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Commissioner Tyler Courtney appointed to PCoRP

Westmoreland County Commissioner Tyler Courtney has been appointed to the Pennsylvania Counties Risk Pool (PCoRP) Board of Directors. PCoRP is a program of the County Commissioners Association of Pennsylvania (CCAP), created in April 1987 to “provide property, liability, automobile and other related insurance coverage to Pennsylvania counties when the insurance industry made county insurances cost prohibitive. PCoRP provides counties with choice in their insurance pool, broad coverage catered to counties, price stability and efficient use of funds.

PCoRP is governed by a thirteen member Board of Directors, six elected by the participating counties through their Delegates and seven appointed by CCAP. The Board is responsible for setting policy and directing the operation of PCoRP. Commissioner Courtney was appointed by CCAP to fill the vacancy in the 2A and 3rd Class counties Representative position.

When asked about the position, Commissioner Courtney stated, “With Westmoreland County being a 3rd class county, the 8th largest in Pennsylvania, it is an honor and privilege to represent our county as well as others in the 2nd and 3rd class categories. It will be my intention to communicate the needs and concerns of our category counties as we continually seek more ways to cover our risk exposure.”

Commissioner Courtney also serves as the Vice Chair to the Energy, Environment and Land Use Committee (EE&L) of the County Commissioners Association of Pennsylvania (CCAP) which sets the direction for determining the energy policies for all 67 counties in Pennsylvania and communicates that stance to the state. He also a member of 2 other Ad Hoc Committees for CCAP; the Turnpike Properties Committee which discusses evolving issues regarding turnpike operations in counties impacted by Turnpike operations and the Natural Gas Task Force Committee which discusses recent developments in the industry and how local governments are dealing with them.