



Equality Pennsylvania

Equality Pennsylvania Candidate Endorsements for General Election 2011

Harrisburg: Equality Pennsylvania is pleased to announce its statewide candidate endorsements for the 2011 general election.

“More and more candidates for public office understand that they need the LGBT community to win. I am confident that these endorsed candidates will support our rights once they win,” commented Board President, Adrian Shanker. “I urge all LGBT voters, and voters concerned with equal rights in Pennsylvania to support these candidates any way you can.”

EQPA Endorsed candidates include:

- **Det Ansinn** - Bucks County Commissioner, Democrat*
- **Lin Axamethy Floyd** – Delaware County Council, Democrat
- **Stephen J. Barron** – Northampton County Controller, Democrat
- **Cindy Bass** – Philadelphia City Council-8th District, Democrat
- **Don Berk** – Doylestown Borough Council, Democrat
- **Geoffrey Brace** – Lehigh County Commissioner, Democrat*
- **Kathryn Boockvar** – Judge, Commonwealth Court, Democrat*
- **John C. Campbell** – Harrisburg City Treasurer, Democrat*
- **Dan Clifford** – Judge – 38th Judicial District, Republican*
- **Keith Collins** – Delaware County Council, Democrat
- **Geraldine Delevich** – New Hope Borough Council, Democrat*
- **Diane M. Ellis-Marseglia** – Bucks County Commissioner, Democrat*
- **Jeanette Eichenwald** – Allentown City Council, Democrat*
- **Ralph Giguere** – Abington Township Commissioner – Ward 13, Democrat
- **Rogette Harris** – Dauphin County Register of Wills and Clerk of Orphans Court, Democrat
- **Gloria L. Hamm** – Lehigh County Commissioner, At Large, Democrat*
- **Brad Koplinski** – Harrisburg City Council, Democrat*
- **Mary Ellen Koval** – Allentown City Controller, Democrat
- **Daniel K. McCarthy** – Judge, Lehigh County Court of Common Pleas, Democrat
- **Hugh F. McGough** – Magisterial District Judge for Magisterial District 05-2-35 (Pittsburgh), Democrat*
- **Heidi Morein** – Cheltenham Commissioner – Ward 7, Democrat
- **Dr. Rosemary Moriarty** – Pittsburgh School District Director – Dist. 8, Independent
- **Marlene Pray** – Doylestown Borough Council -Ward 1, Democrat*
- **Blondell Reynolds Brown** – Philadelphia City Council, At Large, Democrat*
- **J. William Reynolds** – Bethlehem City Council, Democrat
- **Leslie Richards** – Montgomery County Commissioner, Democrat
- **Emily Rizzo** – Rutland Township Supervisor, Democrat
- **Jason Salus** – Montgomery County Treasurer, Democrat
- **Peter G. Schweyer** – Allentown City Council, Democrat*
- **(con't) Josh Shapiro** – Montgomery County Commissioner, Democrat
- **Vaughn Spencer** – Mayor of Reading, Democrat

- **John L. Spiegelman** – Abington Township Commissioner – Ward 11, Democrat
- **Elinor Warner** – Easton City Council, At Large*
- **David N. Wecht** – Judge, Superior Court of Pennsylvania, Democrat
- **Julia Woldorf** – Newtown Borough Council, Democrat

***candidate endorsed in Primary and General Election.**

The mission of Equality Pennsylvania is to be the preeminent LGBT advocacy organization for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and work collaboratively to establish a comprehensive network of individuals and organizations united in securing equal rights for the LGBT community (www.equalitypa.org).

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