

Five candidates for Marietta Boro Council state their positions



James Howell

JAMES HOWELL Biographical Information

Three years ago James Howell, and family, came to Marietta after a 30 year career in the U. S. Air Force. During that career he served in a variety of responsible positions, from B-17 Squadron leader during WWII to Command and Senior Staff Colonel in Personnel, Administration and Manpower fields throughout the world. He also attended the Air University in Montgomery, Ala.

Howell (better known as Jay) was the last Director of Personnel and Base Commander at Olmsted A.F.B.

Middletown, and it was there that the Howells, mid-westerners by birth, decided to retire in this area. Their decision had the unanimous approval of their children, too.

Daughter Jacqueline is a senior at Donegal High School and will attend Clarion State College this fall. Daughter Jennifer is a senior at Michigan State University. Another daughter, Jill, will graduate this fall from Weber State College in Ogden, Utah, and their son Jim is working for his master's degree in geology at the University of Utah.

Upon their arrival in Marietta, the Howells opened the White Swan Tavern Antique Shop and entered into community affairs. Jay served briefly as Borough Housing officer before being appointed to a vacant position on the Borough Council in November, 1974.

Howell's Statement -

Of the many problems facing our borough during the next few years, the primary one is financial. In this period of increasing costs and shrinking revenues, many hard, and often unpopular decisions must be made if we are to survive as a Borough. These decisions will require Councilmen who can see tomorrow's problems as well as

today's, and can differentiate between critical needs and those which might be deserving, but ones the Borough simply cannot afford.

I believe that the Restoration and reservation activities that began in the mid-60's in Marietta are positive assets for the Borough. Restoration has brought many fine, new citizens to Marietta as well as much needed "new money," but most importantly, it has changed slum and potential slum dwellings into nice homes. This, in turn, has increased the Borough tax base, without raising taxes, and has made Marietta a finer place in which to work and live. The preservation of our fine old buildings which are a tangible reminder of our proud heritage, should be continued.

Lastly, your Borough Council meets the second Tuesday of each month. It needs your participation, both as an observer and active contributor.

OLIVER C. OVERLANDER, II Biographical Information

Mr. Overlander, 27, was born in York, Pa. He graduated from York Suburban Senior High School in 1965.



Oliver C. Overlander

He became interested in architecture, restoration and antiques, and is currently self-employed as a cabinet-maker in the antique field.

Mr. Overlander and his late wife moved to Marietta from York to their restored residence at 450 East Front Street. Mr. Overlander has a 3 year old son, Oliver C. Overlander, III. He is a member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Mount Joy.

Presently vice-president of Borough Council, Overlander is serving the last year of a three year appointment to Borough Council after being active as Housing Officer for the Borough. He was also very active in the Borough's behalf during

the Agnes Flood in 1972. His hobbies include fishing, camping, gardening, and various outdoor sports.

Overlander's Statement -

I have learned a great deal about local government since my appointment to Borough Council. I believe many of Marietta's problems are a result of poor planning in past years.

Marietta, has improved a great deal since the sewage system was installed and the collection of trash was established, thus eliminating burning within the Borough limits. Our present zoning ordinance was a big move in the right direction as far as planning ahead.

But Marietta can only improve if its leaders are capable of dealing with each problem with an open mind. People have moved into town and preserved many of Marietta's old homes dating back to the eighteen hundreds, and others have constructed new homes within the Borough. Both these movements are good because the old homes are being well preserved and our limited building lots are being utilized with new construction.

I feel tax payers deserve more than they are getting at the present time from their elected officials. We

have a good police force, but there is still room for improvement. Ordinances that we now have should be enforced more often to help clean up the town. Many of our streets leave something to be desired.

If re-elected I can only promise that I would continue to work for a better community for each and every citizen within the various other locations throughout the community.



Robert E. Long

ROBERT E. LONG Biographical Information

Robert E. Long, 56, was born in Shamokin, Pa., and has resided in Marietta for the past 29 years. He and

Cut this sheet out. Take it with you to the polls.

Take this.

