Welcome To PACOG

The Pennsylvania Association of Councils of Governments (PACOG) is a voluntary organization of Councils of Governments (COGs) created to foster a cooperative effort in the solution of common municipal problems.

The Association strives to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas, to ensure effective communication, to facilitate agreements and cooperative actions, to improve efficiency and service of joint efforts, to provide technical aid and services to member COGs and to promote legislation for the advancement of local governments.

A primary role of PACOG is to empower and encourage municipal cooperation, communication and collaboration. By working together to solve multi-jurisdictional problems, communities can achieve more effective and efficient government and save taxpayers’ money.

PACOG’s mission is to improve and strengthen intergovernmental cooperation in Pennsylvania. We advocate for voluntary partnerships and sharing of knowledge and resources to better serve the needs of all communities. We also seek to assure that each and every municipal entity retains its own identity.

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Marnie O’Dea Palmer, Secretary    Charles Wrobel, Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Clarks Green, Clarks Summit, Dalton and Factoryville.

  Townships of Abington, Benton, Glenburn, Ransom and South Abington.

Total Member Population: 43,000

COG Meetings Held:
First Thursday of month at 7:30 p.m. at Clarks Green Borough Building

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Stormwater & Flood Control
✓ Multi Municipal Planning, Eleven Municipalities
✓ Shared Municipal Services - Police + Refuse Collection
✓ Marcellus Shale Gas Drilling (Risk to our health, pollution/H2O and air)
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Officers:
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Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Abbottstown, Arendtsville, Biglerville, Carroll Valley, East Berlin, Fairfield, Gettysburg, Littlestown and York Springs.


School Districts of Bermudian Springs, Conewago Valley, Fairfield Area, Gettysburg Area, Littlestown Area and Upper Adams.

Adams County

Total Member Population: 77,675

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the 4th Thursday of the month, except the 3rd Thursday of November and December at the Adam’s County Emergency Services Building.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Communication and Information Resource
✓ Joint Line Painting
✓ Volunteer Fire Department Funding Research
✓ Broad Band Communications Research
✓ Active Legislative Committee
Back Mountain Community Partnership
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Municipal Members:
Borough of Dallas

Townships of Dallas, Franklin, Jackson, Kingston, Lehman

Total Member Population: 28,251

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the 3rd Thursday of the month, except July and August at the Misericordia University, Dallas, PA.
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Officers:  
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Mario Leone, Treasurer/Secretary  John Booher, Jr., Alternate  
Robert Callen, Director  Larry Googins, Immediate Past President

Municipal Members:  
Boroughs of Ambridge, Beaver, Big Beaver, Bridgewater, Conway, Eastvale, Economy, Fallston, Freedom, Industry, Midland, Monaca, New Brighton, Ohioville, Patterson Heights, Rochester, South Heights and West Mayfield.

Townships of Brighton, Center, Chippewa, Darlington, Daugherty, Franklin, Greene, Hanover, Harmony, Hopewell, Independence, Marion, New Sewickley, North Sewickley, Patterson, Potter, Pulaski, Raccoon, Rochester, South Beaver, Vanport and White. School Districts of Beaver Area.

County of Beaver.

Total Member Population: 152,000

COG Meetings Held:  
Meetings are held on the fourth Thursday of each month except November and December which are combined and meet on the first Thursday of December.

Secretary/Managers Meetings:  
Meetings are generally held every other month as determined by the members.

Present or On-Going Projects:  
✓ Joint Commodity Bidding and Contracts  
✓ Communication with County, State and U.S. Legislators  
✓ Municipal Training  
✓ Planning joint BOCA Code Enforcement and Recycling Program  
✓ Distribution of General Information to Municipalities  
✓ Resource Library  
✓ Researching Shared Services & Equipment  
✓ Grant Research, Assistance and Writing  
✓ Exploring Joint UCC Appeals Board  
✓ Equipment Sharing  
✓ Regional Police Services Analysis
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Officers:
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Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Chalfont, Doylestown, Dublin, Langhorne, Morrisville, New Britain, New Hope, Newtown, Perkasie, Pendel, Quakertown, Telford and Yardley.


Authorities of Bucks County Water & Sewer, Chalfont-New Britain Twp. Joint Sewage, Lower Bucks County Joint Municipal Authority, Newtown-Bucks County Joint Municipal Authority, Upper Southampton Water and Sewer Authorities and Warminster Municipal Authority.

Total Member Population: Approximately 600,000

Present or On-Going Projects:
✔ Drug and Alcohol Testing
✔ Training
✔ Joint Purchasing
✔ CDL Training & Licensing
✔ Salary Survey
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Officers:
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Jeffrey W. Smith, Executive Director
Scott Fodi, Treasurer
Jason Dailey, Secretary

Municipal Members:

Townships of Buffalo, Butler, Clay, Clinton, Connoquenessing, Cranberry, Forward, Jackson, Lancaster, Middlesex, Muddy Creek, Parker, Penn, Summit and Winfield.

City of Butler.

Breakneck Creek Authority, Evans City Borough Municipal Authority, Harmony Borough Water Authority, Municipal Authority of Buffalo Township, Saxonburg Area Authority, Slippery Rock Municipal Water and Sewer Authority, Western Butler County Sewer Authority and Zelienople Airport Authority. Butler Area School District, Mars Area School District and Seneca Valley School District.

Total Member Population: 136,500

COG Meetings Held: 7:00 P.M. on the second Thursday of the month at the Penn Township Municipal Building, 157 East Airport Road, Butler, PA 16002

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Crack Sealing Machine - Fully scheduled first year of member participation
✓ COG Committee for EIT Start-up - Facilitated successful launch with collector selected in July 2010
✓ Street Signs - Reflectivity equipment and sign replacement guidance
✓ Participation - South Hills Area COG Purchasing Alliance
✓ Police Chiefs Forum - Law enforcement challenges
✓ COG Care
✓ Standardized Cable Franchise Agreement
✓ Municipal Intern Program
Cambria-Somerset COG/Codes Agency
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Officers:
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Edward Kline, Chief Code Official

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Brownstown, Central City, Cresson, Dale, East Conemaugh, Franklin, Geistown, Lorain, Northern Cambria, Paint, Patton, Portage, and South Fork.

Townships of Jenner, Lower Yoder, Reade, Richland, Stonycreek, Upper Yoder, and West Taylor.

City of Johnstown.

