

## American Family Association of Pennsylvania Weekly Update



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## **Check Our Recent Interview**

Laurie Higgins, IL Family Institute - schools and Title IX http://afaofpa.org/listen/

News From Around PA
Penn State has just
announced that because of
Governor Wolf's December
29th budget veto of the
agricultural funding, they
will soon be forced to close
programs, laying off 1100
workers in the process.

A Delaware County woman who thinks she is a man is suing the **PA Department of Human Services** because the state's Medicaid program refuses to pay for a hysterectomy. She views this as a necessary "treatment" for her gender dysphoria.

Pittsburgh-based **PNC Bank's** political action committee donated \$3000 to NJ Congressman Scott Garrett. Garden State Equality pressured them to stop contributing to him after Garrett said he would not

contribute to the House Republican's financing arm because it backs homosexual candidates. The bank responded, "PNC and its PAC are committed to LGBT rights and always have been."

News from National Scene
The executive director of the
US Election Assistance
Commission told officials in
AL, GA and KS they could
require residents to provide
proof of US citizenship when
using federal forms to
register to vote. Activists
have asked a federal judge
for a temporary restraining
order to block the decision.

On this same note: A 2014 study by researchers at Virginia's Old Dominion and George Mason Universities found that "some noncitizens participate in U.S. elections, and that this participation has been large enough to change meaningful election outcomes including Electoral College votes, and Congressional elections."

**Deerfield High School**, near Chicago, quietly changed a multi-stall girls restroom into a co-ed restroom. Neither parents nor students were notified of this change to the secluded restroom. This facility isn't just for students confused about their sexuality; it is girls and boys to use at the same time!

## **Seattle Parks and Recreation**

reported a man undressed in a women's locker room at a local pool . Staff told the man to leave, but he cited the newly passed gender identity law stating he "had a right to be here."

President Obama has attached language in the 2017 **Defense Dept. budget** that states the U.S. Army will provide every soldier and civilian equal opportunities to rise to the level of their merit "regardless of their gender, their race, or their self-identity."

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