

# EXHIBIT A

## School Boards - Deprivation of Rights under Color of Law

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From RobertSmithPA@protonmail.com <RobertSmithPA@protonmail.com>

To dacontact@chesco.org

Date Monday, February 21st, 2022 at 3:45 PM Monday, February 21st, 2022 at 3:45 PM

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You may be aware of school board officials attempting to remove law abiding citizens from public property for non-compliance to a policy. Unfortunately, citizens are being unlawfully threatened, intimidated, coerced by law enforcement in a capacity to enforce a policy. I don't think that is appropriate or lawful to involve law enforcement into policy enforcement.

Further, school boards are attempting to convert a 1st amendment protected right into a criminal act. I also believe that you have an understanding that free speech is not criminal.

I have provided advanced notice to law enforcement and countless other public servants making my best attempt at being reasonable. However, these are unreasonable times and a wise person told me, hope for the best and plan for the worst. It is my hope that I encounter reasonable people, pausing, verifying in advance of making an unlawful decision.

Regards,  
Robert Smith

## FW: Email to DA Deborah Ryan

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From O'Donnell, John C. <jodonnell@chesco.org>

To RobertSmithPA@protonmail.com

CC Goggin, Thomas J.<tgoggin@chesco.org>,  
Dougherty, Robert J.<rdougherty@chesco.org>, DSassa@chesco.org<dsassa@chesco.org>  
, dryan@chesco.org

Date Tuesday, February 22nd, 2022 at 11:55 AM Tuesday, February 22nd, 2022 at 11:55 AM

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Dear Mr. Smith,

The District Attorney of Chester County and the Chester County Detectives are in receipt of your email sent February 22, 2022 at 0615 hours. After evaluating the text of your email, I have been assigned to attempt to identify which specific schoolboard(s) you would be referring to that allegedly circumvented the Sunshine Act and unlawfully threatened and intimidated law abiding citizens on public property.

I would also be interested in you explaining the final paragraph of you email ending in "It is my hope that I encounter reasonable people, pausing, verifying in advance of making an unlawful decision". I've attached your email and the last paragraph is highlighted. Please contact me at this email address or 610-344-5684 .

Sincerely,

Detective John C. O'Donnell  
Chester County Detectives 91D13

-----Original Message-----

From: [det-lan140-1@chesco.org](mailto:det-lan140-1@chesco.org) <[det-lan140-1@chesco.org](mailto:det-lan140-1@chesco.org)>  
Sent: Tuesday, February 22, 2022 10:27 AM  
To: O'Donnell, John C. <[jodonnell@chesco.org](mailto:jodonnell@chesco.org)>  
Subject:

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Sassa, David M.

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**From:** Ryan, Deborah S.  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 22, 2022 6:15 AM  
**To:** Sassa, David M.  
**Subject:** Fwd: [EXTERNAL] - Fw: School Boards - Deprivation of Rights under Color of Law

Chief,  
Please assign someone to look into this asap. No idea who this person is but he's giving us a warning we need to take seriously.

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**From:** RobertSmithPA <RobertSmithPA@protonmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, February 21, 2022 10:13:07 PM  
**To:** Ryan, Deborah S. <dryan@chesco.org>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] - Fw: School Boards - Deprivation of Rights under Color of Law

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