



Dear Friend,

Thank you for taking a few moments to review this newsletter. More importantly, thank you for the privilege to serve as your representative in Harrisburg.

Earlier this year, I was officially sworn-in as a member of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives. I will remember the moment each and every day as I work to serve the people of the 5th Legislative District for the betterment of our community.

If we have not met, I'd like to give a brief introduction of myself. My name is Eric Weaknecht, and I have dedicated my life to serving my neighbors here in Berks County. After graduating from Kutztown Area High School, I continued my education at the Pennsylvania Deputy Sheriff/Sheriff Academy before beginning my career with the Berks County Sheriff's Office in 1984 as a deputy sheriff. In 2007, I was elected Berks County sheriff and continued serving in that role until I ran for state representative in the General Assembly.

If you are unfamiliar with the boundaries of the 5th Legislative District, it consists of the following municipalities in Berks County: the townships of Bethel, Bern, Centre, Heidelberg, Jefferson, Lower Heidelberg, Marion, North Heidelberg, Ontelaunee, Penn, Perry, South Heidelberg, Spring (Precincts 5,7,8) and Tulpehocken; and the boroughs of Bernville, Centerport, Leesport, Robesonia, Shoemakersville, Wernersville and Womelsdorf.

I sincerely hope you had a happy and safe holiday season, and I look forward to serving as your voice in the state House of Representatives.

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State Rep. Eric Weaknecht 5th Legislative District





OPEN HOUSE

On Thursday, Jan. 9, my staff and I hosted our first Open House which was well attended.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Over the next year, my staff and I are looking forward to hosting events to provide education, service and the opportunity to hear from the community.

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

Come to my district office on Monday, April 21, from 3-6 p.m. to recycle old electronic devices safely and securely. "We cannot accept any CRT TVs or monitors at this event, but will take flat screens.

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

I will be hosting monthly Coffee and Conversation meetings. If you are interested in being included in these meetings, call my office at 610-378-4407.

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My office is open **Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m**. Stop by the Reading Regional Airport to get your state-related questions answered, assistance with services provided by my staff and more.

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