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The tide is turning...

Dems to reclaim majority, Dan Goughnour wins big in state House race

Pennsylvania lawmakers on Tuesday returned Democratic Speaker Joanna McClinton of Philadelphia to lead the chamber for the new session after the Republican floor leader bowed out to resolve a deadlock.

With about 99% of precincts reporting results from the Tuesday, March 25 PA Special Election, in-person voting and most write-in votes tallied, Goughnour had collected 63.4% of the votes counted compared to 35% for Davis and 1.6% for Kitta, according to unofficial results.

About 10,700 votes had been counted, placing voter turnout in the Mon Valley district at about 25%, county results showed.

"I'm humbled and grateful that (Mon Valley voters) have put (their) trust in me to serve the 35th District and carry on Matt Gergely's legacy of service to this community," Goughnour said in a Facebook post after declaring victory.

"I look forward to delivering real results for the Mon Valley," he added.

Democrat on verge of potential upset in State Senate special election

With 100% of precincts reporting, Democrat James Andrew Malone leads Republican Josh Parsons in the 36th District State Senate special election in what could represent a dramatic shift in one of Pennsylvania's Republican strongholds.

Malone, the mayor of East Petersburg, leads Parsons, a county commissioner, with 26,951 votes to Parsons's 26,469 for a margin of 482 votes. Parsons stated "Obviously we are disappointed in the numbers. We are still reviewing them, but it appears we will come up a little short."

"Tonight, in Lancaster County, Pennsylvanians rejected a candidate who embraced the extremism and division coming out of DC," Shapiro's statement reads. "In a district carried comfortably by Donald Trump just a few months ago, they chose a better way forward – an embrace of competence, commonsense and a desire to bring people together."

