



Bucks County Association of Township Officials

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Veterans Park, Plumstead Township, Bucks County, PA.

BCATO Broadcast May 2023

Bucks County Officials Attend PSATS Education Conference



Once again, the PSATS Educational Conference and Expo offered BCATO members the opportunity to attend workshops on a variety of topics impacting our municipalities such as Privatizing Municipal Water and Wastewater

Systems, and Fire and EMS Issues. Many of us were able to connect at the BCATO Suite for lunch and appreciated running into a friendly face navigating through the Hershey Lodge. Thanks again to PA Reps. Staats and Marcell for stopping by the Legislative Reception and a big shout out to our sponsors for their continuous support.

Legislative Update

Update: The Sterling Act

[SB 671](#), the **Commuter Tax Fairness Act to Keep Tax Dollars Local** introduced by Senator Frank Farry (PA-6) passed in the Senate. BCATO is very appreciative of Sen. Farry taking the lead on amending the Sterling Act and for the support of our Bucks County Senators Steve Santarierio and Jarrett Coleman.

Our Bucks County PA Representatives have introduced similar legislation in the house. Representative Marcell (PA-178) has introduced [HB 1148](#), The Sterling Act Reimbursement - Commuter Tax Fairness, and Representative Munroe has introduced [HB 1134](#), the Commuter Tax Reimbursement. Both bills have been referred to the PA House Finance Committee.

[BCATO 2023 Legislative Priorities](#)



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Save the Date BCATO Fall Event

Join us for **A Taste at the Tile Works** on Thurs., September 28, 2023, from 5:30-7 PM at the Tile Works of Bucks County, Doylestown, PA. Stay tuned for details. [Sponsorships](#) are still available.

Our 2023 Executive Board

Maggie Rash, President

Calling All Volunteers

The BCATO Executive Committee approved the roster of ad-hoc committees which include the addition of several new committees: Bylaws Committee, Emergency Services Committee, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Committee, and the Strategic Plan Committee. For a complete list of committees and volunteer opportunities visit [the BCATO website](#). If you are interested



Supervisor, Buckingham Township
Dave Nyman, 1st Vice President
 Supervisor, East Rockhill Township
Vince Deon, 2nd Vice President
 Tax Collector, NorthamptonTwp.
Dick Weaver, Treasurer
 Auditor, Newtown Township

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