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Turning the Tide of Anti-Union Legislation

Pa. Democrats win 3 Allegheny County special elections and control of the state House

Democrats declared victory in three special elections for the state House on Tuesday, February 7, 2023 putting the party on the brink of controlling the lower chamber of the legislature for the first time since 2010.

35th Legislative District

GERGELY, MATTHEW R
(DEM)

79.04%

Votes: 4,822

NEVILLS, DONALD R
(REP)

20.96%

Votes: 1,279

34th Legislative District

SALISBURY, ABIGAIL
(DEM)

89.47%

Votes: 6,975

PAGANE, ROBERT J
(REP)

10.53%

Votes: 821



32nd Legislative District

MCANDREW, JOSEPH MELVIN
(DEM)

74.92%

Votes: 9,515
WALKER, CLAYTON
(REP)

25.08%

Votes: 3,185

Ms. Salisbury, a Swissvale lawyer and former First Amendment law professor at the University of Pittsburgh, urged preparedness for climate change and support for public education and entrepreneurs during his campaign.

Mr. McAndrew, the Penn Hills Democratic chairman, campaigned on a higher minimum wage and investment in renewable energy.

And Mr. Gergely, chief revenue officer for the McKeesport city government, promoted a record **“creating well-paying union jobs and supporting our local economy.”**