**From the Desk of State Rep. Marguerite Quinn**

*State Representative, 143rd Legislative District*

**Preparing for Unpredictable Weather**

Don't be caught off guard by the unpredictability of dangerous weather. Know the risks and take action to protect yourself, your family and your property. **The time to prepare is now.** Gather supplies for your emergency supply kit, make a plan, buy or check your generator, be ready to strengthen your home against storm damage and review your insurance coverage, including sump pump and flood insurance!

The following sites are resources for you to keep in mind when preparing for emergency weather situations:

* Federal Emergency Management Agency’s (FEMA): [www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov)
* PA Emergency Management Agency’s (PEMA): [www.readypa.org/portal/server.pt/community/readypa/21271](http://www.readypa.org/portal/server.pt/community/readypa/21271)

If you or someone you know is oxygen dependent, or has a health condition that would require special attention should an extended loss of power occur, please contact your Township emergency coordinator so he/she is aware of your situation.

**State Services**

As your state representative, there are many ways my office can be of assistance. My staff and I pledge to do anything we can to help make your state government more accessible and helpful to you.

* State tax forms.
* Status and Copies of PA House Bills and State Laws.
* Driver’s license and vehicle registration applications and renewals.
* Assistance with PennDOT paperwork (lost cards, changes, corrections, registration plates, placards, vanity plates).
* Assistance with Unemployment Compensation issues.
* Assistance with PA Department of Public Welfare programs
* Applications for Birth and Death Certificates.
* Property Tax and Rent Rebate applications.
* Voter registration forms and absentee ballot applications.
* House Citations and Certificates of Recognition to commemorate 50th anniversaries, 100th birthdays, special achievements like Eagle Scout or Girl Scout Gold awards, or other important occasions

Please feel free to stop by my office, call me at 215-489-2126, email me via mquinn@pahousegop.com or visit me at RepQuinn.net or Facebook.com/RepQuinn if I can ever be of assistance. You can also sign up on my website to receive my email updates. As always, I am here to serve my constituents the best that I can and I welcome your communications