



Suggested Speaker and Topics for CBA Meetings

State Agencies

PA Department of Agriculture – www.agriculture.pa.gov

- Avian/Bird Flu
- Dog Law Enforcement and Licensing
- Food Establishment Inspections
- Parking Meters
- Spotted Lanternfly

PA Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) – www.dep.pa.gov

- Water/Wastewater Management
- Stormwater Management/MS4 Compliance
- Environmental Cleanup
- Air Quality
- Lead and Drinking Water
- LED Lighting (Geoff Bristow)

PA Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) – www.dcnr.pa.gov

- Trails
- Grants/Loans
- Tourism
- Growing Greener
- Statewide Outdoor Recreation Plan
- Stormwater Management

PA Department of General Services (DGS) – www.dgs.pa.gov

- COSTARS

PA Department of Transportation (PENNDOT) – www.penndot.gov

- Act 89 Transportation Plan
- Grants and Loans
- Winter Maintenance
- Autonomous Vehicles
- PennDOT Connects
- Street Paving
- Bridge Maintenance

PA Insurance Department – www.insurance.pa.gov

- Private Flood Insurance Availability

PA Rural Development Council

- Rural Issues – (Mark Critz, Executive Director of the Rural Development Council)

A State Ethics Commission – www.ethics.pa.gov

- Ethics Act

PA Office of Open Records – www.openrecords.pa.gov

- Sunshine Law
- Open Records Law

PA Human Relations Commission (PHRC) – www.phrc.pa.gov

- Fair Housing
- Group Homes
- Zoning Issues
- Discrimination

PA Historical and Museum Commission (PHMC) – www.phmc.pa.gov

- Maintaining Electronic Records/Records Management
- Historic Preservation
- Planning
- Ordinances
- Historic Designations

PA Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED) & Governor's Center for Local Government Services – www.dced.pa.gov

- Grant and Loan Programs
- Intergovernmental Cooperation
- Municipal Administration

Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency (PEMA) – www.pema.pa.gov

- Disaster Planning
- Emergency Preparedness
- NIMS Compliance
- Role of an Emergency Management Coordinator

PA Office of State Fire Commissioner – www.osfc.pa.gov

- Grants and Loans
- Sprinkler Systems
- Volunteer Fire and Emergency Services

PA Department of Labor and Industry – www.dli.pa.gov

- Unemployment Compensation
- Workers' Compensation
- Act 46 – PA Firefighter Cancer Presumption Law

PA Department of Revenue – www.revenue.pa.gov

- Tax Issues
- Utility Rates

PennVEST – www.pennvest.pa.gov

- Sewer/Water Grants and Loans

PA Department of Health – www.health.pa.gov

- Prescription Drug Monitoring Program
- Walk Works Program

Other Opportunities

Local Companies in Your Community

- Engineering Companies – Stormwater, Planning, Survey, Traffic Planning
- Law Firms – Labor and employment issues; social media (Gina Rubel, Esq., Founder and CEO of Gina Rubel Communications, speaks on social media strategies and ethics.)

County Officials

- County Commissioners
- District Attorneys
- Emergency Management Officials
- Redevelopment Authorities

Fair Districts PA – www.fairdistrictspa.org

- Redistricting

Ambulance Association of PA – www.aa-pa.org

- Ambulance & EMS

PA Downtown Center – www.padowntown.org

- Main and Elm Street Programs
- Nature-Based Placemaking

Pennsylvania Association of Conservation Districts – www.pacd.org

- Dirt, Gravel, and Low Volume Roads Program
- Watersheds

Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful – www.keppabeautiful.org

- Camera Loan Surveillance Program
- Illegal Dumping
- Recycling Initiatives

Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs (PSAB) – www.boroughs.org

- Open Records
- Borough Code
- Legislative Updates
- Navigating PSAB's website
- Advocacy & Resolutions
 - ✓ Writing Resolutions
 - ✓ Engagement with your legislators
- PSAB Group Programs
 - ✓ Unemployment Compensation Program
 - ✓ Municipal Retirement Trust
 - ✓ ACA/Healthcare, Workers' Compensation, Special Events Insurance, Return to Work Programs, (Keystone)
 - ✓ Energy procurement (APPI Energy)
 - ✓ Credit Card Processing or Investments (PLGIT)

PSAB also works with many other business partners who may be able to provide you with a speaker for your meeting.

Please contact Jeff Heishman, PSAB Deputy Executive Director, at jheishman@boroughs.org for more information or to request a speaker from PSAB.