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WEDNESDAY: REP. SUSAN WILD, SEN. CASEY, LABOR SEC. WALSH TO JOIN HOME CARE WORKERS AT PRESS CONFERENCE FOR AMERICAN JOBS PLAN AND INVESTMENT IN HOME, COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES

Allentown, PA— The American Jobs Plan will drastically improve the lives of workers all across the American economy. It's not just a game changer for those who work in traditional 'roads and bridges' infrastructure; the funds can also transform human-centered infrastructure that keeps our communities running. Care work allows people to get back to work knowing the care needs of their family members are being met.

President Biden's American Jobs Plan makes a historic \$400 billion investment in home and community-based services and recognizes the critical role caregivers play in our economy. These funds would create 1 million new caregiver jobs and give home care workers the ability to bargain for better wages, affordable health care, and training.

For over 40 years, Liberty Resources Inc. (LRI) has advocated for independent living and Home and Community Based Services for disabled people in the Philadelphia area and surrounding regions. LRI cannot stress the importance of maintaining a reliable and sustainable attendant workforce.

"The disability community applauds Pres. Biden and Sen Casey for their leadership and innovation. This much needed infrastructure bill will upgrade our long, community based long term care system with improved wages, healthcare and technology to sustain our nation's fastest growing workforce of hard-working home caregivers needed for people with disabilities to live independently in integrated community settings." Thomas Earle, CEO LRI.

This Wednesday, Rep. Susan Wild, Sen. Bob Casey, U.S. Labor Secretary Marty Walsh, and several home care workers hosted a press conference in support of the American Jobs Plan and its investment in a home and community-based system that will finally allow seniors and people with disabilities to receive the quality care they deserve.

WHAT: Press Conference in support of the American Jobs Plan and investing in home care as a critical part of our nation's infrastructure

WHO: United Home Care Workers of Pennsylvania, SEIU Healthcare Pennsylvania, Rep. Susan Wild, Sen. Casey, Labor Sec. Walsh, Home Care Attendant Lynn Weidner, Home Care Consumer Brandon Kingsmore, and Home Care Employer, CEO of Liberty Resources Tom Earle, Fermina Maddox, Executive Director Liberty Home Choices

WHEN: Wednesday, June 2, 2021, 1:00 PM

WHERE: County Courthouse Steps -- 455 Hamilton St, Allentown, PA 18101

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Liberty Resources Inc.: Is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization in Pennsylvania that has served the disabled community for 40 years. Liberty Resources provides advocacy and additional services that protect an individual's right to choose the care he or she wants and needs while remaining safely and comfortably in their home. Its home care services include non-medical personal care, homemaking and personal organization, companionship, and mobility products and home modifications



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