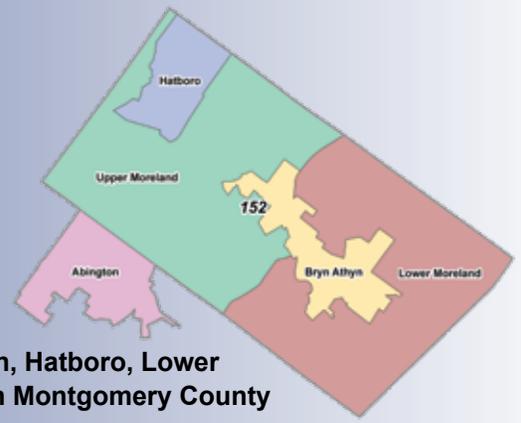




State Rep. | 152nd Legislative District

NANCY GUEST



Representing parts of Abington Township, Bryn Athyn, Hatboro, Lower Moreland Township, and Upper Moreland Township in Montgomery County

WINTER 2024

District Office:

19 S. York Road
Hatboro, PA 19040
(215) 259-5962
Toll-Free: (833) 787-3556

STAY UP TO DATE BY FOLLOWING ME ON SOCIAL MEDIA

@RepGuenst

www.RepNancyGuenst.com

Mobile Office Hours:

10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Huntingdon Valley Library,
the fourth Thursday of
every month

Upper Moreland Library,
the fourth Friday of
every month

DEAR NEIGHBOR,

I am proud to welcome you to the 152nd District's Winter 2024 newsletter. It is an honor to serve the people of our district, and I look forward to continuing to provide the top-notch constituent services you have all become accustomed to.

I want to remind everyone of the upcoming Primary Election on April 23, 2024. The PA House's effort to change the primary date in recognition of the major Jewish holiday of Passover was unfortunately unsuccessful. Despite this, my office is here to assist all residents, especially our Jewish community, with ensuring they will receive a mail-in ballot for the election if they so choose. It is critical that every citizen make their voice heard.

My staff and I have a lot of exciting events coming up in the next few months, including an expungement clinic, a shredding event, and a senior fair. I am also including information on some important state programs, such as the Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program, which was updated for the first time in nearly 20 years.

Below is a "2023: By The Numbers," which showcases the total number of constituent services performed last year by my office and the amount of grant money obtained for the district, among other accomplishments.

As always, please reach out to my office if you need assistance with any state-related issue.

Sincerely,

2023 By The Numbers



8,866

Constituent services provided



\$2.25 Million

In Grants awarded to the district



\$65,755

Returned to constituents in Unclaimed Property



1,370

SEPTA Senior ID Casework



6

Donation Drives



404

Bills Co-Sponsored



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Along with Rep. Brian Munroe's office, my staff and I held a Vet Expo at the VE Club in Warminster. It was a huge success in providing numerous resources to veterans and their families.



My bi-annual Shredding and E-Waste event brought out a large number of residents to recycle and shred. Thanks to all who came out for making it such a great event!



Along with Sen. Maria Collett's office, I hosted a Community Blood Drive at the Willow Grove Giant. We had 27 donors and over 25 pints of blood donated!



What a phenomenal day I had ringing in the holidays at the 63rd annual Hatboro Holiday Parade! I was happy to have been part of such a wonderful event. Farewell to Chief Jim Gardner—a retirement well deserved!

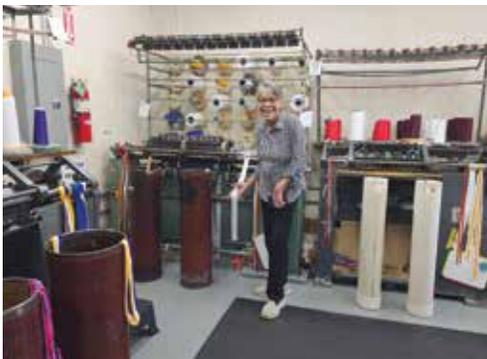


I joined the Hatboro Rotary and HAT Packs to pack food for over 300 children who receive packs in our community. I encourage everyone to help by donating food or volunteering their time to pack.



Mr. Al Weisner was awarded the Korean Ambassador for Peace Medal by the Consuls of South Korea. I appreciate and applaud Mr. Weisner's sacrifice, bravery, and tenacity in fighting for the freedoms held so dear by so many.

DISTRICT HAPPENINGS



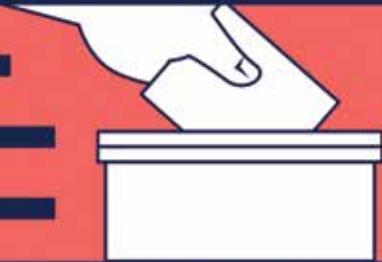
Hatboro-based Yarrington Mills has been making components for sports uniforms for years. I value our manufacturing businesses in the district and across the Commonwealth.



