



CITIZENS ADVISORY
of Pennsylvania



Benjamin R. Herring

Benjamin (Ben) R. Herring is the Vice-President of the Citizens Advisory of Pennsylvania, a Non-Profit 501(c)3 committed to being a voice for the children and stakeholders of Northeastern Pennsylvania communities, while also advocating for their constitutional rights, educational choices, and pursuit of happiness. Citizens Advisory of Pennsylvania holds local elected officials accountable by pursuing full transparency in all fiscal, policy and curriculum decisions made using taxpayer resources.

As Vice-President of Citizens Advisory of Pennsylvania, Mr. Herring helps lead the organization in protecting fundamental constitutional freedoms and promoting various information sharing initiatives designed to empower Parents of all backgrounds and viewpoints. The Organization has a multitude of efforts designed to sustain oversight and compliance from 500+ school districts within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Herring is a seasoned Project Manager certified by the Project Management Institute and has spent 15+ years managing cross-functional multi domain projects of up to \$2B. Mr. Herring began his non-profit service in 2021 when he realized the enormous lack of oversight within the public school system, which has led to major academic decline in our nation's schools.

Mr. Herring is a Marine Corps Veteran (2003-2007) where he deployed twice in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. Mr. Herring's awards include a Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal with Combat Distinguishing device (V), Combat Action Ribbon (gold star in lieu of 2nd award), Presidential Unit Commendation, Navy Unit Commendation, Navy Meritorious Unit Commendation, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, and Global War on Terrorism Service medal, amongst others.