

# **PARTICIPANTS**

Participants names have been removed for the purposes of this sample program.

**CONGRATULATIONS  
TO OUR NEW CITIZENS!**

# **PROGRAM**

Welcome & Instructions.....	RoseMarie S. Sallemi Naturalization Officer
Opening Remarks.....	RoseMarie S. Sallemi Naturalization Officer
Oath of Allegiance.....	Presiding Judge Judge
Pledge of Allegiance.....	Katherine Wood-Jacobs Prothonotary Office
Remarks.....	Presiding Judge Judge
Presentation of Certificates.....	Presiding Judge Judge Katherine Wood-Jacobs Prothonotary Office

Photos with the Honorable Presiding Judge may be taken after the ceremony.

## **OUR NEW CITIZENS COME FROM X# COUNTRIES**

Countries intentionally left blank for the purposes of this sample program.

## *Oath of Allegiance*

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen;

**that** I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic;

**that** I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same;

**that** I will bear arms on behalf of the United States when required by the law;

**that** I will perform noncombatant service in the Armed Forces of the United States when required by law;

**that** I will perform work of national importance under civilian direction when required by law;

**and that** I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion:

**So help me God.**

New citizens are eligible to register to vote and apply for a passport.

Voter registration forms are included in gift bag.

**You may apply for a passport in the Prothonotary's Office located on the 2nd floor of the Courthouse (50 N. Duke St.).**

## *NATURALIZATION CEREMONY*

*LANCASTER COUNTY  
COURTHOUSE  
COURTROOM "A"*

*Date of Ceremony*

*JUDGE  
Presiding Judge*