Total Member Population: 120,055

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings held Quarterly

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Cooperative Municipal Bidding for Supplies
✓ Shared Code Enforcement Program
✓ Regional Zoning Enforcement in three municipalities
✓ Drug & Alcohol Testing Pool for Municipal Drivers possessing CDL Drivers’ Licenses
Capital Region COG  
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Mechanicsburg, PA  17055-3097
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Officers:  
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Frances Myers, Administrative Assistant     

Municipal Members:  
Boroughs of Camp Hill, Carlisle, Dauphin, Dillsburg, Goldsboro, Highspire, Hummelstown, Lemoyne, Marysville, Mechanicsburg, Middletown, New Cumberland, Paxtang, Penbrook, Royalton, Shiremanstown, Steelton, and Wormleysburg.  

Townships of Carroll, Conewago, Derry, East Hanover, East Pennsboro, Fairview, Hampden, Londonderry, Lower Allen, Lower Paxton, Lower Swatara, Middle Paxton, Monaghan, North Middleton, Rye, Silver Spring, South Hanover, South Middleton, Susquehanna, Swatara, Upper Allen and West Hanover.  

Total Member Population: 343,000

COG Meetings Held:  
Meetings are held on the third Monday of each month at the Hampden Township Building, 230 South Sporting Hill Road, Mechanicsburg.

Present or On-Going Projects:  
✓ Drug and Alcohol Testing (CDL Requirements)  
✓ Joint Bidding of Products and Services  
✓ Equipment Sharing Program  
✓ Annual Surplus Equipment Auction  
✓ Joint Cable TV Franchising  
✓ Joint Right-of-Way Ordinances  
✓ Joint UCC Appeals Board  
✓ Seminars conducted as requested on various pertinent subjects of interest  
✓ A Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy/TMDL Committee has been observing the management of the initiated allocations and loads set by EPA and implemented by DEP regulating nutrient management in an effort to restore the Bay.  
✓ Police Testing Consortium
Central Keystone COG
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Officers:
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Ken Kipp, Treasurer
Maurice Brubaker, Delegate
Thomas E. Sauers, Alternate
Peter Bergonia, Jr., Asst. Secretary/Treasurer

Staff:
Thomas E. Sauers, Executive Director

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Beavertown, Freeburg, Hartleton, Jersey Shore, Lewisburg, McClure, Middleburg, Mifflinburg, Montoursville, New Berlin, Selinsgrove and Shamokin Dam.

Townships of Adams, Anthony, Bastress, Beaver, Buffalo, Center, Chapman, East Buffalo, East Chillisquaque, Franklin, Gregg, Hartley, Jackson, Kelly, Lewis, Limestone, Union (Union County), Middlecreek, Monroe, Old Lycoming, Penn, Perry, Spring, Susquehanna, Union (Snyder County), Armstrong, Hepburn, Limestone, Washington, West Beaver, West Buffalo, West Perry, White Deer (Lycoming County)

Counties of Lycoming, Northumberland, Snyder and Union

Total Member Population: 100,000

COG Meetings Held:
First Thursday of the month at 4:00 PM.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Code Enforcement
✓ Joint Sewage Enforcement
✓ Property Maintenance
✓ Zoning Enforcement
✓ Joint Purchasing
✓ Regional Police
✓ Street Signage
Central Westmoreland COG
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Officers:
James A. Cortazzo, Director/Administrator  James A. Cortazzo, Delegate
Mike Pacelli, Deputy Director    Mike Pacelli, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Irwin, Ligonier, Manor, New Stanton, North Belle Vernon, Penn, Scottdale, South Greensburg, Southwest Greensburg, Trafford and Youngwood.

Townships of  Cook, East Huntingdon, Hempfield, Mount Pleasant, North Huntingdon, Penn, Sewickley and Washington.

Cities of Arnold, Greensburg, Jeanette, Lower Burrell and New Kensington.

County of Westmoreland.

Other: PennDot District 12-5.

Total Member Population:  222,449

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held  Feb., May, Aug., Nov., (quarterly) at CWCOG Office

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Vehicle Contracts
✓ Equipment Contracts
✓ Third Party Inspections (U.C.C. Program)
✓ Infrastructure Repairs and Associated Work Contracts
✓ COG Care
Centre Region COG
2643 Gateway Drive
State College, PA 16801
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Web Address: www.crcog.net

Officers:
George Pytel, Chairman             Charles “Bud” Graham, Delegate
Elliott Abrams, Vice Chairman      James C. Steff, Alternate

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Catherine Alloway, Schlow Centre Region Library Director
Walter G. M. Schneider, III, Code Administration Director
Ronald Woodhead, Parks & Recreation Director
Cathleen Prosek, Assistant to Executive Director
James May, Planning Director
Steven Bair, Fire Director
Shawn Kauffman, Emergency Management Coordinator

Municipal Members:
Borough of State College.

Townships of College, Ferguson, Halfmoon, Harris and Patton.

Total Member Population: 93,000

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held monthly every fourth Monday at 7:30 p.m. with the location rotating among member municipalities.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Regional Parks & Recreation Agency
✓ Municipal & Regional Planning Agency
✓ New Construction and Existing Housing Code Administration
✓ Senior Citizens’ Center
✓ Regional Transportation Planning Agency (MPO)
✓ Library
✓ Traffic Signal Preemption System
✓ Regional Fire Company
✓ Regional Sewage Planning (Act 537)
✓ Emergency Operations Planning
✓ Remembrance Tree Program
✓ Regional Refuse/Recycling Program
✓ Smoke Detector Give-a-Way Program
✓ Regional Nature Center
✓ Regional Swimming Pools
✓ COG Office Building
✓ Regional Softball Field Complex
Delaware County Consortium of Local Governments
P.O. Box 198
Rose Valley, PA 19065
Phone: 610-566-2040                Fax: 610-892-7275
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Officers:
Craig Totaro, President            Craig Totaro, Delegate
Paula Healy, Treasurer              Paula Healy, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Clifton Heights, Collingdale, Folcroft, Glenolden, Lansdowne, Marcus Hook, Media,
Norwood, Ridley Park, Ridley Park, Rose Valley, Rutledge, Sharon Hill, Swarthmore and Yeadon.

Townships of Bethel, Chaddsford, Concord, Darby, Edgemont, Haverford, Marple, Middletown, Nether
Provience, Newtown, Radnor, Ridley, Springfield, Thornbury, Tincum, Upper Chichester, Upper Darby
and Upper Providence.