I was honored to be part of the Settlement Music School's Holiday Recital. So many talented students performed, and it was wonderful to see all of their abilities showcased!



More than 50 people joined my staff and me for a pet adoption event. Many applications were started to adopt these "fur"ever friends! It's one of my favorite events of the year!



**VOTING BY MAIL
IN 2024**

EVEN IF YOU ARE ON THE ANNUAL MAIL-IN BALLOT LIST, YOU MUST SUBMIT A MAIL-IN BALLOT APPLICATION EVERY CALENDAR YEAR. LOOK FOR IT IN THE MAIL IN FEBRUARY.



YOU CAN ALSO APPLY FOR A MAIL-IN OR ABSENTEE BALLOT ONLINE AT VOTE.PA.GOV

**FURTHER QUESTIONS?
CALL MONTCO VOTER SERVICES - 610-278-3280**




Veteran Service Office Hours
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

State Rep. Nancy Guent and State Service Officers of Pennsylvania are partnering to offer assistance to veterans of the 152nd District.

EVERY SECOND THURSDAY OF 2024

JAN. 11	JULY 11
FEB. 8	AUG. 8
MAR. 14	SEPT. 12
APR. 11	OCT. 10
MAY 9	NOV. 14
JUNE 13	DEC. 12

A DEPARTMENT SERVICE OFFICER WILL BE ON SITE TO ASSIST VETERANS WITH ISSUES INCLUDING:

- Compensation and Pension claims
- Education Benefits
- Enrollment in the VA Health Care System
- Burial and Survivor Benefits
- State Benefits
- Obtaining Military Personnel & Medical Records

Appointment necessary.



Please call our district office at (215) 259-5962 or at our toll-free number, (833) 787-3556 to schedule a one-hour appointment.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE NANCY GUENT
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More information at www.RepNancyGuent.com   @RepGuent

PTRR CHANGES FOR 2024

(PROPERTY TAX RENT REBATE)

***MAXIMUM REBATE AMOUNT WILL INCREASE FROM \$650 TO \$1000**

***INCOME ELIGIBILITY CAP WILL INCREASE TO \$45,000/YR FOR BOTH RENTERS AND HOMEOWNERS - AND MOVING FORWARD, WILL BE TIED TO COST OF LIVING**

WHEN APPLYING FOR PTRR IN 2024 - IT WILL BE FOR THE 2023 TAX YEAR.

GENERAL ELGIBILITY : 65+, WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS AGE 50+, PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES AGE 18+

BRING IN YOUR PROOF OF INCOME AND PAID TAX BILL OR RENT CERTIFICATE FOR OUR OFFICE TO ASSIST WITH YOUR APPLICATION.





We were able to pass H.B. 1416 in the PA House. This bill would help retirees finally get the needed cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for their retirement benefits, which would make a significant difference for older adults living on a fixed income. It would also increase monthly pension payments for school employees (PSERS) and state employees (SERS) who retired prior to July 2, 2001.



I recently introduced bipartisan legislation with Reps. Mike Cabell and Tarik Khan to allow certified nurse practitioners (CRNPs) full practice authority. Currently, CRNPs are required to have a formal collaborative agreement with a doctor to practice. These agreements are costly and cumbersome and can result in inferior care, particularly in rural areas where there are fewer doctors. My bill would forgo the cost of a collaborative agreement and allow these nurses to practice to their full education and authority. This legislation is critical to helping reverse our shortage of primary care physicians and ensuring high-quality care across Pennsylvania.



Recognition of female veterans is long overdue. In November, we made another push in the right direction when my legislation—H.B. 1747—passed the House and moved to the Senate.

HARRISBURG HAPPENINGS



I was fortunate enough to meet David Gill, the German Consul for New York, New Jersey, Bermuda, Connecticut, and Pennsylvania. Consul Gill was in Harrisburg to introduce himself and his position to representatives. We had a chance to discuss Germany and my time in the Army spent at the Berlin Field Station.



In October, I participated in a rally to highlight a package of bills to protect students from gender-based discrimination, bullying, and harassment. The bills would also ensure inclusive accommodations and curriculum. I introduced legislation to create a statewide policy for all public schools to prohibit student discrimination and harassment based on actual or perceived sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression through anti-discrimination and harassment prevention and early intervention policies to create a supportive and equal-opportunity learning environment.

HEDWIG HOUSE DONATION DRIVE

February 12th- April 5th

DROP DONATIONS OFF AT

19 S. YORK RD. IN HATBORO

ITEMS NEEDED

Non-Perishable Items Toiletries



LAUREL HOUSE DONATION DRIVE

ITEMS NEEDED

- VISA GIFT CARDS (\$25 INCREMENTS)
- TOILET PAPER
- PAPER TOWELS
- CLEANING SPONGES
- LYSOL SPRAY (YELLOW BOTTLE)
- HAND SOAP
- DISH SOAP
- CEREAL
- SNACKS (CHIPS, FRUIT SNACKS, GRANOLA BARS, ETC..)

