BERKS COUNTY, Pa. Commission Chair Leinbach elected to NACo’s Executive Committee

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Christian Leinbach, commission chair, Berks County, Pa., recently was elected to serve as Northeast Region Representative for the National Association of Counties (NACo). The Northeast Region includes Delaware, Washington, D.C., Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

Regional representatives are members of NACo’s Executive Committee, which is a committee of the Board of Directors. The regional representatives are responsible for providing input to the NACo president and other officers with respect to policy and business of their regions. They maintain close contact with counties in their regions, keep member counties informed of association activities and assist with membership recruitment and retention.

Regional representatives serve two-year terms. Election of the representatives takes place during regional caucuses during NACo’s Annual Conference each summer. However, Leinbach’s election came during NACo’s 2014 Legislative Conference, March 1-5, in Washington, D.C., to fill a vacancy in the position.

“It is an honor to be elected to represent counties from Northeastern states and serve on NACo’s Executive Committee,” Leinbach said.

Leinbach has been active in NACo since 2011. He is a member of the Board of Directors and vice chair of the Transit subcommittee of the Transportation Steering Committee.

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