Total Member Population: 427,894

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held 3rd Tuesday of the month, at roving locations
Eastern Bradford County COG
North Towanda Annex No. 1, RR 1, Box 179A
Towanda, PA 18848
Phone: 570-268-4103                      Fax: 570-268-4171
Email: bcplanning@mail.bradfordco.org

Officers:
James Drake, President/Chairman                   Raymond J. Stolinas, Jr., Delegate
James Ahern, Vice President                       James Drake, Alternate
Raymond Stolinas, Jr., AICP, COG Consultant

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of New Albany, Rome, South Waverly and Wyalusing.


Total Member Population:  16,564

COG Meetings Held:
First Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. at Bradford County EMA Building, Planning Office, North Towanda Township.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Dry Hydrants
✓ Safety Services Mapping
✓ Joint Emergency Radio Purchase
✓ CDL Drug and Alcohol Testing
✓ Joint Enforcement of UCC
✓ Codification of Ordinances
✓ Joint Healthcare Plan Proposal
Erie Area COG
1001 State Street, Suite 321
Erie, PA 16501-1823
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Officers:
Jessica Horan-Kunco, Chairperson Edward A. Lesser, Delegate
Edward A. Lesser, Administrator Jessica Horan-Kunco, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Girard and Wesleyville.

Townships of Fairview, Franklin, Harborcreek, Lawrence Park, Millcreek, North East and Summit.

City of Erie.

County of Erie.

Total Member Population: 207,615

COG Meetings Held:
General assembly meetings are held 3:00 PM, first Wednesday of February, May, August and November and Executive committee meetings are held 3:00 PM, the first Wednesday of March, June, September and December.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Joint Purchasing
✓ Greater Erie Guideway Sign System
✓ Erie MPO
✓ Erie Area COG eGov Project (Countywide)
✓ Cable Television Cooperative Negotiations
✓ Seaway Trail Executive Committee
✓ Planning Membership Growth
✓ Shared Equipment Program (Computerized)
✓ Emergency Management Regional Groups
✓ Storm Water Management Program
Franklin County COG
14 North Main Street
Chambersburg, PA 17201
Phone: 717-261-3813 Fax: 717-267-3438
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Officers:
Bob Ziobrowski, President Bob Ziobrowski, Delegate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Chambersburg, Greencastle, Mercersburg, Mont Alto and Waynesboro
Townships of Antrim, Fannett, Greene, Hamilton, Letterkenny, Lurgan, Metal, Montgomery, Peters, Quincy, Southampton, St. Thomas and Washington
School Districts of Chambersburg Area, Fannett Metal, Greencastle Antrim and Tuscarora

Franklin County

Total Member Population: 133,380

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on 3rd Wednesday of odd months in Chambersburg.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Municipal Auction
✓ Joint Code Inspection
✓ Prevailing Wage Revolt
French Creek COG

c/o West Mead Township
1150 Morgan Village Road
Meadville, PA 16335

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Email: westmead@westmead.org

Officers:
Frank Schreck, Chairman                        Alden Hills, Delegate
Kevin Cole, Vice-Chairman                      Lyle Hoolver, Alternate
Jill Dunlap, Secretary                         
Lori Swavey, Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Townships of Cambridge, East Mead, Sadsbury, Vernon, West Mead and Woodcock.

City of Meadville.

Crawford Central School District, Crawford County Solid Waste Authority, Meadville Area Recreation Authority and the Meadville Redevelopment Authority of the City of Meadville, Meadville Area Sewer Authority, Meadville Area Water Authority.

County of Crawford.

Total Member Population: 88,765

COG Meetings:
Meetings are held the third Thursday, January, April, July and October at 11:30 AM, at the Chamber of Commerce Office located at 908 Diamond Park, Meadville, PA 16335.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ On-lot Sewage Management Program
✓ SEO Administration Program
✓ Joint Purchasing of Fuel and Paving and Seal Coat Work
✓ Sponsorship of French Creek Greenway Grant for Regional Trail System
✓ Committee to Establish a Regional GIS System
✓ Tire Recycling Event
Greater Jefferson Area COG
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Brookville, PA 15825
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Larry Bowers, Vice President     Deborah Wilson, Alternate
Mark McManigle, Secretary/Treasurer
Deborah Wilson, Office Manager

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Big Run, Brookville, Corsica, Reynoldsville, Summerville and Timblin.
Townships of Barnett, Beaver, Bell, Clover, Eldred, Gaskill, Heath, Henderson, Knox, McCalmont, Oliver, Perry, Polk, Porter, Ringgold, Rose, Snyder, Union, Washington, Warsaw and Winslow.

Total Member Population: 31,486

COG Meetings are Held:
Quarterly

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ UCC
✓ Bulk Purchasing (Aggregates, Radios)
✓ Trainings
Huntingdon County COG
P O Box 361
Huntingdon, PA  16652
Phone: 814-643-3301                       Fax: 814-643-0422
Email: mkipphan@netscape.net

Officers:
David A. Quarry, President   David A. Quarry, Delegate
L. Stewart Neff, Vice President   L. Stewart Neff, Alternate

Municipal Members:
  Boroughs of Alexandria, Huntingdon and Millcreek.

  Townships of Barree, Clay, Henderson, Juniata, Lincoln, Logan, Miller, Morris, Oneida, Penn, Porter, Smithfield, Walker, Warrior’s Mark and West.

Total Member Population:  25,085

COG Meetings Held: January, March, June, September and December. Rotates between COG member municipalities at their municipal buildings.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓  COG-wide Uniform Construction Code Administration/Inspection
✓  COG Expansion - Membership Recruitment
✓  Cooperative Fuel Purchase Bidding
✓  Cooperative Road Materials and Anti-Skid Bidding
✓  Cooperative Traffic Sign Grant Application/Bidding
Indiana-Westmoreland COG
220 Fifth Street
Saltsburg, PA 15681
Phone: 724-639-3417  Fax: 724-639-3582
Email: twpsec@comcast.net

Officers:
Ron Martz, Chairman    Mary Trunzo, Delegate
Joe LaVan, Vice Chairman    Ron Martz, Alternate
Mary L. Trunzo, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Avonmore, Blairsville, Clymer, Derry, Homer City, Latrobe and Saltsburg.

Townships of Bell, Center, Conemaugh, Derry, East Mahoning, East Wheatfield, Fairfield, Ligonier, Loyalhanna, Montgomery, Rayne, Salem, Sewickley, West Wheatfield and Young.

