



**VIETLEAD AND
YOUTH VOTER
ENGAGEMENT**

Who are we?

2020 GENERAL ELECTION

NOV 3, 2020 7AM-8PM



OCT 19
LAST DAY TO REGISTER

[TINYURL.COM/VIETLEADVOTES](https://tinyurl.com/vietleadvotes)

OCT 27

LAST DAY TO APPLY FOR

MAIL-IN OR ABSENTEE BALLOT

[VOTESPA.COM/APPLY](https://votespa.com/apply)

MAILBALLOT

1-887-VOTESPA

NOV 3

LAST DAY FOR COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION TO
RECEIVE MAIL-IN AND ABSENTEE BALLOTS (BY 8PM)

VietLEAD is a grassroots, Vietnamese community -based organization that focuses on intergenerational healing through leadership development, community engagement, culture & arts, and health promotion work. Our focus is participatory democracy, youth organizing, health and healing, and culture and arts programming with and by our community. Our vision is to integrate unique, sustainable programming that builds the skills, leadership, and collaboration needed to ensure that our community can thrive in Philadelphia and South Jersey.



VIETLEAD

2020 is our 5th year anniversary

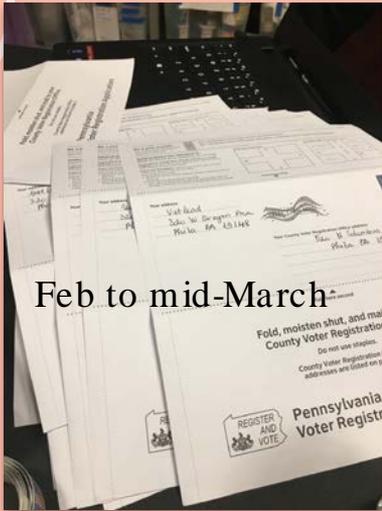
The graphic features a dark blue background with large, organic shapes in bright pink and magenta. At the top center, three yellow diagonal lines radiate upwards. Below them, the word "Spring" is written in a large, bold, yellow sans-serif font. Underneath "Spring", the words "High schools" are written in a dark blue sans-serif font, centered within a white rounded rectangular box. Below this box, the names of five high schools are listed in a white sans-serif font. At the bottom center, there is a light green, stylized, cursive-like flourish.

Spring

**High
schools**

Bodine, Workshop, Samuel Fels,
Mastery Charter, Horace Furness

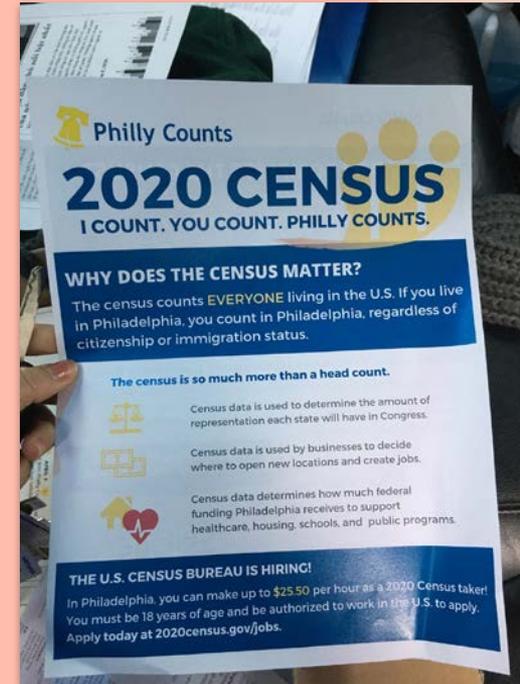




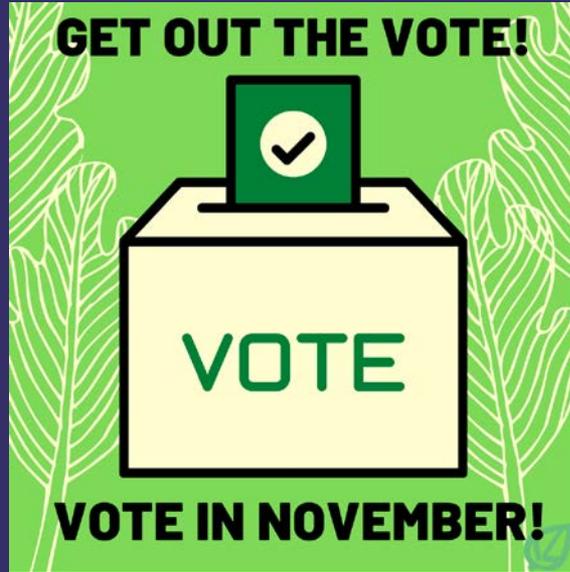
Feb to mid-March



March 6



Good practices



2020 PRIMARY CANDIDATES: If you're on the ballot in Philly, we'd like to invite you to record an online interview with students in a public school civics class in your district. Philly Youth Vote will share the videos online with young voters!. Email me at taquinn@philasd.org.



- Rely on teachers' knowledge of their students
- Empower students to lead and advocate for voting to their friends
- Build a scaffold for civic engagement developments



Summer

**Real Internship
in Civic
Engagement**

Relational Organizing
Peer-to-Peer Texting
Social Media Campaigns



How did you talk to your family about VR?

1, I begged my sister to register to vote and when she refused I kept talking about it till she went and did it. (I do not have a picture of us together she is very camera shy :(() And my parents are already registered so I did not need to ask them.

