

State Representative Jamie Santora, 163rd Legislative District

Jamie Santora represents Pennsylvania's 163rd Legislative District in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives. Santora serves part of Delaware County including Aldan, Clifton Heights and parts of Haverford and Upper Darby Townships.

Currently, in the PA House of Representatives, Santora serves on four committees: Children & Youth, Local Government, Professional Licensure, and Urban Affairs. Previously, he served as a Councilman At Large in Upper Darby Township from 2011 through 2014.

Santora's mission in the legislature focuses on children, public schools, and jobs. So far, he has sponsored nine House General Bills in his time in the legislature. He served as President on the Board of the Pilgrim Gardens Aronimink Civic Association, actively involving himself in zoning issues, safety of residents and community pride. He also serves on the Executive Board of Time for Teens, a community outreach program focused on teenagers, headquartered in Upper Darby.

In 2012, Santora was elected to St. Dorothy's Parish Council for a two year term. He also previously served as president and now serves as a current member of the Greater Philadelphia Chapter of UNICO, an Italian American charitable organization of business leaders who give back to their communities. Santora played an instrumental part in 2012 with the creation of the Faith in the Future Foundation that oversees the Philadelphia Archdiocese High School system.

While a Councilman for Upper Darby Township, he focused on keeping Upper Darby Township safe, attracting new business to the Township, increasing revenue and cutting expenses, and promoted the Township as a great place to raise a family. Santora credits his mother's commitment to public service as a major reason why he began giving back to his community and seeking public office.

Born in Drexel Hill, Santora has spent more than 38 years in Upper Darby Township. He graduated from St. Dorothy School and Cardinal O'Hara High School and received his Bachelor of Science in Marketing from Cabrini College. He and his wife Amy decided to stay and raise their family in Upper Darby Township. They have three children, Ryan, Tyler and Kyra.