Total Member Population: 88,772

COG Meetings:
Meetings are held the fourth Monday of January, February, March, April, May, September and October at 10:00 a.m. at Blairsville Borough Council Chambers, 203 East Market Street, Blairsville, PA 15717.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Sign Making Machine for PennDOT Approved Signs
✓ Spring Road Materials
✓ Winter Road Materials
✓ UCC Inspection Program
✓ Fuel Bids
Jefferson-Morgan Regional COG
1019 Third Street Ext.
P O Box 3
Mather, PA  15346
Phone: 724-883-2150                       Fax: 724-883-3044
Email: morgantownship@gmail.com

Officers:
Shirl Barnhart, President                      Shirl Barnhart, Delegate
Barry Elliott, Vice President                  Richard Tekavee, Alternate

Staff:
Relda Litten, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:

Associate Members (participate in at least one program): Borough of Greensboro and Townships of Franklin, Jackson and Whiteley

Total Member Population:  15,401 Charter and Associate Members

COG Meetings are Held:
Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at 11:00 a.m., at Morgan Township Municipal Building, 1019 Third Street, Ext., Mather, PA

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Multi-Municipal Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance
✓ Uniform Construction Code Enforcement
✓ Joint Bidding
Lancaster Inter-Municipal Committee
150 North Queen Street, Suite 317
Lancaster, PA 17603
Phone: 717-397-7507    Fax: 717-397-7575
Email: mtlasala@thelimc.org
Web Address: www.thelimc.org

Officers:
Kathy Wasong, Chairman        Kent Gardner, Delegate
John Bingham, Vice Chairman   Kathy Wasong, Alternate
Michael LaSala, Acting Director
Kent Gardner, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Columbia, Millersville and Mountville.

Townships of East Lampeter, Lancaster, Manor, West Hempfield and West Lampeter.

City of Lancaster.

Total Member Population: 175,000

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 a.m. Meetings rotate among member municipalities.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Regional Comprehensive Plan/Implementation
✓ Regional Park and Greenway Program
✓ Stormwater Management
✓ Joint Purchasing
✓ Sharing of Information
✓ Advocacy
✓ Training
✓ Regional UCC Board of Appeals
✓ Website: www.limc.org
✓ Regional Transportation Initiatives
Lawrence County Regional COG
430 Court Street
New Castle, PA 16101
Phone: 724-656-2459       Fax: 724-652-9646
Email: robertcallen@hotmail.com

Officers:
Robert T. Callen, Administrator     Robert Callen, Delegate
Guy Aromatorio, President
John Tudorich, Vice President
Joe Gierlach, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Bessemer, Ellport, Ellwood City, Enon Valley, New Wilmington, SNPJ, South New Castle, Volant and Wampum.

Townships of Hickory, Neshannock, North Beaver, Perry, Plain Grove, Pulaski, Shenango, Slippery Rock, Taylor, Union, Washington, Wayne and Wilmington.

City of New Castle. County of Lawrence.

Total Member Population: 83,465

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month at Jameson Hospital-South.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Speed Trailer Joint Purchase by COG
✓ Joint Purchasing of Summer & Winter Supplies
✓ Regional Code Enforcement Program
✓ Regional Police Service Study
✓ Grantsmanship
✓ Joint Equipment Purchasing and Sharing Program
✓ Elected Officials Training
Lehigh County COG
17 South 7th Street, Allentown, PA 18101
Phone: 610-782-3614 Fax: 610-871-2755
Email: cindyfeinberg@lehighcounty.org
Web Address: www.lehighcounty.org

Officers:
Cindy McDonnell Feinberg, Administrator
Donald T. Cunningham, Jr., County Executive
Cindy McDonnell Feinberg, Delegate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Alburtis, Catasauqua, Coopersburg, Coplay, Emmaus, Fountain Hill, Macungie, Salisbury and Slatington.


Cities of Allentown and Bethlehem. County of Lehigh

Total Member Population: 349,000

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held each quarter, typically the second Tuesday of the month.

Present or On-Going Projects:
- Traffic and Transportation
- Smart Growth
- Regional Planning/Funding
- Fire/Police/EMS Programs
- Model Ordinances with Lehigh Valley Planning Commission
- County Grant Funding Programs
Mercer County Regional COG
2495 Highland Road
Hermitage, PA  16148
Phone:  724-981-1561                       Fax:  724-981-2639
Email: ttulip@mcrcog.com
Web Address:  www.mcrcog.com

Officers:
Andrew Tomson, President              Tom Tulip, Delegate
Dan Miscky, Vice President           Richard Schuller, Alternate
Alex Kovach, Secretary/Treasurer

Staff:
Thomas R. Tulip, Executive Director
Kim A. DiCintio, Fiscal Director
Beth L. Mason, Administrative Assistant

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Clark, Fredonia, Greenville, Jackson Center, Mercer, Sharpsville, West Middlesex and Wheatland.

Townships of  Coolspring, Delaware, East Lackawannock, Fairview, Findley, Greene, Hempfield, Jackson, Jefferson, Lackawannock, New Vernon, Pymatuning, Shenango, South Pymatuning, West Salem and Wilmington.

Cities of Farrell, Hermitage and Sharon.

County of Mercer.

Total Member Population:  86,821

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month with the exception of January, June through August at the MCRCOG Administrative Office, 2495 Highland Road, Hermitage, PA.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓  Shenango Valley Shuttle Service (public fixed route bus service)
✓  Mercer County Community Transit (Public Para-Transit Bus Service)
✓  Mercer County Visitors Center and Shenango Valley Transit Center
✓  Shenango Valley Animal Shelter (Animal Control Facility)
✓  Lackawannock-Shenango West Middlesex Community Swimming Pool
✓  Shenango Valley Softball Recreational Complex
✓  Joint Municipal “Circuit Riding” Regional Park and Recreation Specialist
✓  Joint Municipal “Circuit Riding” Regional Computer Systems Technician
✓  Joint Municipal Purchasing Program
✓  Shenango Valley Regional Jail/Lock-Up
✓  Regional Lock-Up to District Justice Offices -- “Computerized” Video Prisoner Arraignment Project
✓ Administrative Services to the Southwest Mercer County Regional Police Department
✓ Installation of “Mobile Computers” into the Patrol Vehicles of 13 COG member Police Departments
✓ Joint Municipal TV Sewerline Inspection and “Sewer-Jet” Cleaning Project
✓ Joint Municipal Bucket Truck Program
✓ Joint Police and Fire Mutual Aid Agreements
✓ Joint Municipal Vehicle Repair and Maintenance Program
✓ Joint Municipal Cable TV Regulatory Advisory Board
✓ Joint Municipal Solid Waste and Recycling Collection and Disposal Service
✓ Joint Municipal Tax Collector and Public Official Fidelity Bonds
✓ Joint Municipal Uniform Construction Code Program
Mon Valley Progress Council  
435 Donner Avenue, Suite 410  
Monessen, PA 15062  
Phone: 724-684-3381  
Fax: 724-684-5113  
Email: jkirk@monvalleyprogress.org  
Web Address: www.monvalleyprogress.org

Officers:
Joe Kirk, Executive Director  
Joan Zanardelli, Office Manager
Joe Kirk, Delegate  
John Easoz, Alternate

Municipal Participants:

Allegheny County  
Elizabeth Borough, Elizabeth Township, Forward Township, West Elizabeth Borough.

