



October 12, 2023

The Honorable Ron DeSantis
Governor of the State of Florida
The Capitol
400 S. Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-001

Dear Governor DeSantis,

Please accept this letter as both my acceptance of my appointment to the position of Circuit Court Judge and my resignation from my current position of County Court Judge. It has been the highest honor and privilege to serve the people of Palm Beach County and the State of Florida from the County Court bench. I respectfully request that my term as Circuit Court Judge begin on October 16, 2023 at 12:00 a.m., and that my resignation from my commission as County Court Judge be effective October 15, 2023 at 11:59 p.m.

Thank you for this new position and for again putting your faith in me. I am grateful for the continued opportunity to serve in the judiciary, and I am humbled to be entrusted with this sacred Constitutional duty.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James W. Sherman".

James W. Sherman

Cc:
Chief Judge Glenn Kelley
Meredith Pardo