



BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

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July 12, 2018

The Honorable Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.
Governor
State House
100 State Circle
Annapolis, MD 21403

Dear Governor Hogan:

I am writing to inform you that, after many hours of careful consideration and due to personal and family issues, I am resigning from the Board of Education of Anne Arundel County, effective July 31, 2018.

It has been an honor to serve on the Board and to represent the Latin American community in our county and beyond. It is my belief and hope that I have positively contributed to Anne Arundel County Public Schools and the public education system in general.

As I step down, I want to express my personal praise and admiration for Board President Julie Hummer, Vice President Terry Gilleland, and the majority of Board members with whom I have worked over the past two-plus years. Their arduous work on behalf of the children of Anne Arundel County has made our county better.

I also want to publicly thank Superintendent George Arlotto, a man of incredible integrity and passion who works tirelessly to oversee our state's fourth largest school system. He is the epitome of everything a quality educator should be, and our county is blessed to have him.

It is my hope that I will be able to continue to contribute to our school system and county in some other fashion in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Maria Delores Sasso".

Maria Delores Sasso
Board of Education
District 30

Cc: Dr. Karen B. Salmon, Maryland State Superintendent of Schools
Julie Hummer, President Board of Education of Anne Arundel County
Steven R. Schuh, Anne Arundel County Executive
Susannah Kipke, Chair, School Board Appointment Commission of Anne Arundel County