

LAPP Bulletin

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Subject: PA Governor Candidates – Economy Platforms

Context: Understanding the candidates' platforms on the economy is helpful in preparing for the November general election. This information was gleaned from the candidates' websites.

Summary:

Mastriano:

- 1. Expand natural gas extraction efforts in the Marcellus shale region
- 2. Withdraw from the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative, a consortium of 11 states that aims to cap and reduce carbon dioxide emissions from the power sector.
- 3. Lift regulations, taxes, and fees that impact drilling and mining for fossil fuels.
- 4. Reduce regulations that are hurting the state economy.

Shapiro:

- 1. Create hubs that connect businesses, universities, and research institutions as a way to create jobs.
- 2. Expand Manufacturing PA Initiative train a skilled workforce by embedding students with local manufacturers and provide technical support to PA Manufacturers.
- 3. Cut corporate tax rate to 4% by 2025.
- 4. Aggressively push to make PA the home of a new regional hydrogen hub and grow carbon capture, utilization, and storage industry.

What You Can Do:

- 1. Continue to follow the PA Governor race on education and other issues
- 2. Make sure your Pennsylvania family, friends, and neighbors VOTE!

For More Information on This Issue:

- 1. https://joshshapiro.org
- 2. http://www.doug4gov.com/
- https://edvoterspa.org/