DROP OFF LOCATION

19 S. YORK ROAD,
HATBORO

MAY 1ST - JUNE 28TH

E-WASTE RECYCLING/ SHREDDING COLLECTION EVENT

UPPER MORELAND HIGH SCHOOL

2900 TERWOOD ROAD, WILLOW GROVE, PA 19090

SATURDAY, APRIL 6TH

10AM-1 PM

ACCEPTING THE FOLLOWING ELECTRONIC ITEMS

- SMALL APPLIANCES
- PRINTERS
- COMPUTERS
- VCRS
- MISC. WIRES
- LAPTOPS
- HARD DRIVES



*LIMIT ONE PERSONAL VEHICLE
FOR JUNK AND 3 BOXES
FOR SHREDDING

*MONITORS/TVS NOT ACCEPTED

*ITEMS CONTAINING FREON CAN BE
ACCEPTED - \$25 CASH CHARGE PER UNIT

WE WILL BE COLLECTING DONATIONS AT THE EVENT
FOR OUR HEDWIG HOUSE DONATION DRIVE

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Expungement Clinic

MARCH 12, 2024

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

AT UPPER MORELAND
LIBRARY

Looking to clean up your record? Join us for an expungement clinic brought to you by the offices of Rep. Nancy Guenst, Sen. Maria Collett, Montco Public Defenders, and Legal Aid of Southeast PA.

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Rep. Nancy Guenst



Sen. Maria Collett

Call Sen. Collett's Office to
Make an Appointment
(215) 368-1429
Please provide name and
DOB when making an
appointment.

APPOINTMENTS REQUIRED

- Only Pennsylvania arrests are eligible
- Only non-conviction charges, including ARD, or summary convictions with no arrests in the past 5 years can be expunged (non summary convictions cannot be expunged)
- Many misdemeanor convictions may be sealed if 7 years have passed
- Some low-level drug and property-related felony convictions may be sealed if 10 years have passed
- Must have no current criminal charges
- Must not be serving probation time
- Please bring copies of records (Optional)

REP. NANCY GUENST AND
CENTER SCHOOL INVITE YOU TO JOIN OUR

Spring

COMMUNITY YARD SALE

SATURDAY, MAY 4TH

8:00AM-11:00AM

CENTER SCHOOL, 2450 HAMILTON AVE.

ABINGTON, PA 19001

YARD SALERS!

- REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
APRIL 26TH TO HOLD YOUR SPOT!
- \$10 PER VENDOR SPOT
- \$10 TO RENT A TABLE IF NEEDED
(LIMITED NUMBER AVAILABLE)

QUESTIONS? -
CALL LAURA LASHER @
215-259-5962 OR EMAIL
LLASHER@PAHOUSE.NET

TO REGISTER AND FOR
PAYMENT DETAILS:
PLEASE CALL 215-259-5962 OR
USE THE FOLLOWING LINK:
[HTTPS://BIT.LY/CSSPRINGYARDSALE](https://bit.ly/csspringyardsale)



State Representative

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2024 PRIMARY ELECTION IMPORTANT DATES

April
8

**LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE
IN THE PRIMARY.**

vote.pa.gov/register

April
16

**LAST DAY TO APPLY FOR A MAIL-IN OR
CIVILIAN ABSENTEE BALLOT**

vote.pa.gov/mailballot

April
23

**VOTED MAIL-IN AND CIVILIAN ABSENTEE
BALLOTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 8PM**

vote.pa.gov/county

April
23

PRIMARY ELECTION DAY

POLLS ARE OPEN 7AM-8PM

vote.pa.gov/polls

Vote.PA.Gov

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 12: Expungement Clinic

5:30 P.M. — 7:30 P.M. at the Upper Moreland Library
109 Park Ave., Willow Grove, PA 19090

*Appointment Required

April 6: E-Waste/Shredding Event

10 A.M. — 1 P.M. at the Upper Moreland High School
2900 Terwood Road, Willow Grove, PA 19090

May 4: Spring Community Yard Sale

8 A.M. — 11 A.M. at the Center School
2450 Hamilton Ave., Abington, PA 19001

May 10: Senior Fair

11 A.M. — 1 P.M. at the Operating Engineers Local 542
1375 Virginia Drive, Ft. Washington, PA 19034

May 23: Veteran ID/Fraud Sleuth Sign-Up

10 A.M. — Noon at the District Office
19 S. York Road, Hatboro, PA 19040

TBD: John Kulick Bridge Dedication