



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

Good Bills this week:

restoring the President

Joseph R. Biden, Jr.

Expressway back to its

original name - Central

Scranton Expressway;

requiring all lodging industry

employers to use E-Verify.

Bad Bills this week:

protections for LGBTQ foster/

adoptive parents; teaching

mindfulness in schools.

A Philadelphia “transgender

woman” (biological male)

says he was unfairly denied

coverage for “trans-related”

medical services by **Cigna**

Health and Life Insurance

Company. The denial letter

states: “Facial feminization

surgery is considered not

medically necessary when

performed as part of a gender

reassignment.” The

“transgender woman” has

filed a 23-page lawsuit.

The **Lancaster Public Library**

has failed to promise that it

will not hold Drag Queen

Story Hours and other pro-

LGBTQ events in 2025. As a

result, East Hempfield and

Manor Townships have voted

to withhold funding.

Philadelphia City Council

Committee on Law and

Government hosted The

Trump Preparedness Hearing

to explore the city’s “ability to

protect marginalized

communities under President

Donald Trump’s leadership.”

News From National Scene

In his private capacity, **Idaho**

National Guard Major David

Worley ran for mayor of

Pocatello, Idaho, and during

his campaign, he spoke out

against drag queen story

hours, explicit material in

public libraries, and

transgender treatments for

children. A homosexual man

under his command was not

pleased with the statements

and filed a discrimination

complaint. The Idaho Army

National Guard suspended

Worley from command in July

2023 following the complaint.

They are being sued! The

lawsuit alleges that

leadership “recommended

that all candidates for

command be scrutinized to

ensure that their Christian

beliefs, views, or expression

are discovered prior to be

given command and reported

to the Department of Defense

for investigation of

concerning extremist

activity.” The investigating

officer “recommended that

there be No Christians in

Command in the Idaho Army

National Guard because of

their ‘concerning ideologies.’”

The **Supreme Court of**

Nassau County, New York,

has upheld a local law

prohibiting trans-identified

males from competing in

women’s sports. Opponents

of the measure promise to

continue their litigation

against it.

The Wisconsin-based

Freedom from Religion

Foundation sent a letter to

every Ohio school district

discouraging Ohio school

boards from participating in

LifeWise Academy. In

response, Ohio clergy

supporting the academy sent

a letter to over one-hundred

Wisconsin school boards

encouraging them to allow

the voluntary Bible program

in their districts.

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