



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

PROCLAMATION

PRO BONO WEEK
October 20 - 26, 2019

WHEREAS, the eleventh annual National Pro Bono Week will be celebrated at the end of October 2019; and

WHEREAS, National Pro Bono Week is an opportunity to highlight the differences lawyers make in their communities, to recruit and train more pro bono volunteers and to acknowledge the partnerships that form the basis for many of the private bar's most successful pro bono efforts; and

WHEREAS the Pennsylvania Bar Association is joining with the American Bar Association to sponsor this October's annual National Pro Bono Week celebration; and

WHEREAS, National Pro Bono Week provides numerous opportunities to highlight the good work Pennsylvania attorneys do for clients in need; and

WHEREAS, the commonwealth is a better place when we offer support and resources to those in need, and Pennsylvania is a leader in celebrating National Pro Bono Week, with annual events at many sites across the Commonwealth.

THEREFORE, I, Tom Wolf, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby proclaim October 20 - 26, 2019, to be PRO BONO WEEK. I encourage all Pennsylvanians to recognize and appreciate the dedication and contributions of these law professionals to enhancing the lives of their clients, and to support pro bono legal work in their communities.



GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Governor, at the City of Harrisburg, this thirtieth day of September two thousand nineteen, the year of the commonwealth the two hundred forty-fourth.

A blue ink signature of Tom Wolf, written in a cursive style.

TOM WOLF
Governor