There's a long, honorable tradition at stake this May 20 . . . the tradition of good government for Lancaster County. Because over the years you the voter have

cared enough to cast your ballot . . . cared enough to keep our local government uncommonly free of the shenanigans that have plagued other areas.

Vote. Because you can't afford to stop caring. And because these G.O.P. slated candidates are depending on your support.

Paul A. Mueller, Jr.
A native Lancasterian, Paul is an attorney and a partner in the firm of Barley, Snyder, Cooper & Mueller. His background of wide professional experience will be a great advantage to the Court of Common Pleas. His involvement in community affairs goes back over 16 years. Presently he's on the Board of Directors of the Lancaster General Hospital, The United Way, and The Easter Seal Society, as well as being Vice-President of the Lancaster Symphony Orchestra. Paul is a member of Trinity Lutheran Church.
To vote for Paul, write "Mueller" in slot number 4.

Raymond G. Herr
Ray has been Chairman of the Lancaster County Commissioners for the past three years and has behind him a record of noteworthy service in a wide variety of political posts. Presently he serves on the Governor's Justice Commission, the Lancaster Area Transportation Study, and the Mental Health/Mental Retardation Board. He is also a charter member of the Willow Street Lions Club. Ray was graduated from West Lampeter High School and is a member of the Litzitz Moravian Church.

Paul F. Paes
An incumbent County Commissioner, Paul has a long record of dedicated political service in Lancaster County. Through the years he has become a well-known and highly respected member of the local governmental body. Active in many community organizations such as the Litzitz Chamber of Commerce, the American Legion, B.P.O. Elks, Masons, Shriners, he still finds time to serve as Director of Heritage Center of Lancaster County, Director of Soil Conservation, and Director of Office of Aging. We need his ambition and energy in the County Commissioner's Office. Paul is a graduate of Quarryville High School and Pennsylvania State University and attends the Refton Brethren in Christ Church.

Jacob L. Brown
A familiar figure in his native Lancaster County, Jake has spent 23 years working on political committees and campaigns. Presently he volunteers his services as a Committeeman and an Area Chairman. He has always been extremely active in the Board of Directors of the Manheim Lions Club. Jake belongs to the Zion Lutheran Church. He holds a degree from Millersville State College and is on the management staff of Pennsylvania Bell.

Kenneth L. Reighard
Ken's experience as Mayor of Elizabethtown, as well as his work as Committeeman and as a member of the Advisory Committee, gives him an exceedingly relevant background for the office of Sheriff. He has been closely associated with many community organizations over the past 15 years, including the Elizabethtown Chamber of Commerce, Loyal Order of Moose, American Legion, Elizabethtown Lodge #682 F & AM, Lancaster Lodge of Perfection. Ken is a graduate of Elizabethtown High School and Elizabethtown College.

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OFFICES	Judge Of The Superior Court	Judge Of The Court of Common Pleas	County Commissioner	Prothonotary	Recorder	Sheriff	County Treasurer	Register Of Wills	Clerk Of The Court	Coroner	Prison Keeper	Prison Inspectors							
B-REPUBLICAN	Silvestri	Silvestri	Raymond Herr	Paul F. Paes	Jacob L. Brown	Richard Eckman	Kenneth L. Reighard	Robert Fasnacht	Alice M. Frey	Mabel B. Kreider	Whitlaw Show	Jack F. Tracy	Howard Snow	Celia T. Rick					

Hempfield School District

OFFICES	School Directors
B-REPUBLICAN	22B Elmer L. Wagner, Jr. 25B Terry L. Wilhelm 26B David E. Alspach

Donegal School District

OFFICES	School Directors
B-REPUBLICAN	23B Jere R. Duke 26B Richard A. Umberhauer 27B John M. Weidman 31B Donald Kugle

**Marietta Borough
Mount Joy Borough
East Donegal Twp.**

OFFICES	Justice of the Peace
B-REPUBLICAN	21B Raymond B. Knorr

Seriously.

Paid for by the Republican Primary Committee of Lancaster County, Chairman, Larry D. Boozer - Treasurer, Franklin M. McCorkel