



RICK SCOTT
GOVERNOR

April 2, 2013

The Honorable Rick DeFuria
Twelfth Judicial Circuit
P.O. Box 48927
Sarasota, Florida 34230

Dear Judge DeFuria:

Allow me this opportunity to accept your resignation as Judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Court, effective July 31, 2013. More importantly, please accept this letter as an expression of gratitude for your service to Florida.

Yours has been a life and legal career devoted to public service. As you retire from the bench, I hope you look back on your accomplishments with pride, and that you leave the bench with the firm knowledge that you served the people of Florida well and faithfully, and for that all Floridians are deeply grateful for your service.

On behalf of the State of Florida, thank you for your dedicated service. I wish you much happiness and every success in your retirement and in all your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick Scott".

Rick Scott
Governor