Fayette County  
Belle Vernon Borough, Brownsville Borough, Brownsville Township, Fayette City Borough,  
Jefferson Township, Newell Borough, Washington Township.

Washington County  
Allenport Borough, Bentleyville Borough, California Borough, Carroll Township, Charleroi  
Borough, Coal Center Borough, Donora Borough, Dunlevy Borough, Elco Borough, Fallowfield  
Township, Finleyville Borough, Long Branch Borough, Monongahela City, New Eagle Borough,  
North Charleroi Borough, Roscoe Borough, Speers Borough, Stockdale Borough, Twilight Borough,  
Union Township, West Brownsville Borough, West Pike Run Township.

Westmoreland County  
Monessen City, N. Belle Vernon Borough, Rostraver Township, Smithton Borough, West Newton  
Borough.

Total Population: 87,926

Present or On-Going Projects:

Smart Government Initiative - a large scale intergovernmental effort to improve community  
vitality and quality of life through governmental cross-jurisdictional collaboration, achieving  
multi-municipal actions for cooperative strategies, policies, and services. The purpose of the  
project is to gain efficiencies, improve services and advance positive economic outcomes  
throughout the Mid Mon Valley.
Montour County COG  
c/o Liberty Township  
197 Mooresburg Road  
Danville, PA 17821  
Phone: 570-275-2211       Fax: 570-275-5654  
Secretary: 570-716-9721

Officers:  
David Albertson, President       Richard Jones, Delegate  
Linda Sellers, Vice Chairman  
Linda Llewellyn, Treasurer  
Bonnie Richardson, Secretary

Municipal Members:  
Boroughs of Danville, Riverside and Washingtonville.  
Townships of Anthony, Cooper, Derry, Liberty, Limestone, Mahoning, Mayberry, Montour, Valley and West Hemlock.

Total Member Population: Est. 14,868

COG Meetings Held:  
Meetings are held the third Thursday every other month at various locations.
Moshannon Valley COG
501 East Market Street, Suite 7
Clearfield, PA 16830
Phone: 814-765-3080 Fax: 814-765-3082
Email: mvcog@pennswoods.net
Web Address: www.movalleycog.com

Officers/Staff:
Jack Brink, President            Jack Brink, Delegate
Paul Winslow, Vice President    Paul Winslow, Alternate
Lorie Rowles, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Brisbin, Burnside, Chester Hill, Coalport, Curwensville, Houtzdale, Irvona, Lumber City, Mahaffey, New Washington, Newburg, Osceola Mills, Philipsburg, Ramey, Troutville and Wallaceton.

Townships of Beccaria, Bell, Bigler, Boggs, Burnside, Chest, Cooper, Covington, Ferguson, Girard, Goshen, Graham, Greenwood, Gulich, Horton, Huston, Jordan, Karthaus, Knox, Morris, Pike, Sandy and Woodward.

Total Member Population: 42,805

COG Meetings Held:
4th Wednesday of the Month at 7:00 p.m., at 911 Leonard Street, Clearfield.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Joint Municipal Purchasing
✓ Uniform Construction Code
✓ Annual Equipment Show & Training
✓ Establishing Joint Property Maintenance Program
Mountain COG
Citiscape
20 West Broad Street
Hazleton, PA 18201
Phone: 570-455-1509 Fax: 570-450-2013
Email: mcog@hazletonchamber.org
Web Address: www.civicpartnership.org

Officers:
Dan Guydish, Executive Director
Joe Yannuzzi, President
Mary Labert, Vice President
Donna Palermo, Secretary
Joseph Yannuzzi, Delegate
Dan Guydish, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Beaver Meadows, Conyngham, Freeland, McAdoo, Weatherly, West Hazleton and White Haven.

Townships of Butler, East Union, Foster, Hazle and Sugarloaf.

Cities of Hazleton, Nanticoke and Pittston.

Greater Hazleton Civic Partnership, MMI Prep School, Freeland Municipal Authority, Hazleton Area School District, Greater Hazleton City Water Authority, Greater Hazleton Sewer Authority

Total Member Population: 94,341

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the third Friday of each month at Greater Hazleton Chamber of Commerce.

Present or On-Going Projects:
☑ Regional Police Force Feasibility Study
☑ Joint Bidding
☑ Regional Rails to Trails
☑ Gateway Program
☑ Equipment Sharing
☑ Joint Purchase of a Sewer Inspection Camera and Tar Kettle
☑ Abandoned Vehicle Project
☑ Joint Comprehensive Planning
☑ Uniform Construction Code
☑ Joint Energy Pool
Nazareth Area COG
1114 Bushkill Center Road
Nazareth, PA  18064
Phone: 610-759-1250                       Fax: 610-759-8565
Email: harr3271@gmail.com

Officers:
Dorothy Niklos, Chairperson                Dorothy Niklos, Delegate
Luke Duignam, Vice Chairman                Brian Harris, Alternate
Brian Harris, Secretary/Business Mgr.

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Bath, Chapman, Nazareth, Stockertown and Tatamy.

Townships of Allen, Bushkill, East Allen, Lower Nazareth, Moore and Upper Nazareth.


Total Member Population: 45,000

COG Meetings Held:
4th Tuesday of the Month

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Completing Regional Multi-Municipal Plan
✓ Equipment Exchange
✓ Developing Website
✓ Regional Recycling Program
✓ Developing Regional Emergency Management Program
✓ Group Purchasing
✓ Voice for Transportation Improvements for municipalities
✓ Political Voice with legislators
✓ Mutual Aid Agreement
Northern Schuylkill COG
PO Box 175
Mahanoy City, PA 17948
Phone: 570-773-0891                               Fax: 570-773-1675

Officers:
Champ Holman, President/Chairman                      Champ Holman, Delegate
Mary Beth Dougherty, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Ashland, Frackville, Gilberton, Girardville, Gordon, Mahanoy City, Ringtown and Shenandoah.

