## **Press Release**



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## Dauphin County General Authority releases RFP on Dauphin Highlands Golf Course

**HARRISBURG, PA** – The Dauphin County General Authority (DCGA) has announced it is asking for proposals from any interested parties on purchasing the 228-acre Dauphin Highlands golf course that it owns.

The Authority Board emphasized it has not determined it will sell the land, located in Swatara Twp. and Steelton, but believes it has an obligation to the Dauphin County community to evaluate and understand the market value of the property. Barbara Zemlock, chairperson of the DCGA, said the reason for issuing the RFP on Feb. 19, 2025, is because of several unsolicited requests the authority has received to buy the land.

"We are simply doing our due diligence in seeking purchasing information," she said. "This is an opportunity to understand the potential benefits and any ramifications of selling the property."

Responses to the request for proposal (RFP) will be due on May 15, 2025. After that deadline, the Authority Board will determine what its next steps will be. For copies of the RFP and to find out more about DCGA, visit <u>dauphincountygeneralauthority.org</u>.

DCGA is a steward of public property; it has owned the <u>Dauphin Highlands</u> property since 1993.

Pennsylvania county general authorities help with economic development, community services and public works projects. DCGA is governed by a five-member board, all of whom are appointed by the Dauphin County Commissioners to staggered five-year terms.

Pursuant to the PA Municipalities Authority Act, the Dauphin County Commissioners have no official role in the governance of DCGA, and the general authority is legally independent of county government. Instead, all matters involving DCGA are governed and determined by its five-member board, pursuant to law.