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Community Action Lehigh Valley is one of the largest and most dynamic nonprofit organizations in the Lehigh Valley! With a dedicated team of over 100 employees, we provide a wide range of programs and services, including housing, small business support, food access, youth programming, and more. There's always something exciting happening here! Plus, it's incredibly rewarding to see your hard work make a direct impact on the community. Check out our open positions to see if there's a fit for you, or feel free to share with a friend who may qualify.

Current Employment Opportunities:

Community Action Lehigh Valley (Administration): Bethlehem

- -Executive Assistant
- -Deputy Executive Director for Finance & Administration
- -Digital Media Coordinator, part-time (application opening soon!)

Second Harvest Food Bank: Nazareth

- -Associate Executive Director
- -Community Programs Coordinator
- -Transportation Dispatcher

Go Here To Apply https://www.communityactionly.org/careers

Community Action covers a majority of health care costs by offering:

Comprehensive medical, dental, vision, and prescription plans Free telemedicine access to board-certified doctors and mental health professionals

No-cost concierge services to support you in navigating the healthcare sys-

Agency-paid life insurance and long-term disability insurance Voluntary life insurance and short-term disability insurance options 401(k) retirement plan with up to 7% matching annual agency contribution

Additional work perks and benefits include:

We're currently piloting a 36-hour work week! Employee discounts

Agency wellness program

Financial wellness education and resources

Flexible scheduling, work from home options for many positions

HRA that helps pay your deductible

Generous paid leave time:

Vacation - 15 days (Earn more time after 2nd and 5th year anniversaries!) Personal - 1 day annually to use at your leisure

Sick Time - 9 days annually

Holidays - 10 observed annually



Governor to Give Budget Address on Tuesday

By Rep. Joe Emrick

Gov. Josh Shapiro will deliver his 2025-26 state budget address this Tuesday, Feb. 4, before a joint session of the General Assembly.

It's important to remember the governor's address is only a starting point for the budget process. After reviewing the budget, the House Appropriations Committee will hold three weeks of public hearings to review the budget line by line with agency leaders. This will be the first opportunity for House Republicans to provide feedback and develop a fiscally responsible plan. At the conclusion of the budget hear-



ings the House will return to session and begin the work of crafting a budget for the new fiscal year, which begins July 1.

As always, Tuesday's House session will stream live at www.PAHouseGOP.com.

Is PA Money Match Heading Your Way?

By Rep. Joe Emrick

The Pennsylvania Treasury Department is sending the first batch of PA Money Match letters this week, so keep an eye on your mailboxes to see if you'll be receiving some unclaimed property!

PA Money Match is a new law, which passed the General Assembly unanimously last year with my support, allowing Treasury to automatically return certain unclaimed property. Eligible properties must be valued at \$500 or less and belong to a single owner. Those with eligible properties will receive a letter in the mail to confirm their address, then about 45 days later they'll receive a check for their property.



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Treasurer Stacy Garrity said the first round of PA Money Match has the potential to return over \$2 million to more than 8,000 Pennsylvanians.

In total, PA Treasury is working to return more than \$4.5 billion in unclaimed property. This money includes things like dormant bank accounts, uncashed checks, rebates, insurance payments and more.

Keystone Contractors Association Scholarship Program Accepting Applications

By Rep. Joe Emrick

The Keystone Contractors Association Scholarship Program is committed to providing \$40,000 in scholarships annually to Pennsylvania residents who are attending Pennsylvania colleges and seeking construction-related degrees.

This scholarship program is open to graduating high school seniors as well as current college students who plan to work in the construction industry.

The deadline to apply for this year's scholarship pro-

gram is March 1. For more information, click here https://links.pahousenews.com/q/ Z08FFz63to0XEswMLWyR_PdifwJZocn7ntiZcOJYnZ0aW1lc0ByY24uY29tw4gAeoDB JjNc4qgL3UxTcgI0yQXuAw.