



# JANUARY 2026

# NEWSLETTER

## OUR MISSION

TO PROMOTE AND ENHANCE  
POSITIVE BUSINESS ACTIVITY  
AND GROWTH IN THE  
SLATE BELT REGION WITH  
SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON  
COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT.

## UPCOMING CHAMBER EVENTS

- **Slate Belt Restaurant Week**  
March 2nd-8th

### Sponsorship Opportunities!!

Details included in this issue!  
Major Sponsorships are first-come.

**More events coming soon!**

Ideas or Suggestions?  
We'd love to hear them!  
Email [info@slatebeltcamb.org](mailto:info@slatebeltcamb.org)



### Santa's Elves Party!



In December our Elves hosted the annual children's party, complete with a magician, lunch, gifts, visit from Santa, and hot chocolate served by The Local Scoop! Balloon It Up created the festive display for photos with Santa!

2026

As we welcome the New Year, we want to thank you for being part of our Chamber community. Your commitment to local business, collaboration, and growth is what makes our region thrive. We look forward to another year of connection, advocacy, and opportunity. Wishing you and your team a happy, healthy New Year.

**Membership Renewals were mailed in December.**  
**Renewals can be made by check or online!**

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

**Bagels on the Corner**

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## We're a partner that cares about the health and prosperity of your business.

When you work with PA Chamber Insurance, you not only get the best in benefits solutions — you get the power of the PA Chamber of Business and Industry's pro-business advocacy efforts and our commitment to your company's economic growth and stability.

### Outstanding service

Our customers are our number one priority. Our commitment is to deliver you outstanding service and support including:

- Personalized assistance from experienced benefits experts
- One number to call for all your benefit needs
- Our Service and Support team is PA Insurance Department licensed and brings 15+ years of healthcare experience
- One-on-one employee enrollment services

### Medical benefits

We strategize with you on plan design and options that best meet your health and budgetary needs. PA Chamber Insurance offers medical benefits including:

- Group health options
- Self-insurance
- Medicare

### Dental, vision, life and more — most with no minimum participation requirements

There's no better way to supplement your healthcare program than by also offering dental, vision, life, disability and other specialty coverages. And PA Chamber Insurance offers exclusive, competitively priced benefits that include guaranteed issue and most with no minimum participation requirements.

### Self-funding

Self-funding is becoming an increasingly popular alternative for companies to manage their growing healthcare costs. Your company benefits from the PCI Benefits Consortium self-funded product in four key areas:

- lowering costs
- cash flow advantages
- risk management
- financial control

Plus you get to use the carrier of your choice — with the same network, discounts and plan design you're familiar with.

### Compliance solutions

Our credentialed in-house Compliance Specialist can assist you with a variety of services to help you with your most pressing compliance needs:

- Model notices required by law
- Compliance policy creation, assistance and implementation
- Employee benefit open enrollment communication materials
- Access to compliance services for your employee benefits plan
- Compliance information including but not limited to ERISA, COBRA, ACA, HIPAA and FMLA



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