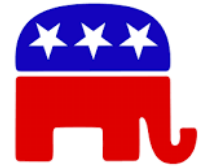


Lehigh County Republican Committee  
Chairman Giovanni Landi  
121 N Cedar Crest Blvd  
Allentown, PA 18104  
(610) 435-3322



Lehigh County Republican Committee passes resolution in support of House Bill 1531

The Lehigh County Republican Committee adopted on September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018 a resolution to support House Bill 1531.

As per the Pennsylvania General Assembly site, HB 1531 is:

*“An Act amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in open meetings, further providing for public notice and providing for notification of agency business required and exceptions.”*

Specifically, HB 1531 would require that all governmental entities, including committees, post an agenda 24 hours before their meetings. In addition, no addendum could be added once the agenda is posted. For example, this provision would prevent collective bargaining unit contract votes from being added as addendums to previously posted meeting agendas at the last minute, as has taken place in East Penn School District.

The members of the Lehigh County Republican Committee look upon any changes to the Sunshine Act which allow for increased governmental transparency positively. For this reason, we ask all Representatives, both Republican and Democrat, to support HB 1531.

Giovanni Landi

Chairman – Lehigh County Republican Committee