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May 12, 2010

**Pennsylvania Military and Overseas Voters, Return your Ballot NOW for the May 18, 2010  
Special Congressional Election!**

On Tuesday, May 18, Pennsylvania will hold a special general election to fill the seat for the 12<sup>th</sup> Congressional District vacancy left by the passing of Congressman John Murtha. The 12<sup>th</sup> Congressional District consists of all of Greene County, and parts of Allegheny, Armstrong, Cambria, Fayette, Indiana, Somerset, Washington, and Westmoreland Counties.

The candidates in this election are:

- Mark S. Critz, Democratic
- Tim Burns, Republican
- Demo Agoris, Libertarian

In addition to the 12<sup>th</sup> Congressional District special election, Pennsylvania voters will also cast ballots for a variety of other offices including: governor, lieutenant governor, state senator and representative, U.S. senator and U.S. representative.

If you are eligible to vote in this election, and requested and received a ballot for the November 4, 2008 presidential election, you should have received an absentee ballot by now, unless your mailing address has changed.

**Returning Your Ballot**

Completed absentee ballots must be postmarked no later than May 17, 2010. Voted absentee ballots from members of the military must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. on Monday, May 17, and received by the County Board of Elections by 5 p.m. on Tuesday, May 25. To make sure your ballot arrives by the deadline, vote and return your ballot IMMEDIATELY upon receiving it!

**Haven't Received Your Ballot? Use the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)**

If you reside in the 12<sup>th</sup> Congressional District and requested your ballot prior to April 19, you should use the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB) to vote in the special general election that will also be held along with the Primary Election on May 18, 2010. Everything you need to complete a FWAB is available at [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov); just follow the instructions for using the FWAB in Pennsylvania. The FWAB is also available from your Voting Assistance Officer. You can find a candidate list or what is included on the ballot by going to [www.votespa.com](http://www.votespa.com).

Your FWAB must be postmarked no later than May 17, 2010. Voted FWABs from members of the military must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. on Monday, May 17, and received by the County Board of Elections by 5 p.m. on Tuesday, May 25. Send your FWAB to your County Election Official.

**If you live in one of the 12<sup>th</sup> District Counties, you can mail your FWAB and other materials directly to your local election official. Their contact information is below.**

Allegheny County:  
Allegheny County Board of Elections  
604 County Office Building  
542 Forbes Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15219-2953  
Phone: (412) 350-4500  
Fax: (412) 350-5697  
Email Address: [mark.wolosik@county.allegheny.pa.us](mailto:mark.wolosik@county.allegheny.pa.us)

Armstrong County:  
Armstrong County Board of Elections  
Armstrong County Courthouse  
Complex/Administration Building  
500 East Market Street  
Kittanning, PA 16201-1429  
Phone: (724) 548-3222  
Fax: (724) 548-3714  
Email Address: [wjbuzzard@co.armstrong.pa.us](mailto:wjbuzzard@co.armstrong.pa.us)

Cambria County:  
Cambria County Board of Elections  
PO Box 269  
200 S. Center Street  
Ebensburg, PA 15931-1947  
Phone: (814) 472-1464  
Fax: (814) 472-9642  
Email Address: [frsmith@co.cambria.pa.us](mailto:frsmith@co.cambria.pa.us)

Fayette County:  
Fayette County Board of Elections  
Fayette County Public Service Building  
22 E. Main Street  
Uniontown, PA 15401-3412  
Phone: (724) 430-1289  
Fax: (724) 430-4948  
Email Address: [lblosser@fayettepa.org](mailto:lblosser@fayettepa.org)

Greene County:  
Greene County Board of Elections  
County Office Building  
93 E. High Street, Room 102  
Waynesburg, PA 15370-1839

Phone: (724) 852-5304  
Fax: (724) 852-5321  
Email Address: [fpratt@co.greene.pa.us](mailto:fpratt@co.greene.pa.us)

Indiana County:  
Indiana County Board of Elections  
825 Philadelphia Street  
Indiana, PA 15701-3934  
Phone: (724) 465-3852  
Fax: (724) 465-2935  
Email Address: [dstreams@countyofindiana.org](mailto:dstreams@countyofindiana.org)

Somerset County:  
Somerset County Board of Elections  
300 N. Center Avenue, Suite 510  
Somerset, PA 15501-1472  
Phone: (814) 445-1549  
Fax: (814) 445-7991  
Email Address: [voter@co.somerset.pa.us](mailto:voter@co.somerset.pa.us)

Washington County:  
Washington County Board of Elections  
100 W. Beau Street, Room 206  
Washington, PA 15301-4432  
Phone: (724) 228-6750  
Fax: (724) 250-6422  
Email Address: [spahrl@co.washington.pa.us](mailto:spahrl@co.washington.pa.us)

Westmoreland County:  
Westmoreland County Board of Elections  
2 N. Main Street, Suite 109  
Greensburg, PA 15601-2405  
Phone: (724) 830-3150  
Fax: (724) 830-3152  
Email Address: [jmontini@co.westmoreland.pa.us](mailto:jmontini@co.westmoreland.pa.us)

**For More Information:** For more information on voter registration, call the Department of State's toll-free hotline at 1-877-VOTESPA (1-877-868-3772), or visit [www.votespa.com](http://www.votespa.com) or visit FVAP at [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov).

**We Want Your Feedback!** If this document was helpful to you or if you ran into problems or have questions, please contact FVAP at 1-800-438-8683, DSN (312) 425-1584, or at [vote@fvap.ncr.gov](mailto:vote@fvap.ncr.gov). Toll-free phone numbers from 67 countries are listed at: [www.fvap.gov/contact/tollfreephone.html](http://www.fvap.gov/contact/tollfreephone.html). With your feedback, we can make this even more helpful for the next election.

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