



B E R K S C O U N T Y  
**GETTYSBURG MONUMENTS**  
*project*

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May 26, 1999

The Honorable Paul W. Semmel  
 47 East Wing

Dear Paul:

This is to inform you of our progress in raising funds for the restoration and endowment of the 13 Berks County Regimental Monuments in Gettysburg. As of today, we received 42 responses with donations totaling \$ 6,239.55. This money was received from the following sources:

\$ 2,000.00	Corporate Donations
100.00	Berks Chapter - PSEA Retired Teachers
100.00	Brandywine Heights Education Association
2,044.55	Berks County Education Association
100.00	Hamburg Area Education Association
100.00	Exiter Township Education Association
<u>\$ 2,444.55</u>	Total Received for the 151 <sup>st</sup> Teachers Monument
\$ 300.00	Gov. Mifflin Intermediate School (Senator O'Pake)
<u>\$ 1,495.00</u>	Misc. Individual Donations (Legislative Districts)
\$ 6,239.55	Total Donations Received

BREAK DOWN BY BERKS MEMBER/DISTRICT:

Representative Caltagirone:	\$ 5,749.55
Representative Santoni:	75.00
Representative Miller:	10.00
Representative Rhorer:	100.00
Senator O'Pake	<u>300.00</u>
	\$ 6,239.55

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If you need help raising money in your districts, please feel free to contact Dan De Lash, in my Harrisburg Office at 787-3525. We are willing to assist you in any way necessary to achieve our goal. We should all agree to meet on Tuesday, June 8, 1999 to formulate a game plan to raise these funds. Please contact Dan to confirm a time and place.

Sincerely,



Tom Caltagirone  
127<sup>th</sup> Legislative District

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February 9, 1999

Dr. K. Robert Hohl, Executive Director  
Berks County Intermediate Unit  
P.O. Box 16050  
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Dear Bob:


We are writing to request the assistance of the Berks County Intermediate Unit in disseminating information to the eighteen school districts and, if possible, the non-public schools you also serve. The information enclosed with this letter pertains to a project which we are supporting, to raise funds to preserve the monuments at the Gettysburg National Park which commemorate the valiant efforts of Berks County veterans.


An elementary class in the Wilson School District has raised some funds to put toward this effort. We are hoping their example may stimulate other schools to make a similar contribution. We are pleased that the Berks County Community Foundation has agreed to match the school students' donations which will be put toward restoration and maintenance. It is estimated that \$6,000 is needed for this purpose. Additional funds will be used to create an endowment for the preservation program. We hope this will serve as an added incentive for schools who wish to participate in preserving the symbols which mark Berks County's and Pennsylvania's role in this historic battle.

Please contact any of the members of the Berks County delegation if you have any questions on the materials you are receiving with this letter. We greatly appreciate your willingness to assist us in this effort.

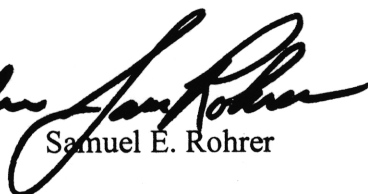
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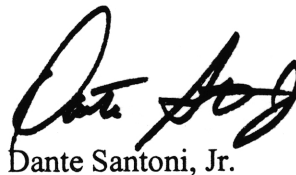
  
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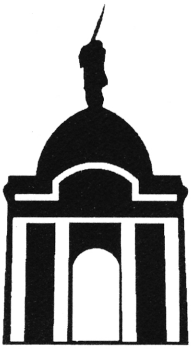
  
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February 3, 1999

The Honorable Paul W. Semmel  
47 East Wing

Dear Paul:

This is to inform you that Mr. Dan De Lash, of my Harrisburg Office, is coordinating all donations made to the Berks County Gettysburg Monuments Project. As you know, the purpose of this project is to assure that all donations received from the residents of Berks County will be used to restore the twelve Berks County Regiment's Monuments in the Gettysburg Battlefield Cemetery.

As Project Coordinator, Dan is working closely with Harry Readshaw on the Pennsylvania Monuments at Gettysburg Project and will be responsible for the following:

Documenting and keeping records of all of the Berks County donations received in the District and Harrisburg Offices of the Berks Delegation.

All thank you letters from you to your constituents.

Updates on our progress raising money for this project that you will be able to use in your weekly news letters as well as your web sites.

Therefore, I am requesting that you forward all donations received by you to Dan, in 106 South Office Building, so he can record the checks and forward them to Harry Readshaw. Also, I would like to hold a meeting with the Delegation to introduce you all to Dan and to answer any questions you might have about this arrangement. We will be contacting you within a couple of days to arrange a day and time we can all meet. Your support of this project is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Thomas R. Caltagirone  
127<sup>th</sup> Legislative District