



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

HB 1476 adds a new chapter entitled “**Voting System Performance Audit**” to Title 25 of the PA Consolidated Statutes. It is now in the House State Government Committee. This bill would require an audit of the SURE System or Replacement General Registry every four years.

Two black **Penn State** professors reported a noose in a tree behind their house claiming the incident was “deeply distressing to them and their family.” Penn State President Eric Barron immediately offered his support. Patton Township Police Department began an investigation into “possible harassment.” Turns out the rope was part of a swing set and the neighbors’ child told police he had merely thrown the rope into the woods.

HB 1453, the **Compassionate Assisted Dignified Death** bill has been sent to the House Judiciary Committee. This bill

would legalize physician-assisted suicide in PA!

A family in Telford (Montco) has received a letter from the Galman Group, which owns the **Indian Valley Meadows complex** where the family lives, telling them to take down a flag pole waving the American flag.

News From National Scene

American Airlines is **investigating a Texas-based pilot** who spoke against an effort by his local school district to implement critical race theory. He has flown for the airlines for 30 years.

Montana Governor Greg Gianforte has signed into law a bill **prohibiting the use of taxpayer dollars to fund Title X family planning programs**, which include abortion. The money will be rerouted to health care entities such as Federally Qualified Health Centers and rural health clinics that do not do abortion

New York City Pride has announced it is banning the New York Police Department from participating in the annual ‘gay pride’ parade and festival, saying their appearance threatened members of the community. They are also banning “all

correction and law enforcement exhibitors at NYC Pride events until 2025.

Tennessee Governor Bill Lee has signed a bill into law that separates private spaces such as bathrooms and locker rooms for use according to one’s biological sex.

The US Supreme Court has agreed to take a **case involving a 2018 Mississippi law** which bans abortions after 15 weeks with limited exceptions. Existing precedent prohibits states from banning abortions before viability, typically around 22 weeks. MS is asking the justices to review the viability standard, asking whether all pre-viability restrictions on abortion are unconstitutional. The case, is *Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization*.

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