



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
HARRISBURG

THE GOVERNOR

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Mr. Ken Brandt
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Dear Ken:

Congratulations on your election as an Alternate Delegate to the 1980 Republican National Convention. The willingness of people such as you to get actively involved in our political process is gratifying to me and fundamental to the survival of our system.

The nomination of our party's candidate for President will certainly be the most important matter we undertake in Detroit. There may, however, be other matters that arise at or before the convention concerning which a unified delegation could help to produce a result in the best interests of Pennsylvania.

I refer, for example, to possible platform questions on issues of concern to Pennsylvanians or Pennsylvania Republicans generally. If and as our delegation identifies any such matters, I will attempt to advocate any consensus positions on them as forcefully and effectively as I can.

My office has been working with the State Committee and National Committee to insure the best possible physical accommodations for the delegation. I would welcome any views that you might have on the convention and the conduct of our delegation at any time. I have asked Maria Keating of my office to serve as a liaison with the delegates to facilitate the process of communication on any question or input you may have. I am looking forward to meeting with you and the other delegates in the near future, and to working with you in Detroit and afterward in returning the White House to Republican hands.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dick Thornburgh", written over the typed name and title.

Dick Thornburgh
Governor