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TO: All Senators

FROM: Senator Dave Argall 

DATE: December 8, 2010

SUBJECT: Property Tax Reform Referendum

In the near future, I plan on re-introducing Senate Bill 818, legislation calling for a statewide referendum on the issue of property taxes.

This legislation would place the four most popular tax reform bills, as measured by the number of Senate and House co-sponsorships, on the ballot if this legislation is approved.

This legislation will require a statewide referendum question to be administered during the 2011 General Election. The question will offer voters the option to choose one of four bills as their preferred method of property tax relief, or to maintain the current property tax structure.

If adopted, this legislation will grant Pennsylvania citizens the option to eliminate the overly burdensome property tax. By providing citizens with several options to eliminate or greatly reduce property taxes, true property tax relief can be achieved. I am hopeful you will support me in these efforts.

If you would like to cosponsor this legislation please contact BJ Sieg at bsieg@pasen.gov or 7-2637.