
**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTH YORK, YORK COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA, OPPOSING PA HOUSE BILL 299,
THE JAKE SCHWAB WORKER SAFETY BILL
RESOLUTION 2023- 10**

WHEREAS

Pennsylvania House Bill 299, known as the “Jake Schwab Worker Safety Bill,” has reached third and final passage in the PA House; and,

HB 299 would create new unfunded mandates which would subject local governments to federal OSHA standards, allowing a government agency to fine another government entity. In the private sector, the risk of a fine may keep bad actors in line. In this instance, it only hurts taxpayers; and,

Most OSHA standards are not applicable to local governments, as road maintenance and construction by local governments must follow PennDOT’s safety regulations, and the requirements set forth in the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD); and,

The Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs (PSAB) and the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors (PSATS) have voiced strong opposition against these unfunded mandates.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Council of the Borough of North York to oppose the passage of PA House Bill 299 and urges the members of the PA Senate and the PA Governor to refuse support.

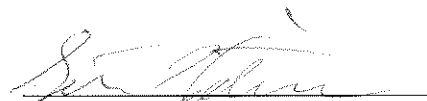
ADOPTED by the Council of North York Borough this 9th Day of May 2023.

ATTEST:

NORTH YORK BOROUGH COUNCIL



Sonya Grim, Secretary



Seth Hightman, President



Honorable Nancy Brunk, Mayor

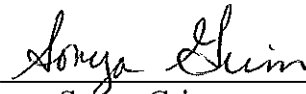
CERTIFICATE

2023- 10

I, the undersigned officer of the Borough of NORTH YORK, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was approved by majority vote of the entire Council at a meeting duly convened according to law and held on May 9, 2023, at which meeting a quorum was present; said Resolution has been recorded in the minutes of said Council; and said Resolution remains in effect, unaltered and unamended, as of the date of this Certificate.

I further certify that the Borough of NORTH YORK met the advance notice requirements of the Pennsylvania Sunshine Act, 65 Pa. Cons. Stat. §701 et seq., by advertising the time and place of said meeting and by posting prominently a notice of said meeting at the principal office of the Borough or at the public building in which said meeting was held.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I set my hand and affix the official seal of the Borough of NORTH YORK this 9th day of May 2023.



Sonya Grim
Secretary

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