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Via Certified U.S. Mail and Email: [GovernorRon.Desantis@eog.myflorida.com](mailto:GovernorRon.Desantis@eog.myflorida.com)

Governor Ron DeSantis  
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The Capitol  
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Re: Resignation of Thirteenth Judicial Circuit Judge John Nicholas Conrad, Group 9

Dear Governor DeSantis:

Please accept this letter as notice of my resignation as a County Court Judge for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Group 9, effective February 29, 2024.

It has been a tremendous honor to serve the citizens of Hillsborough County, the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, and the State of Florida as a County Court Judge. For almost 18 years, I have been privileged to work with dedicated judges, attorneys, bailiffs, clerks, and judicial assistants who strive to instill faith in our judicial system on a daily basis. I have approached each day on the bench with an attitude of service and hopeful optimism that I could impact one or more individuals in a positive way. For having been given this opportunity, I will always be grateful. Although I am leaving my dream job, I have faith that you will fill my position with someone who values the importance of public service inherent in being a member of the judiciary.

I appreciate your attention to this matter and wish you continued success in all of your future endeavors.

Sincerely Yours,

John N. Conrad  
County Judge

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