2. My friends and family have known about my involvement with Vietlead for years now, and understand that what I'm trying to do is important to me. So, they trust that when I'm asking them to do something, it's for a good cause and is meaningful.

3. Well, I knew my mom was not registered yet. On one afternoon, I verbally asked her, "you want me to register you to vote?" Then, we filled the application out. The end.



How was doing voter registration ? (ThruText, Phonebanking, Relational organizing)

4. Doing voter registrations was somewhat challenging as it was clearly my first time doing this. After awhile, I got the hang of things and it got a lot easier. Doing it on ThruText was much easier since it's kind of a slower pace and more easier to understand what the other person is saying. Phone Banking was a challenge as it was sometimes hard to hear.

5. It was not that hard, for doing text banking and relational organizing, but phone banking was kind of a challenge. Overall we got the word out to people who needed it and it feels good.

6. It was nerve wracking a first because we were calling complete strangers. But overtime I got used to the aggressiveness and bleh of the people I was calling. Thru text was really easy along with relational organizing.

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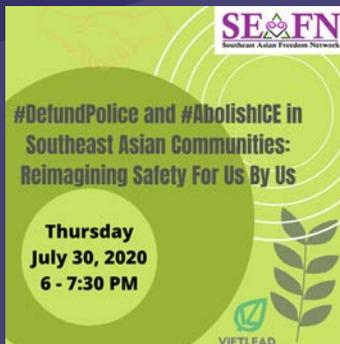
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Nov 3rd
!!! GENERAL ELECTION !!!
Ballots Must Be Received By 8pm

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DEADLINE TO REGISTER TO VOTE

15 DAYS
BEFORE THE ELECTIONS



How do you think your attitude or perspective towards civic engagement has changed? How so?

- Candy: I used to think that civic engagement couldn't be done virtually, through this internship, I realized that there's a lot being done behind the scenes as well
- Lisa: I thought it was a lot of work and it was T_T. Worth it though
- Fionna: I honestly didn't know much about the topics so i thought it was going to be boring but it is actually eye opening.

!!! UPCOMING ELECTION !!!



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Haven't registered yet?

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NOVEMBER 3RD, 2020



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Who's on the
Ballot?

PENNSYLVANIA
GENERAL ELECTION

US Congress

- Passes national legislation
- Bicameral: Senate & House of Representatives

US Senate

- Currently has a Republican majority
- PA's US senators are Bob Casey Jr. (D) and Pat Toomey (R)
- These positions are held for 6 years, but elections run on different cycles and PA is not voting again until 2022

US House of Representatives

- Currently has a Democratic majority
- 435 seats distributed to the states according to the total population of each state, with 18 in PA
- All 18 seats will be up for re-election

Check your ballot to see what candidates are running in your district! vote411.org/ballot

PA General Assembly

- Pennsylvania's state legislature (they pass state laws!)
- Bicameral: Senate (upper house) & House of Rep (lower)
- BOTH chambers have a **Republican majority**

PA State Senate

- There are 50 seats (one for each district), with half the seats going up for election every 2 years
- Senators serve 4 year terms

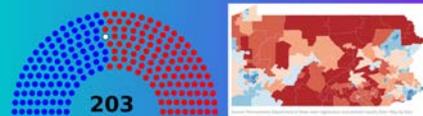


Only 25 districts will be voting for a new senator. Check your ballot to see if you are one of them! vote411.org/ballot

PA General Assembly

PA House of Representatives

- There are 203 seats (one for each district), with all seats going up for election every 2 years
- Representatives serve 2 year terms



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Attorney General

The Attorney General is the top law enforcement officer. They represent the state in any cases brought by or against the state. They are also in charge of collecting any money due to the state, reviewing proposed rules and regulations by the state and serves as member across many boards, including the Board of Pardons, Municipal Police Officers Education and Training Commission, and the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency.

Currently: Josh Shapiro (DEM)

So who's running for the position?

- Josh Shapiro (DEM)
- Heather Heidelbaugh (REP)

What's the history behind the position?

Ernie Preate served as Attorney General from 1988 - 1995. He was later convicted of mail fraud for accepting illegal campaign donations, and served 14 months in a federal prison. Kathleen Kane served as Attorney General from 2013 - 2016. She was later convicted on multiple counts of misdemeanors and felonies including obstruction of justice and perjury, and served 8 months in prison.



The person who represents our state in the courtroom should not be someone who will commit crimes. Is that who you want in office? Register to vote today:

tinyurl.com/vietleadvotes



Auditor General

Ensures the state's money is spent
PROPERLY and
LEGALLY

Current:

Eugene DePasquale (DEM)

Who's Running?

- Timothy DeFoor (REP)
- Nina Ahmad (DEM)

Eugene DePasquale's audits found more than \$1.05 billion that's misspent or potentially recoverable.

That Is Insane.

Register to Vote!

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VoteForTheNextAuditorGeneral

Vote For Your Future

What have state treasurers done in the past?

In the past, they have created programs for people with financial problems and other programs as well. For example, there is the PA 529 College Savings Program and the Treasury Unclaimed Property Bureau, in which unclaimed property is given back to its rightful owners and the state gained \$616 million dollars for the general state fund.



Make sure your money is in the right hands!

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State Treasurer



The state treasurer is like the chief banker. They manage the funds and debts of the state.

The person in the position is responsible for payrolls, taxes, pension funds, etc.

Who is running?

Joseph Torsella (Dem - incumbent)
Stacy Garitty (Rep)



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