

6/13/03 Gov. Rendell

I. MAYOR EASMAN, THANK YOU FOR VERY CLEAR AND LUCIDE  
OUTLINE OF GOV'S PLAN

II. DEM POLICY COMM

A. INDORSED BY BUSINESS COMMUNITY

B. SPARK THAT'S NEEDED TO JUMPSTART THE ECONOMY

C. IT'S THE RIGHT PLAN ~~AND~~ THE RIGHT TIME LEAD BY THE RIGHT  
MAN

D. KNOWS THE DETAILS OF NOT HIS PLAN BUT *-Knows what impact*

1. SW ECON DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE—SAT THERE ALL DAY  
9:00-3:00 *Wednesday*

2. GROWTH ALLIANCE—STAFF LIMITED TIME 1 HOUR--  
PRESENTATION

III. IT WONDERFUL TO HAVE HIS EXCELLENCY BACK IN SW PA

A. HAS A SCHEDULE THAT REQUIRES A SUPER HUMAN EFFORT

B. IN WASH WED-US AIR—TOLD THEM TO GET THEIR HEAD OUT OF  
THE CLOUDS

C. IN ALLEGHENY COUNTY —PENN HILLS, OAKMONT, MONESSEN  
GBG

D. MUST KEEP IN SHAPE WITH SOME SORT OF FITNESS PROGRAM —  
BUT DO WHAT MY GRANDMOTHER DID AT THE AGE OF 60  
DECIDED TO WALK FIVE MILES A DAY AND SHE'S 97 NOW—BUT  
WE DON'T KNOW WHERE THE HELL SHE IS

IV. REGARDLESS OF HOW YOU DO IT THE MOST ACCESSIBLE  
GOVERNOR —HISTORY OF COMMONWEALTH

A. WILL GO ANYWHERE ANY TIME

B. HE'S EVERYWHERE—*d*LEARNED FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

1. DAY AFTER SUPER BOWL—DA PITS

2. BUT TAKEN THE TIME TO MEET WITH EVERY DELEGATION

*Everyone  
agrees*

*Not only*

*Endurance  
at a moment*

*Down-to-Earth  
Not thrilled  
with trapping*

- C. BUT I'M TELLING YOU GUYS SOMETHING YOU DON'T ALREADY KNOW
  - 1. FIREMEN OF WEST. COUNTY—KNOWS YOU BETTER THAN MAYBE YOUR OWN WIVES
  - 2. HERE TIME AND TIME AGAIN AND HE'S ONLY BEEN IN OFFICE SIX MONTHS
  
- V. BUT I THINK IT WAS HERE THAT HE STARTED TO FORMULATE WHAT NEEDED TO BE DONE FOR THE VOL/FF COMMUNITY
  - A. HE HEARD YOU AND YOUR NEEDS
  - B. MADE YOUR DIFFICULTIES HIS FIRST PRIORITY IN TERMS OF POLICY AND FUNDING
  
- VI. KIND OF GUY HE IS—PROACTIVE, A DOER, VISIONARY
  - A. WHETHER IT'S FIREFIGHTING ISSUES
  - B. PROPERTY TAX REFORM
  - C. EDUCATION REFORM
  - D. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
  - E. HEALTH CARE
  
- VII. HES THERE WITH HIS ENERGY, HIS INTELLECT, HIS TENACITY, HIS CAN-DO SPIRIT AND HIS HEART
  
- VIII. WHAT IMPRESSES ME THE MOST—HE REALLY CARE ABOUT YOU INDIVIDUALLY AND COLLECTIVELY AS CITIZENS OF THIS STATE—
- IX. LADIES AND GENTLEMENT IT IS MY PLEASURE TO INTRODUCE TO YOU, WHOSE UNBRIDLED ENTHUSIASIUM IS ONLY SURPASSED BY HIS LIMITLESS ENERGY, THE 45<sup>TH</sup> A GOVERNOR THE COMMONWEALTH—EDWARD G. RENDELL