Townships of Butler, Delano, East Union, Mahanoy, Rush, Ryan, Schuylkill, Union and West Mahnoy.

Total Member Population: 44,735

COG Meetings Held:
Bi-monthly shared between municipalities

Present or On-Going Projects:
- Code Enforcement
- Joint Purchasing
- Group Insurance
Northern Wayne County COG
177 Travis Road
Starrucca, PA 18462
Phone: 570-798-2949 & 570-224-4070 (Manchester Township)
Fax: 570-798-0163

Officers:
Bradley D. Shaffer, President/Chairman  Bradley D. Shaffer, Delegate
Laura Travis, Secretary/Treasurer  Laura Travis, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Borough of Starrucca.

Townships of Berlin, Buckingham, Clinton, Damascus, Dyberry, Lebanon, Manchester, Mount Pleasant, Oregon, Preston and Scott.

Total Member Population: 9,000

COG Meetings held:
Third Wednesday of month at 7:00 p.m., Buckingham Township (Starlight)

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Appeals Board
✓ UCC Administration
✓ Bulk Bidding
Oil Region COG  
c/o Cranberry Township  
3726 State Route 257  
P O Box 378  
Seneca, PA  16346  
Phone: 814-676-8812                       Fax: 814-677-4992  
Email: cran@comcastbiz.net

Officers:  
Eugene A. Miller, President                      Eugene Miller, Delegate  
William Moon, Vice President                    Frank A Pankratz, Alternate  
Frank A. Pankratz,  Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:  
Boroughs of Emlenton, Cooperstown, Polk, Rouseville, and Sugarcreek.

Townships of Allegheny, Canal, Cornplanter, Cranberry, French Creek, Jackson, Mineral, Oakland, Oil Creek, Pinegrove, Plum, President, Richland, Rockland, Sandycreek and Scrubgrass.

Cities of Franklin and Oil City.

Total Member Population:  49,436

COG Meetings Held:  
Meetings are held on the third Thursday of every month at 7:00 PM, alternating at different member’s meeting rooms.

Present or On-Going Projects:  
✓ Co-operative Bidding on Materials, Gas, Diesel, Fuel, Equipment  
✓ Shared Municipal Grants  
✓ Grants for Recreation Equipment  
✓ Building Codes  
✓ Shared Equipment  
✓ Shared Workforce
Perry County COG
8401 R, Spring Road
New Bloomfield, PA 17068
Phone: 717-582-4483   Fax: 717-582-4431
Email: PCCOG01@embarqmail.com

Officers:
Kirby Kitner, President                Ann Simonetti, Delegate
Karl Raudensky, Vice President         Tami Halstead, Alternate
Leroy Weller, Vice President
Tami Halstead, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Blain, Bloomfield, Landisburg, Liverpool, Marysville, Millerstown, New Buffalo and Newport.

Townships of Buffalo, Carroll, Centre, Greenwood, Howe, Jackson, Juniata, Liverpool, Miller, Northeast Madison, Oliver, Rye, Saville, Southwest Madison, Spring, Toboyne, Tuscarora, Tyrone, Watts and Wheatfield.

Total Member Population: 44,652

COG Meetings Held:
2nd Thursday, February, September & November Full Board

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Uniform Construction Code enforcement and administration of same
✓ Joint Bidding
Pocono Mountains COG

c/o Alan Everett
Hamilton Township
P.O. Box 285
Scotia, PA 18354
Phone: 570-992-7020  Fax: 570-992-1381
Email: hamtwp@ptd.net

Officers:
Alan Everett, President     John Sivick, Delegate
Jack Radar, Vice President   Alan Everett, Alternate
Steve Carey, Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Delaware Water Gap, East Stroudsburg, Mount Pocono and Stroudsburg.

Townships of Barrett, Chestnuthill, Coolbaugh, Eldred, Hamilton, Jackson, Lehman, Middle Smithfield, Paradise, Pocono, Polk, Price, Ross, Smithfield, Stroud, Tobyhanna and Tunkhannock.

Counties of Monroe and Pike.

Total Member Population: 146,202

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the last Monday of each month at various locations.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Joint Purchasing
✓ Research on Insurance Trusts
✓ Regional EMS Study
✓ Golf Tournament
✓ Joint Municipal Auctions
✓ Training
Pottstown Area COG

c/o North Coventry Township
845 South Hanover Street
Pottstown, PA 19465

Phone: 610-323-1694 Fax: 610-970-6509
Email: esclaypoole@earthlink.net

Officers:
Spencer Claypoole, Chairperson
Atlee Rinehart, Vice President
Martin Dyas, Secretary/Treasurer

Spencer Claypoole, Delegate

Municipal Members:
Borough of Pottstown.

Townships of Douglass, East Coventry, Lower Pottsgrove, New Hanover, North Coventry, Upper Pottsgrove and West Pottsgrove.

Total Member Population: 62,743

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of every other month. Meeting locations rotate.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Uniform Building Codes & Related Codes
✓ Emergency Preparedness
✓ Emergency Response Team (SWAT)
✓ Regional Planning/Zoning
✓ Police - Cooperative Effort
✓ Proposed Regional Effort for Parks Recreation Programs
Saucon Valley Partnership

c/o 3700 Old Philadelphia Pike
Bethlehem, PA 18015
Phone: 610-865-3291                       Fax: 610-867-3580
Email: manager@lowersaucontownship.org

Officers:
Ed Inghrim, Chairman
John Bate, Vice Chair
Leslie Huhn, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Borough of Hellertown.

Township of Lower Saucon.

School District of Saucon Valley.

Total Member Population: 16,000

COG Meetings Held:
Second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Rotating location.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Joint Recreation Study Committee
✓ Rail-Trail Planning
✓ Traffic Flow/Signalization Enhancements
✓ Joint Purchasing
✓ Joint Yard Waste Recycling Center
✓ Cooperative Paving Projects
✓ Studying Regional Fire Services Consolidation
SEDA COG
201 Furnace Road
Lewisburg, PA 17837
Phone: 570-524-4491 Fax: 570-524-9190
Email: srichards@se-dc-cog.org
Web Address: www.se-dc-cog.org

Officers:
Jon Eich, President Stacy Richards, Delegate
Joel Long, First Vice-President
Mary Simington, Secretary
Malcolm Derk III, Treasurer

Staff:
Dennis Robinson, Executive Director
Stacy Richards, Program Director, Energy Resource Center

Municipal Members:
Counties of Centre, Clinton, Columbia, Juniata, Lycoming, Mifflin, Montour, Northumberland, Perry, Snyder, Union

Total Member Population: 67,622

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Municipal and Regional Planning Agency
✓ Local Development District
✓ Economic Development - Business Assistance
✓ Downtown Revitalization
✓ Transportation
✓ Energy Conservation and Renewable Energy
✓ GIS
✓ Weatherization
✓ Susquehanna Greenway
✓ Regional Rail Authority
Slate Belt COG
P O Box 5
Penn Argyl, PA 18072
Phone: 610-588-1700                     Fax: 610-863-1726
Email: Rodite@slatebeltcog.org
Web Address: www.slatebeltcog.org

Officers:
Joseph Battillo, Chairman                  Joseph Battillo, Delegate
Victor Rodite, Director                    Victor Rodite, Alternate

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Bangor, East Bangor, Portland, Roseto and Wind Gap.


