## **WAYNE COUNTY**



Wayne County has benefitted significantly from the Recovery Act. As a direct result, over 25,000 constituents received a tax cut. In addition, Wayne County has received over \$27 million in funding for education, transportation, and infrastructure and other projects.

## **Education**

The Recovery Act is providing much-needed federal funding for local school districts. School districts are using these funds for a variety of purposes, including special education, educational technology, and basic education needs. These funds have unequivocally prevented the elimination of teaching positions and have helped stabilize education budgets throughout the Commonwealth. Specific awards in Wayne County include:

- ➤ \$1,821,434 to the Wallenpaupack Area School District
- > \$1,789,521 to the Wayne Highlands School District
- ➤ \$1,231,963 to the Western Wayne School District

Total Education Funding: \$4,842,918

## Transportation and Infrastructure

The Recovery Act is helping Pennsylvania revitalize its transportation infrastructure through highway resurfacing and bridge rehabilitation projects. It is also providing funding for key infrastructure projects designed to improve water quality. Specific awards in Wayne County include:

- > \$2,015,340 for construction on US Route 6 Bike Route
- ➤ \$1,596,686 for the rehabilitation of State Route 3037 bridge over Middle Creek
- > \$124,000 for preservation of State Route 4031 bridge over Johnson Creek
- > \$536,975 for the rehabilitation of State Route 3006
- ➤ \$500,000 to South Wayne County WSA Water Improvements

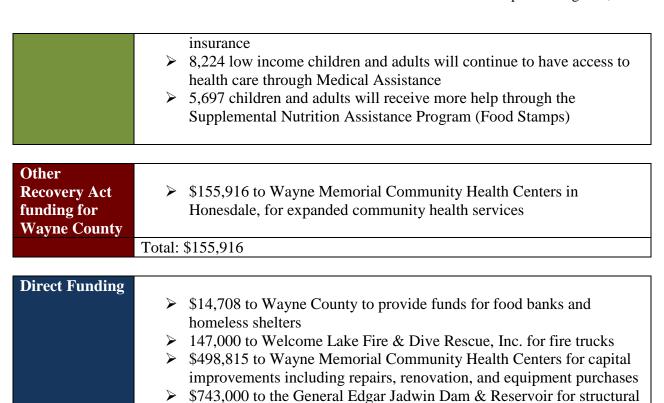
Total T&I Funding: \$4,773,001

## Helping Children and Families

The Recovery Act is helping those hit hardest by the economic downturn. Here is how Wayne County residents are benefiting:

- ➤ 25,670 residents of Wayne County have enjoyed federal tax relief as a result of the Recovery Act
- ➤ 800 jobless adults will receive a boost in unemployment compensation
- ≥ 2,000 unemployed persons qualify for more help purchasing health

Information gathered from <a href="http://recovery.pa.gov">http://recovery.pa.gov</a> and <a href="http://www.recovery.gov/Pages/home.aspx">http://www.recovery.gov/Pages/home.aspx</a>. These figures are not final and are regularly updated.



➤ \$16,695,000 to Prompton Lake for structural repairs and improvements and complete spillway modifications

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Total: \$18,098,523