac.

Horsham Township - \$10,000

For equipment purchases for parks including bicycle stations.

MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP GRANTS

Montgomery Township Municipal Sewer Authority - \$936,740

To install a new UV disinfection facility at the Eureka WWTP.

Montgomery County Redevelopment Authority - \$750,000

On behalf of Mitzvah Circle Foundation for complete renovations to their new warehouse facility.

Montgomery Township - \$528,260

To update signal equipment at Bethlehem Pike (Route 309) and English Village Dr./Gwynedd Crossing Dr.

North Penn School District - \$305,659

To improve safety, security, and mental health supports for students and staff.

North Penn School District - \$251,260

To remediate environmental hazards.



Mitzvah Circle Foundation - \$250,000

For renovations to warehouse building.

Montgomery Township - \$210,986

To install a rectangular rapid-flashing beacon on Stump Road.

Montgomery Township Municipal Sewer Authority - \$196,000

To install improved security systems around the Eureka WWTP.

Montgomery Township Police Department - \$66,000

For the purchase of a community policing vehicle.







UPPER DUBLIN TOWNSHIP & NON-PROFITS

Upper Dublin Township - \$1,139,179

For the installation of missing sidewalk connections on Farm Lane to access Upper Dublin High School and along Limekiln Pike to access the Maple Glen Elementary School. This project will also install an overhead rectangular rapid flashing beacon within the Limekiln Pike school zone for pedestrian access to Maple Glen Elementary School.

Upper Dublin Township - \$500,000

To enhance the Upper Dublin Public Library's infrastructure to accommodate increased use.

Upper Dublin School District - \$195,325

To improve safety, security, and mental health supports for students and staff.

Nonprofit Martha's Choice Marketplace - \$200,000

To support the farm and food pantry for those in need.

One House at a Time - \$50,000

Support for beds for children 2 - 17 years old.

Pooch Kaboose - \$50,000

To support the animal rescue group





YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR WINTER HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE!

December 20 • 5-7 p.m. 605 Horsham Road, Horsham

Come join my team and I for a festive gathering with light refreshments and a whole lot of holiday cheer. See you there!

Annual Dog Licensing Event January 11 • 10 a.m. to Noon

605 Horsham Road, Horsham

Don't miss out—let's make it a barking great time!



Senior Scam Prevention

January 11 • 10 a.m. to Noon
Horsham Library

Join us for an essential Senior Scam Prevention event at the Horsham Library, hosted in coordination with the Attorney General's Office. This informative session will provide valuable tips and resources to help you stay safe.

Join us for a REAL-ID Document Verification and Information Event!

February 21 • 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Horsham Library

Don't miss out on this opportunity to prepare for your REAL-ID!



Property Tax/Rent Rebate Assistance Event

March 6 • 2 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. 1030 Horsham Road, Montgomeryville

Don't forget to bring your 2024 proof of income, proof of property taxes showing paid in full and if you rent, a completed and signed Rent Certificate (RC-1000).



UPCOMING EVENTS

Stay informed and engaged with our community by signing up for my weekly emails, sent out every Friday afternoon. These updates are your best source for the latest on new events, recently passed legislation in the House, and all the important



happenings throughout our district. Don't miss out—subscribe today at

https://www.pahouse.com/ Cerrato/emailsignup.

Spring Senior Fair

VETERAN ID EVENT!

April 24

2 to 4 p.m.

Horsham VFW 9788

socks, and underwear to

to support local veterans!

benefit veterans in our area.

Don't miss out on this chance

We'll also be collecting toiletries,

May 2 • 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. 1475 Virginia Drive, Ft. Washington

Don't miss this opportunity to connect with experts and learn how to make the most of the benefits and support available to you. Refreshments will be provided.

College Prep Night

March 13 starting at 7 p.m. Simmons Elementary School

Don't miss out on this opportunity to get valuable insights and guidance on your college journey.



FREE Shredding and E-Cycling

March 22 • 10 a.m. to Noon Temple University Ambler Campus Parking Lot

Let's clean up and give back together!

Unclaimed Funds Clinic

May 17 • 10 to 11:30 a.m. 605 Horsham Road, Horsham

Don't miss this chance to find hidden treasures! See you there!

Septa Key Card Event

June 5 • 4:30 to 7 p.m. 605 Horsham Road, Horsham

Calling all Seniors!

Don't miss out on the Free
Senior SEPTA Key Card!



LICENSE PLATE RESTORATION EVENT

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April 5 • 10 a.m. to Noon 580 Meetinghouse Road, Ambler Don't miss out on this opportunity to get your license plate looking brand new!

PENNSYLVANIA III

Summer Op<mark>en Hou</mark>se

June 12 • 5 to 7 p.m.

605 Horsham Road, Horsham

Pop in and get to know me and my team a bit better at our summer open house event! Light refreshments will be served, and we look forward to welcoming you to our home away from home.

FALL RECAP



Fall E-Cycle



Horsham Interfaith RoadMap Life Skills Class



Fall SEPTA Key Card Event



Pink Out at the Horsham VFW to Support Breast Cancer Awareness



Fall Senior Fair



Dedication of the MCIU Discovery Center



Fall Shredding Event



Montgomery Township Fall Festival



49th Annual Keith Valley Challenge



Fall 2024 MCCC Legislator in Residence Program



Legislative Town Hall with the Chamber of Commerce for Greater Montgomery County



Family Resource Fair and Trunk-O-Treat



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DON'T FORGET ABOUT OUR CONVENIENT MOBILE OFFICE HOURS!

Our team is available at various locations throughout the 151st Legislative District weekly to assist you with state-related issues and services.

Wissahickon Valley Public Library, Ambler Branch: Every Tuesday from 10 a.m. to Noon

Montgomery Township Recreation Center: Every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to Noon

Upper Dublin Public Library: Every Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to Noon

Horsham Library:

Every last Friday of the month from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

We look forward to seeing you there and providing any assistance you need!



WAYS MY TEAM CAN ASSIST:

- Finding and Recovering Unclaimed Funds (PA Department of Treasury)
- Notary Services (Non-political)
- Unemployment Compensation Assistance (PA Department of Labor and Industry)
- · SEPTA Senior Key Card Processing
- Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program Applications (PA Department of Revenue)
- · Acquisition of State Tax Forms (PA Department of Revenue)
- · Questions Regarding Medicaid, SNAP, LIHEAP, etc. (PA Department of Human Services)
- Birth and Death Certificate Applications (PA Department of Vital Records)
- Disability Plate and Placard Applications (PA Department of Transportation)
- · And Any Other State-Related Issue You May Have.