School Districts of Bangor Area and Pen Argyl. Northampton County Council, Slate Belt Chamber of Commerce.

Total Member Population: 32,318

COG Meetings Held:
4th Wednesday of every month at Washington Township Elementary School Building.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Uniform Construction Code Board of Appeals
✓ Leaf and Yard Waste Recycling Program
✓ Regional Emergency Management Coordination
✓ Watershed Planning Collaboration in the works
Southern Schuylkill COG
209 North Warren Street
Orwigsburg, PA 17961
Phone: 570-366-3103 Fax: 570-366-3106
Email: orwigsburg@comcast.net

Officers:
David Crouse, President    David Crouse, Delegate
Mark Schropp, Vice President
Susan Murphy, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Auburn, Cressona, Deer Lake, Landingville, New Ringgold, Orwigsburg, Port Clinton and Schuylkill Haven.

Townships of East Brunswick, North Manheim, South Manheim, Wayne and West Brunswick.

Total Member Population: 27,300

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month (with the exception of June, July, August & December) at the Orwigsburg Borough Hall.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Instrumental in helping with the formation of the Schuylkill Tax Collection Agency
Southwestern PA Commission
112 Washington Place, Two Chatham Center, Suite 500,
Pittsburgh, PA 15219
Phone: 412-391-5590           Fax: 412-391-9160
Email: comments@spcregion.org

Officers:
    James Hassinger, President                      James Hassinger, Delegate
    Jamie Colecchi, Community Assistance Manager   Jamie Colecchi, Alternate Delegate

Municipal Members:
    Southwestern PA Counties: Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Greene, Indiana,
                              Lawrence, Washington, and Westmoreland

    City of Pittsburgh

Total Member Population: 3 Million +

COG Meetings Held:
    Meetings are held at SPC offices

Present or On-Going Projects:
    ✓ Transportation Planning
    ✓ Community Development
    ✓ Economic Development
    ✓ Geographic Informational Services
Steel Valley COG
1705 Maple Street
Homestead, PA  15120
Phone: 412-462-7600                       Fax: 412-462-3986
Email: al@svcog.org
Web Address: www.svcog.org

Officers:
Raymond Bodnar, President    Raymond Bodnar, Delegate
Mike Bogesdorfer, Vice President    An Lewis, Alternate
Chuck Arthrell, Treasurer
An Lewis, Secretary

Staff:
An Lewis, Executive Director
David Hrabik, Fiscal Manager
Patrice Michaels, Executive Secretary
Roy Schneider, Equipment Operator

Total Member Population:  49,070 (2010 Census)

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Braddock Hills, Dravosburg, Homestead, Munhall, West Elizabeth, West Homestead, West Mifflin and Whitaker.

City of Clairton.

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the first Thursday of every month.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓  Cooperative Purchasing
✓  Regional Planning
✓  Community Development Activities
✓  Civil Construction and Contract Administration
✓  Economic Development/Marketing
✓  Street Sweeping
✓  Human Services Center
✓  “Eagle One” Regional Mobile Crime Scene Investigation Unit
✓  GIS (Geographic Information Systems) + Hazard Mitigation Plan
✓  A.C. District Attorney’s Waterfront Training Facility
✓  Automated Fingerprint Identification System (Regional)
✓  Regional Remote Video Teleconferencing (Domestic Violence)
✓  Comprehensive Community Planning
✓  Shared Grant Writing
Sullivan County COG
P O Box 239
Dushore, PA  18614
Phone: 570-928-9780                       Fax: 570-928-9759
Email: sullivanctycog@epix.net

Officers:
  Roy Zimmerman, President       Roy Zimmerman, Delegate
  Carl Vough, Vice President      Carl Vough, Alternate
  Clara Finan, Secretary/Treasurer

Municipal Members:
  Boroughs of Dushore, Eagles Mere, Forksville and Laporte.

  Township of Cherry, Colley, Davidson, Elkland, Forks, Fox, Hillsgrove, Laporte and Shrewsbury.

  Sullivan County Commissioners.

Total Member Population:  6,417 yearly residents, 3,000 seasonal residents

COG Meetings Held
  7:00 pm the 4th Tuesday of each month except November and December, then meetings are held the 3rd Tuesday due to the holidays.  Meetings are held in the Dushore Code Inspections Building 268 Overton Road.

Present or On-Going Projects:
  ✓ Building Code Enforcement Program
  ✓ Joint Purchasing
  ✓ Land Use Planning - DCED
  ✓ Making Road Signs
Susquehanna County COG
948 Main Street, Suite 3
New Milford, PA  18834
Phone:  570-465-7644                       Fax: 570-465-2184
Email: COG@echoes.net

Officers:
B. Elliot Ross, President    Ken Carey, Delegate
Charles Fahringer, Vice President   Charles Fahringer, Alternate
Karen Trynoski, Secretary

Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Forest City, Friendsville, Great Bend, Hallstead, Hop Bottom, Lanesboro, Little Meadows, Montrose, New Milford and Thompson.

Townships of Ararat, Auburn, Bridgewater, Brooklyn, Choconut, Dimock, Gibson, Great Bend, Harford, Herrick, Jackson, Liberty, Middletown, Oakland, Rush, Silver Lake, and Thompson.

Total Member Population:  23,000

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at the COG offices, 948 Main Street, New Milford, PA 18834.

Present On-Going Projects:
✓ Sewage Enforcement Program
✓ Codes Enforcement Program
✓ Uniform Construction Code Program
✓ Street/Road Sign Program
✓ Agility Program with PennDOT
✓ Member Education Programs
Turtle Creek Valley COG
2700 Monroeville Blvd., Monroeville, PA 15146
Phone: 412-858-5115 Fax: 412-829-2218
Email: asett@tcvcog.com
Web Address: www.tcvcog.com

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Wilkinsburg and Wilmerding.

