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unexpectedly on Jan. 2, 2021," Emrick added. "He will be missed deeply by all of us in the General Assembly. I offer my deepest condolences to his wife and children." Emrick will also serve as a House deputy whip and sits on the House Consumer Affairs, Local Government, Professional Licensure and Tourism and Recreational Development committees during the current session. Questions about this or any legislative issue should be directed to Emrick's district office at (610) 588-8011 or (610) 746-5090.

Flood

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COVID-19 pandemic. State representatives took the oath of office in smaller groups, rather than all at the same time.

With the pandemic continuing to negatively affect the health, safety and economic security of many Pennsylvanians, Flood said her top priority is to work on policies that will protect residents while also enabling them to earn a living.

"I've been inspired by some of the acts of compassion and generosity that I've seen Pennsylvanians perform for one

another during this pandemic," Flood said.

Flood is committed to fighting for fair and adequate funding for local schools, colleges, universities, trade programs and other educational institutions in an effort to ensure every student has the best opportunity to learn and succeed.

She also is focused on adopting policies aimed at controlling the cost of health care to make it more affordable, while also expanding access to mental health services.

Prior to joining the state Legislature, Flood built from the ground up a foundation to enhance the quality of life for brain-injured children and offer support for their families. Ann started Lauren's Hope Foundation in 2008 in memory of her daughter, Lauren, who was only four years old when she passed away in 2007 as the result of a brain injury sustained at birth.

Flood's prior experience isn't confined solely to health issues. She has also been active in promoting the economic health of the region by serving as the president of the board of directors of the Greater Bath Area Chamber of Commerce since 2017. Additionally, she serves on the board of governors for the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce.

More information about Flood is available on her website at www.RepAnnFlood.com or by following her on Facebook at www.Facebook.com/RepAnnFlood.

Picture The Beauty Of Water In Winter

By BWA

STROUDSBURG - Need a reason to get outdoors and appreciate winter's beauty? Exercise your natural creativity in Brodhead Watershed Association's "Water in Winter" photo contest!

Photographers are invited to submit beautiful images depicting water in winter – frozen waterfalls, ice formations, winter fishing and more. There are countless possibilities when the weather is right, so bundle up, get outside, and get creative! All submitted photos will have a chance to be featured in BWA's Get Outdoors Poconos campaign, across BWA's social media and on BWA's website

with proper credit given to the photographer.

All ages and families are encouraged to participate.

Please send no more than ONE photo submission to info@brodheadwatershed.org.

Submission guidelines:

1. All submission emails must include the location of photo, other detail (such as trail name, waterfall name, etc.) and date taken.

2. All submission emails must include photographer's first name, last name, and email.

3. Please attach no more than ONE eligible photograph to your email.

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