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News From Around PA In PA, agriculture is the No. 1 industry A new EPA reg known as the Waters of the United States will negatively impact it. The rule would regulate streams, ditches, ponds and creek beds, something the Clean Water Act never intended.

After an attempt to start collecting amusement-tax revenue from **lap dances** was rejected by a court, Philly will not pursue an appeal.

Three Pennsylvania colleges made the top 10 list of "**top party schools"** ranked by Princeton Review: Lehigh University (Bethlehem) Penn State University Park campus and Bucknell University. News from National Scene

In Michigan, a group of Black pastors condemned what they called state Republican leaders' **"dance with the devil"** regarding legislation they said is discriminatory and would threaten religious freedom and women's privacy rights by adding socalled "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" to the state's civil rights law.

The Campus SaVE Act, written by Senator Bob Casey, requires colleges and universities to spell out policies on sexual assault and intimate partner violence and provide prevention assistance programs, for victims and clear institutional judicial proceedings. Do these same schools still have condom dispensing vending machines?

The **Defense Department** violated the law when it didn't tell Congress before transferring five Taliban detainees from Guantánamo Bay to Qatar in return for the Taliban's release of captured Army Sgt. Bowe Bergdahl, the GAO reported.

The **state of Maryland**, in response to the threat of a

lawsuit, has changed its employee health care policy to provide insurance coverage for "medically necessary care for transgender employees."

HHS new rule in response to Hobby Lobby case is a repeat of history. The new rule, for non-profits and "closely held for-profit entities" allows groups to notify HHS that they object to providing contraception for religious reasons, and then the government will notify insurers that they need to provide separate coverage for contraception to the business's employees "with no additional cost to the enrollee or the employer." AFA of PA encourages Christians, through education, to become involved in pro-family issues in their community, state and the nation.

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