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East Rockhill Township Supervisor Re-elected to Township Association's Executive Committee

EDITORS: A high-resolution photo of David Nyman is available at www.psats.org under "Newsroom" and then "PSATS Board & Staff Photos."

Members of the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors have re-elected David R. Nyman, a supervisor in East Rockhill Township in Bucks County, to a second three-year term on the association's Executive Committee.

The election took place during PSATS' 97th Annual Educational Conference and Exhibit Show, held April 14-17 in Hershey. This is the largest municipal event of its kind in the state, with close to 4,000 attendees. The conference attracted township officials from every county in Pennsylvania except Philadelphia, which has no townships.

The seven-member Executive Committee, the association's five officers, and the immediate past president make up the Executive Board, which is responsible for managing the affairs of the state association. The board meets frequently throughout the year to oversee association business and plan new projects that will benefit member townships.

The Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors represents Pennsylvania's 1,454 townships of the second class and is committed to preserving and strengthening township government and securing greater visibility and involvement for townships in the state and federal political arenas. Townships of the second class cover 95 percent of Pennsylvania's land mass and represent more residents — 5.5 million — than any other type of political subdivision in the commonwealth.

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Nyman is a member of the association's Grassroots Advocacy Network, which addresses legislative issues that affect every Pennsylvanian who lives in a township of the second class. He also is the board liaison to the association's Townships Between 5,000 and 10,000 Population Committee and is a workshop moderator during PSATS' Annual Educational Conference. He previously was a member of the Finance, Resolutions, Annual Conference Planning, and Townships Between 5,000 and 10,000 Population committees.

Nyman, a retired teacher, works as a municipal management consultant and is currently the manager in Upper Makefield Township. He also serves as the vice chairman of the East Rockhill Township Board of Supervisors and as secretary of the township planning commission. He previously served as the chairman of the board of supervisors, a member of the parks and recreation board, and a representative on the Pennridge Wastewater Authority. He is also a board member and past Resolutions Committee chair of the Bucks County Association of Township Officials and was a recipient of the county association's George Metzger Service Award.

Nyman serves on the Bucks County Planning Commission, the Bucks County Area Agency on Aging Board, and the Bucks County Transportation Management Association Board of Directors. He is a representative/facilitator on the Pennridge Area Coordinating Committee, a board member and past president of the Pennridge Chamber of Commerce, chair of the Pennridge Community Senior Center Advisory Board, and member of the Bucks County Association for Retired and Senior Citizens Board.

He is also a member of the Police Chiefs Association of Bucks County, the Newtown and Hay Creek Historical Societies, the National Education Association, and the Pennsylvania State Education Association. Previous affiliations include Route 113 Heritage Corridor Task Force, Pennridge School District Tax Study Commission, Bucks County Comprehensive Plan Committee, Pennridge Wastewater Treatment Authority Board, and Bucks County Historical Society.

He was previously treasurer of the Pennridge Republican Club, president of the Upper Bucks Soccer League, and a member of the board of directors of the Deep Run Valley Sports Association. He is a former youth baseball, basketball, and soccer coach and is the recipient of numerous service awards and citations. Nyman and his wife, Sandra, live in Perkasio.

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