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MEMORANDUM

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DATE: April 21, 2011

TO: All Senators

FROM: Senator Mike Waugh

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SUBJECT: Request to co-sponsor legislation

“90-Day waiting period for a Township Supervisor to be appointed to a Township Manager”

I am introducing legislation that amends *Act No. 69 of 1933, The Second Class Township Code*. This bill will require a 90-day waiting period before a former township supervisor can be appointed township manager.

This legislation aims to address the circumstance in which a township supervisor loses re-election, resigns or otherwise leaves office, and becomes township manager very shortly thereafter. This proposal in no way prohibits a former supervisor from becoming township manager, but rather provides a “due consideration” period for the board to consider and assess the position and the qualifications of the appointment, while avoiding, to the extent possible, the appearance of a rapid-fire appointment.

If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation, please call Debbie Clark in my office at 787-3817 or email your co-sponsorship to: dclark@pasen.gov