



American Family Association of Pennsylvania Weekly Update

Seeking to Expose Attacks on Faith, Family and Freedom with a few wins thrown in

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News from Around PA

A Colonial School District (Montgomery County) board member has resigned after referring to Israel's military as a "terrorist organization" on Facebook. Community outrage against Dr. Jamina Clay's post prompted her resignation.

An ornithologist with Muhlenberg College in Allentown predicts a project by the **American Ornithological Society** (AOS) could impact a dozen birds that breed in, migrate to, or visit PA! The AOS said it will review all birds with human names to dissociate the animals from namesakes with problematic pasts. Several birds, such as the Townsend's warbler and solitaire, are named after racists. Who knew!! AOS wants inclusion!

Governor Josh Shapiro will appeal the 10-page ruling by the PA Commonwealth Court striking down the **Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative** (RGGI) which said such action can only be achieved through legislation, noting it is an invalid tax and therefore void.

Pennridge School District

(Bucks County) board has passed "several anti-diversity and anti-LGBTQ+ policies." In response, the Bucks County NAACP, the PairUP Society (a DEI advocacy group) and several families have joined forces to sue the district. Unfortunately, all five open seats were won by Democrats on November 7th and they vow to rescind the policies.

News From National Scene

The **US Census Bureau** requested \$10 million in the fiscal year 2023 to study how best to word a question for the survey asking Americans about their gender identity.

The **South Carolina Supreme Court** upheld the state/s pro-life heartbeat law.

A state judge blocked a **pro-abortion ballot initiative** in Nevada based on its misleading language.

"Gender-Affirming

Psychiatric Care", a textbook printed by American Psychiatric Association Publishing was just released. It relies on a mix of transgender-identifying professionals writing about their experiences, limited

scientific studies and neo-Marxists critical theories. It will be used to train psychiatrists and some experts have warned it could harm millions of children in the future.

Michigan's Holt Public

Schools Director of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Matt Morales emailed staff members demanding they foster inclusiveness, while urging teachers to actively promote racism and religious discrimination. They were instructed to eliminate traditional Christmas colors and decorations. Elf on a Shelf, Santa Claus, and even decorated trees were prohibited as they "are actually centered on Christian beliefs and practices." Teachers were instead ordered to utilize a list of racist writings!

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