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Honorable Ron DeSantis  
Governor of The State of Florida  
The Capitol  
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Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

Via: USPS and Email to:  
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Re: Retirement from Position as Circuit Court Judge, Fourteenth Circuit, Group Three

Dear Governor DeSantis,

Please accept this letter as an announcement of my retirement and my resignation from the Office of Fourteenth Judicial Circuit Judge, effective December 31, 2021.

It has been a privilege and honor to serve the people of the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit and the State of Florida for the past eleven years.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John L. Fishel, II".

John L. Fishel, II  
Circuit Judge  
JLF/jr

cc: The Honorable Christopher N. Patterson, Chief Judge  
James W. Uthmeier, General Counsel, Office of the Governor  
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