This is Your Best Chance to Overturn the Unconstitutional Hunter Harassment Law in Pennsylvania and Pave the Way for National Change

Adele & Peter tell trespassing hunter to leave

C.A.S.H. - the Committee to Abolish Sport Hunting has first-hand knowledge of the miscarriage of justice involving the "Hunter Harassment Statutes" in several states.

Jan Haagensen's case is especially outrageous. Jan is a land-owner and an attorney in Pennsylvania. After Jan told a hunting party that was approaching her and her land not to trespass, **Jan was charged with no less than six counts of hunter harassment!**

Rather than accept a plea-bargain, which would have resulted in a nominal fee and allowed her to continue her law practice, **Jan chose to fight the charges in court so that she could prevent this from happening to others.** She lost in the local court where typically "judges" are appointed by the "good ole boys" or pushed through by the "good-ole-boys" machine. "Judges" are politically connected residents who frequently have no legal training, so it is no surprise that the judge found Jan guilty of all six counts!

Moving to an appellate court with real judges, Jan won! The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania didn't attempt to justify the trial court's outrageous decision and didn't bother to even file a response to her appeal.

Jan's victory in appellate court has since been entered as case law in "Purdon's Pennsylvania Statutes and Consolidated Statutes Annotated." Purdon's is the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania authority for case law citations. 34.PA.C.S.A. §2302 and 29a Pa D 2d-63 Key No.9 refer to Jan's case and her decisive victory over the bogus trial court decision.

That has positive consequences for us! Now any future, similar hunter harassment case will have a much easier time getting dismissed because of the case-law established by Jan Haagensen's decisive and courageous action.

C.A.S.H. is currently in the process of seeking funding to bring Jan's civil case against local law enforcement forward. If she succeeds — and given her victory in appellate court that seems likely — then local law-enforcement will be hesitant to recklessly charge people with hunter-harassment.

All of this is being done with an eye towards overturning hunter harassment statutes that have kept those who oppose hunting – especially on their own land – in a stranglehold.

WE URGE YOU TO HELP OVERTURN THE HUNTER HARASSMENT STATUTE IN PA AS A STEP TOWARD OVERTURNING IT NATIONALLY.

You can do that by contributing to C.A.S.H.'s Legal Fund to help Jan win her case.

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