The PerryScope (for the week ending 1/26/20)

Welcome to the Pennsylvania Member of Congress Tracking Report for the week ending January 26, 2020. The House was at home for a district work week (no change in TrumpScore), while the Senate was in full Impeachment Trial mode. The full report is available here and contains a thorough recap of every excruciating party line vote on amendments to the impeachment trial rules.

Our goal, as always, is to track how our PA-10 member of Congress votes and hold him accountable. We also include a recap of social media and other mentions in the past week as well as coverage of Senators Casey and Toomey. And don't forget to check out our at-a-glance vote trackers for the House and Senate. Each sheet has links that bring you to short explainers for all votes tracked. It is updated each week with the bills covered in MoCTrack, and it is sortable by topic.

Reminder: PA-10 Petitionpalooza THIS Sunday!

Capital Region Stands Up (CRSU) has invited May primary candidates for every state and federal office that will be on the ballot in PA-10. Come sign and pick up petitions to circulate to get your preferred candidate on the ballot! The event will be held Sunday, Feb. 2 from 3-4:30 PM at the Harrisburg Bridge Club, 349 N. 21st Street, Camp Hill. RSVP via the Facebook Events invitation here.

PA-10 UPDATES

DePasquale makes DCCC's 'Red to Blue List'

Just as petition-signing season gets underway in PA this week, the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee (DCCC) has included PA-10 candidate Eugene DePasquale on its first-round list of "Red to Blue" races. In addition to distinguishing himself in fundraising, grassroots organizing, and campaign infrastructure, DePasquale also out-fundraised his incumbent opponent in the third quarter, Politico reported. Also see the DCCC's splashy promo page for all 12 of their first-round picks.

Six months since Perry's in-person town hall; (but he signs on for March paid event)

Where is Scott Perry, indeed? As a CRI/CRSU Tweet this week points out, it's been half a year since Rep. Perry's only in-person town hall in THREE YEARS. During this week's district work week, however, he seems only to be concerned with retweeting Freedom Caucus talking points about the Senate impeachment trial and planning his remarks for a \$95-a-ticket speaking engagement at the Pennsylvania Leadership Conference, which touts itself as the "premiere gathering of public policy conservatives."

Save the Date: Congressional candidate forum March 1, submit questions now

On March 1, CRSU will hold a Congressional Candidates Forum. All candidates running for the PA-10 seat have been invited. Learn more about the candidates' positions and prepare in advance of the April 28 primary. CRSU is soliciting input to help craft questions to pose to the candidates and to create a candidate questionnaire. Click here to submit your suggestions. The deadline for input has been extended to Monday, Feb. 3rd.

TWEETS and MEDIA COVERAGE

This week's <u>Twitter Action</u> includes a rundown of all our MoC's tweets about Impeachment as well as a section on healthcare. Our traditional media coverage of <u>Senator Casey</u> includes his comments on impeachment, preventing discrimination against older workers and issues facing workers with disabilities. <u>Senator Toomey</u>'s media section includes his comments on the impeachment trial along with his statement on the Commerce Department refusing to release information on Section 232 tariffs.

OTHER SECTIONS

In the <u>Learning about Legislation</u> segment, we take a look at the difference between the oath of office and the impeachment oath that all senators take prior to the start of the trial. Our <u>Call to Action</u> this week is a continuation of last week's request – keep calling Senator Toomey to pressure him on voting for witnesses in the impeachment trial.

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