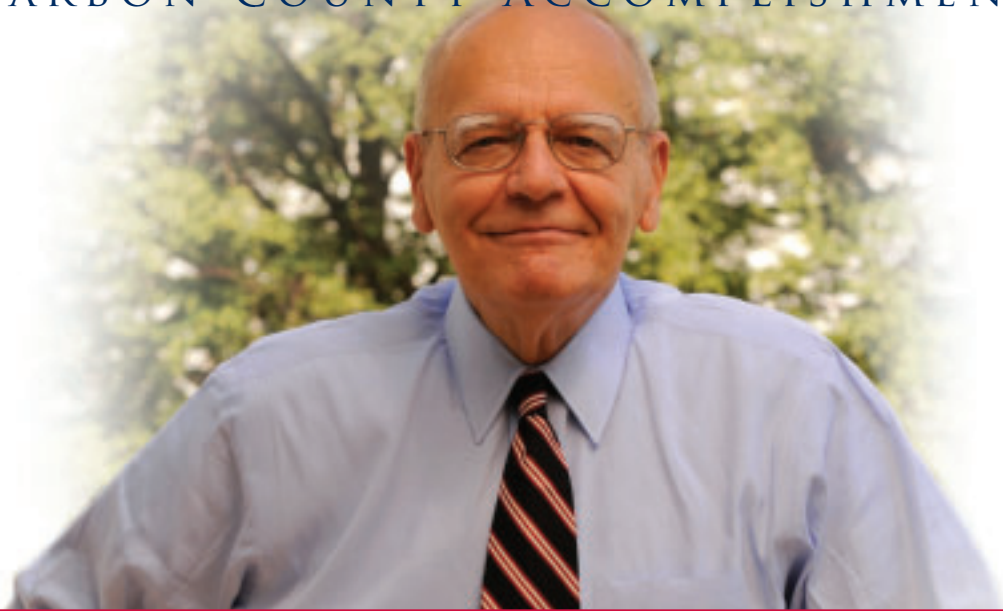


CONGRESSMAN
KANJORSKI
CARBON COUNTY ACCOMPLISHMENTS



Just about everywhere you look in Carbon County, you can see the work of Congressman Paul Kanjorski. His dedication to the hardest working people in America has made our communities healthier, safer and more prosperous.

MAKING CARBON COUNTY ROADS BETTER & FAMILIES SAFER

When the roads in Carbon County needed important improvements, Congressman Kanjorski went to work. His efforts brought needed help to the county, on projects like:

- Replacing The Jim Thorpe Bridge, for which the Congressman secured \$500,000 between 2003 and 2005.
- Relocating the road above The Francis E. Walter Dam Project, which eliminated the safety hazard associated with the frequent flooding experienced at the current public access road running along the base of the dam. Congressman Kanjorski successfully secured the funding necessary for this project.
- Brokering an agreement between the Borough of Palmerton and private entities so the U.S. Army Corp. of Engineers would initiate a \$5 million flood control project along the Aquashicola Creek. This work protects the Borough from the frequent flooding which plagued that community for years.

Because of Congressman Kanjorski's efforts, thousands of Carbon County families are now alerted about potential safety threats in their community. He helped secure a \$1.25 million grant from the U.S. Department of Justice launching PA SAVIN in Carbon County. PA SAVIN is a 24/7 system that allows victims to receive notification when the status of an incarcerated offender changes.



CREATING NEW ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Congressman Kanjorski has secured valuable federal investment for projects throughout the county. Many of these projects are already creating jobs. His successes include:

- Bringing \$150,000 for economic development activities, such as the Packerton Yards Industrial Park. Congressman Kanjorski also helped secure more than \$750,000 in Community Development Block Grant funds in 2004.
- Getting \$800,000 for the design, engineering and construction of the widening of Pennsylvania Rt. 443. Widening the Route in Lehigh and Mahoning Township supports the economic expansion in the business hub.
- Obtaining \$40,000 from the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Rural Development Office, which goes to local businesses for planning and creating projects that preserve quality jobs while promoting a clean rural environment.
- Another \$76,000 in grants and loans from the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Rural Development Office, this for the construction of libraries, childcare, hospitals, community centers, public building and transportation facilities.



Other priorities for Congressman Kanjorski in the next Congress include:

- Approving actions to get America's economy working again;
- Creating a comprehensive energy plan including developing affordable, alternative energy;
- Expanding American production of oil and gas to reduce gas prices and free us from dependence on foreign oil;
- Making college affordable for all Americans;
- Giving more families an opportunity to fulfill the American dream and own a home; and
- Helping families facing foreclosure stay in their homes by providing needed assistance and counseling to homeowners.

Compare the Congressman's accomplishments to the record of Hazleton Mayor Lou Barletta.

- Barletta sided with President George W. Bush on wanting to privatize Social Security, leaving our seniors' retirement at risk. Congressman Kanjorski wants to protect Social Security and make sure it is there to help future generations as well.
- Barletta was George W. Bush's campaign manager in Northeastern Pennsylvania in 2004.
- Barletta improperly transferred over \$1.5 million out of the city's pension fund.
- Again siding with Bush, Barletta opposes health care for all Americans. Congressman Kanjorski supports health insurance for all Americans.

There are serious issues facing Pennsylvania today and only one candidate has plans to address all of those issues. He is the same candidate with a record of addressing the concerns and problems facing Northeastern Pennsylvania – **Paul Kanjorski**.

Bottom line – Lou Barletta creates problems, Paul Kanjorski solves them.