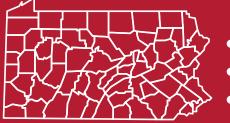
# FOUR FACTS ABOUT ELECTION ADMINISTRATION

## THE LAW

The Pennsylvania Election Code requires each of Pennsylvania's 67 COUNTY GOVERNMENTS to manage all aspects of elections at the local level.



#### **ROLE OF COUNTY GOVERNMENTS GOVERNMENTS** COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ARE REQUIRED TO: • Accept and verify new and changed voter registration applications.



- Conduct elections.
- Find and train poll workers.
- Locate polling places and process absentee and mail-in ballots.
- Verify and report election results.
- Fund primary, general, and special elections.

## ROLE OF PA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

PENNSYLVANIA'S GENERAL ASSEMBLY (PA Legislature of House Representatives and the Senate) sets election policy and defines Pennsylvania's electoral process through law including amendments to the law – as the Pennsylvania Election Code.





### ROLE OF PA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Pennsylvania's DEPARTMENT OF STATE further promotes the integrity and uniformity of the Commonwealth's election process by issuing guidance for COUNTY GOVERNMENTS.



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