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Guest:  Bob Marshall, former VA delegate; Topic: What’s happened to Virginia!

News From Around PA
Allegheny County Council fast tracked a talk therapy ban.  DeWitt Walton motioned a vote to bypass committee review and a second reading! The ban passed by a vote of 13-2 - with GOP Tom Baker siding with the Democrats. This ban will prevent minors with unwanted same-sex attraction or gender confusion from seeking help from licensed therapists.

Planned Parenthood aborts about 17,000 Pennsylvanians annually.  Governor Wolf’s new budget would force PA taxpayers to give an additional $3 million to them!

"Everybody is a sexual being," Vicki Landers, president and CEO of Disability Pride Philadelphia (DPP), said. “We cover the circle of sexuality, safer sex, today's terminology of sexual orientation and gender identity.”  DPP hosted an event on Valentine's Day, "Let's Talk About Disabled Sex," to provide inclusive sex education for people with physical and intellectual disabilities.

From The Aging Workgroup of the Pennsylvania Commission on LGBTQ Affairs: . . . soliciting feedback on how the next State Plan can better meet the growing needs of LGBTQ older Pennsylvanians.” Remember Governor Wolf created this commission through an executive order in 2018!

News From National Scene
Three Connecticut high school girls are suing the CT Interscholastic Athletic Conference over its policy that allows biological males to compete in girls’ sports.

An after school program featuring drag queens at Clinton Elementary School, a suburb of Columbus, Ohio, was cancelled due to "outside agitators" i.e. parents’ complaints. Drag queens Valerie Taylor and Courtney Kelly were set to dress as Disney characters Mary Poppins and Cruella de Vil.

The Brevard County Board of Commissioners in Florida has agreed to pay $490K in a legal settlement that forces them to allow atheists to open the commissioners’ meetings in prayer.

The “Vulnerable Child Protection Act” would have prevented minors from beginning ‘transition’ to the opposite sex passed in the South Dakota House, but was killed by the GOP in the Senate.

Mississippi Democrat has introduced a bill that would require homeschoolers to only use government-approved curriculum in grades 9 through 12.

New Jersey’s new law will require all schools to incorporate LGBT history lessons.  A proposed bill would give parents the ability to opt their child out.

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