

RIDGE -- OUR MAN FOR GOVERNOR REPUBLICAN PRIMARY MAY 10

Why Tom Ridge deserves your vote May 10

Five candidates seek the Republican nomination for governor in the May 10 primary.

But only one candidate has a detailed action plan for Pennsylvania agriculture. That's Tom Ridge.

And only one of those five candidates promises to overhaul Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources, and make it a "a partner of farmers rather than prosecutor." That's Tom Ridge.

And only one candidate for governor in the primary next week has a solid ag record. Tom Ridge, of course.

A six-term congressman from rural northwest Pennsylvania, Ridge has long championed farmer rights on wetlands and other issues at the federal level.

As governor, Ridge will continue his role as a farmer advocate.

Here's what Ridge plans for Pennsylvania:

Cut excessive taxes of the



Congressman Tom Ridge, Erie, long a friend of agriculture, wants to be Pennsylvania's next governor. But first he must beat four other challengers Tuesday in the Republican primary. Make Tom a winner. Give him your vote May 10.

Casey years by \$2 billion while reducing state spending by a like amount.

Reform workmen's comp to protect

workers without bankrupting farmers.

Speed up DER permit process immediately with an executive order.

Exempt DER permits for normal farming practices.

Involve farmers and others in decision making before regulations are written.

Staff PDA and DER with capable, experienced people who understand agriculture and can help farmers with their problems.

Launch Task Force chaired by Ridge to double farm exports in four years. Bonus: 100,000 new jobs created by exports.

Find new customers for farm products by investing more money in market research.

Boost sales further by putting more pizzazz in commodity promotions.

"What we basically need in state government," Ridge says, "is less government intrusion and more common sense."

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Dan Cook, Ag Coalition chairman.

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