Township of North Versailles and Wilkins.

Total Member Population: 193,201

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the fourth Thursday each month at Turtle Creek Borough Council Chambers.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Vactor Service - Sewer System Cleaning
✓ CDBG Program Administration
✓ Joint Public Works Program
✓ Regional Computer Services System - Payroll, AP/GL, Sewer, Refuse, Water Billings
✓ Federal and State Grant Administration
✓ Joint UCC Appeals Board
✓ Managers Advisory Committee
✓ Police Chief Advisory Committee
✓ Joint Police Testing
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Townships of Elizabeth, Forward, and South Versailles.

Cities of Duquesne and McKeesport.

Total Member Population: 67,701 (2010)

COG Meetings Held:
On the last Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Locations alternate to each member municipality monthly.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Regional Recreation Program
✓ Community and Economic Development Program Administration
✓ Computer Technical Assistance and Management Support
✓ Grant Writing and Administration
✓ Agility Program Partnership (Penn DOT, County and COG Municipalities)
✓ Cable Franchising Authority and Rate Review Program
✓ Joint Purchasing Alliance
✓ Municipal Training Seminar Series
✓ Police Firearms Certification and Training Facility
✓ Regional Training Complex: K-9 Obstacle Course, Drivers Proficiency Course, Tactical Training Building, & Firearms Training Simulator (FATS) System and Defensive Tactics Training Program
✓ Shared Public Works Equipment Rental and Service Program
✓ Recycling Billing, Collection and Marketing Program
✓ Regional Leaf Composting Program
✓ Shared Code Enforcement Program
✓ Regional CDL Drug and Alcohol Testing Program
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  Townships of Bethlehem, Forks, Palmer and Williams.
  City of Easton.
  County of Northampton.

Total Member Population: 95,767

COG Meetings Held:
  Meetings held quarterly at various municipal locations.

Present or On-Going Projects:
  ✓ The Bushkill Creek Greenway Plan
  ✓ TRCOG Municipal Aid Agreement - Public Works Emergencies
  ✓ TRCOG Yard Waste Study
  ✓ Hosting Electronic Recycling Events
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Potter County:  Boroughs of Coudersport, Galeton and Shinglehouse.
                Townships of Abbott, Bingham, Genesee, Harrison, Hector, Homer, Keating,
                Oswayo, Sharon, Stewardson, Ulysses and West Branch.  County of Potter.

McKean County: Borough of Port Allegany
                Townships of Annin, Eldred, Liberty and Otto.

Total Member Population:  36,944

COG Meetings Held:
Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of every month at Gaines Township Building.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Anti Skid
✓ Road Signs
✓ Dry Hydrants
✓ Recreation Areas
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  County of Warren and City of Warren.

Total Member Population: 37,770

COG Meetings Held: First Wednesday each month at various locations throughout the County.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ New Joint Purchasing by the Governments
✓ Countywide Enhanced 911
✓ An Updated County Comprehensive Plan
✓ Improved Countywide Transportation Planning
✓ New Associations for Tax Collectors and Municipal Secretaries
✓ Evaluation of Tax Collectors Compensation
✓ Governmental Exchange of Sewer System Technical Information and Mentoring
✓ Emphasis on e-Government and Electronic Systems Management
✓ A first time memorandum of understanding between the Allegheny National Forest, the Municipalities, and Emergency Service Providers, for search and rescue operations in Federal wilderness areas.
✓ Municipal Equipment Sharing Inventories
✓ Joint Equipment Purchases and formal and informal sharing of equipment, in some cases with the assistance of PA shared municipal service grants
✓ Receipt and use of a recent State grant for LED traffic signalization devices
✓ Unified positions on tax reform and other legislative issues
✓ Facilitation of close partnerships with the leading Warren region economic development organization, the “local development district,” and others
✓ A plan to bring about unified Uniform Construction Code implementation and contractual relationships with the City of Warren
✓ Supporting various other economic development initiatives and community undertakings
✓ Blighted Property Committee
✓ Fire Services Committee
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Boroughs of Alba, Burlington, Canton, Monroe, Sylvania and Troy.


Total Member Population: 30,004

COG Meetings Held:
Fourth Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. at Allen F. Pierce Free Library, Troy Borough

Present or On-Going Projects:
✔ Dry Hydrants
✔ CDL Drug/Alcohol Testing
✔ Joint Enforcement of UCC
✔ Codification of Ordinances
✔ Joint Healthcare Plan Proposal
Western Chester County COG

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Townships of Caln, East Fallowfield, Honey Brook, East Brandywine, West Brandywine, Valley, West Caln, West Sadsbury.

City of Coatesville.

Total Member Population: 81,470

COG Meetings Held:
Fourth Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at Caln Township Municipal Building

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Inter Municipal Grant application made for Connecting Walk and Bike Trails from Modena to South Coatesville and onto Coatesville
✓ Committee formed to work on Inter Municipal Health Insurance
✓ Safety Committee formed, including the Chester County Deputy Director of ER Management
✓ Equipment Sharing Availability List Distributed
✓ Economic Development Studies - First project completed with help of our intern from West Chester University, Western Chester County Chamber and Chester County Planning Commission on Developable Commercial Sites found on the County’s website
✓ Attract new business and industry
✓ Invest in new economic opportunities that stem from the region’s heritage and landscape
✓ Improve the existing transportation system
✓ Encourage a coordinated approach to development and conservation and foster inter-municipal cooperation
✓ Brand the Western Chester County Region with an identity that reflects its strength and character
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Townships of Cooke, Dickinson, Lower Frankford, North Newton, Penn, Shippensburg, South Newton, Southampton, Upper Mifflin and West Pennsboro.

Total Member Population: 20,000

COG Meetings are Held:
Second Monday of each month, 2:00 p.m., at West Pennsboro Municipal Building.

Present or On-Going Projects:
✓ Joint Purchasing - Salt, Road Materials, Paving Projects, Line Painting
✓ Cumberland County Hazard Mitigation and Vulnerability study
✓ Regional Code Enforcement Program
✓ Land Use and Transportation Study
✓ Regional Comprehensive Plan
✓ Sponsorship of LTAP Classes
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Municipal Members:
Boroughs of Factoryville, Meshoppen, Nicholson, Laceyville and Tunkhannock.


Total Member Population: Approximately 28,000

COG Meetings Held:
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