

STATE OF FLORIDA TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

DANA M. MOSS County Judge

November 10, 2022

Governor Ron DeSantis The Capitol 400 S. Monroe Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Governor DeSantis,

I am honored that you have appointed me to the Circuit Court bench to fill the vacancy created by Judge Kimberly Bonner's retirement in the Twelfth Judicial Circuit. I accept the Circuit appointment with sincerest gratitude and ask that you accept my resignation as a County Court Judge in Sarasota County effective as of midnight on November 10, 2022. It has been a privilege for me to serve as a County Judge since January 2019. My service in the Sarasota County Court will always be a highpoint of my career.

I respectfully request that my commission to the Circuit Court becomes effective as of November 11, 2022. I am humbled by the confidence you have placed in me. I remain committed to serving the State of Florida as a Circuit Judge to the best of my abilities.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dana M. Mess

Dana M. Moss

Cc:

Ryan Newman, Esq., General Counsel, Office of the Governor Chief Judge Charles Roberts, Twelfth Judicial Circuit Kimberly Miller, Twelfth Judicial Circuit Court Administrator