

2023 RESOLUTIONS TO BE AMENDED:

ALZHEIMER'S & DEMENTIA LONG TERM PLANNING COMMISSION

RESOLVED, That the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs of GFWC, an organization of approximately 6,400 concerned women, in Convention assembled April 2021, 2022, strongly urges New Jersey legislators to support S1033, establishing the 'Alzheimer's and Dementia Long Term Planning Commission' in the Department of Human Services which would provide for the ongoing evaluation of NJ's Alzheimer's disease and dementia care system and identify means and methods that can be used to address significant shortcomings and expand and prepare the system to meet the increasing and evolving needs of an aging population; and

Amend by inserting "A2682" before "S1033".

Rationale: To update

GROSS INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR HONORABLY DISCHARGED

RESOLVED, That the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs of GFWC, an organization of approximately 7,200 concerned women, in Convention assembled May 2017, 2018, 2022, strongly urges New Jersey legislators to pass legislation to provide a \$1,000 gross income tax exemption for those who served in the military and received an honorable discharge; and

Amend by striking after the words to pass "legislation" and inserting "A2871".

Rationale: To update

SAFE TEENAGE DRIVING

RESOLVED, That the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs of GFWC, an organization of approximately 11,000 concerned women, in Convention assembled, May 2008, strongly urges the New Jersey Legislature to enact legislation to strengthen the existing laws and regulations concerning teenage drivers under the age of 18 to include:

1. Any motor vehicle operated by a person under the age of 18 must display an orange hang tag.
2. After having received a learner's permit, increase the time period from six months to one year before being issued a provisional license,
3. Include in the monetary penalty structure fines for the parents of the teenage driver who violates the provisions of a special learner's permit, an examination permit or a provisional driver's license.
4. Increase the driver's fines for a violation of the provisions of a special learner's permit.
5. Formulate point assessments and suspension periods to be more punitive than existing regulations and

Amend by striking section 1 and 2 and renumbering sections 3, 4 and 5.

Rationale: Sections 1 (Kyleigh's Law) and 2 were signed into law by Governor Corzine in 2009

2023 RESOLUTIONS TO BE RESCINDED:

OYSTER CREEK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

RESOLVED, That the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs of GFWC, an organization of approximately 8,500 concerned women, in Convention assembled May 2012, strongly urges New Jersey legislators to enact legislation mandating extra precautions to ensure a safe, healthy shore environment; and

Rationale: The Oyster Creek Nuclear Power Plant was shut down in September 2018. About 200 employees will remain at the plant to carry out the decommissioning work with Holtec Decommissioning International.

PROTECTING THE HIGHLANDS REGION BY OPPOSING THE PILGRIMS PIPELINE

Resolved, THAT the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs of GFWC, an organization of approximately 8,000 concerned women, in Convention assembled May 2015, urges the enactment of SR106 and AR191 opposing the construction of the Pilgrim Pipeline through New Jersey; and

Rationale: SR106 was passed on June 29, 2015 and AR191 was passed on December 18, 2014.

PROTECTION OF CHILDREN'S RIGHTS

RESOLVED, That the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs of GFWC, an organization of approximately 14,000 concerned women, in Convention assembled, May 2004, strongly urges the Governor of New Jersey, the Department of Human Services and the Division of Youth and Family Services to expeditiously meet the terms of the agreed settlement with Children's Rights, Inc., and

Rationale: The Settlement Agreement was reached with New Jersey officials in September 2005. The settlement also ensured that the children receive needed educational and therapeutic services. As a result of this lawsuit, the right of children in foster care to sue the state for damages has been substantially strengthened.

PROPOSED TO BE RESCINDED - PENDING ADOPTION OF NEW

RESOLUTION ENTITLED: **EMINENT DOMAIN**

EMINENT DOMAIN – CONDEMNATION - May 2006, 2008

EMINENT DOMAIN – CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT – May 2006, 2008

EMINENT DOMAIN – MORATORIUM – May 2006, 2008