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Allegheny County

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

Vote for not more than FOUR

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Philadelphia County

GEOFF MOULTON
Montgomery County

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JUDGE OF THE COMMONWEALTH COURT

Vote for not more than TWO

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Allegheny County

JOE COSGROVE
Luzerne County

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Philadelphia County

TODD EAGEN
Lackawanna County

IRENE M CLARK
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BRYAN BARBIN
Cambria County

COUNTY TREASURER

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Kennett Township

COUNTY CONTROLLER

MARGARET REIF
Upper Uwchlan Township

CLERK OF COURTS

MARIA CROSSAN
East Brandywine Township

CORONER

CHRISTINA VANDEPOL
West Chester Borough

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DAVE BURTON

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Vote for not more than THREE

AMY FINKBINER

MARTY LANEY

JULIE RAYNOR

Please write in Julie Raynor AND fill in the oval next to the write-in slot

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