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CONGRATULATIONS!!

Our Delaware charter community is thrilled to extend their heartfelt congratulations to Governor-elect Matt Meyer, Lieutenant Governor-elect Kyle Evans Gay, Senator-elect Lisa Blunt Rochester, and Representative-elect Sarah McBride, on their well-deserved and, in two of the cases, historic victories, as well as to all of Delaware's newly and re-elected city, county, and statewide officials.

Having known each of these tremendous leaders for some time, I can personally attest to their unwavering dedication to Delaware's students, families, and educators and to the importance of excellent educational opportunities in our state. Governor-elect Meyer's experience as a charter public school teacher and his ongoing advocacy for education give me immense hope for the future of Delaware's schools. Lieutenant Governor-elect Gay has consistently been a champion for children and families, and her commitment will be a tremendous asset to our state's leadership.

Senator-elect Lisa Blunt Rochester has once again made history with her victory as the first Black Delawarean and the first woman to represent the First State in the Senate. Her continued leadership on the national stage is a source of pride for our state. Her work to advance equity and opportunity inspires all of us to strive for excellence in everything we do.

I am also deeply inspired by Representative-elect Sarah McBride's groundbreaking election as the first openly transgender person to the U.S. House of Representatives. Her courage, leadership, and vision promise a brighter and more inclusive future for Delaware's communities.

The possibilities and opportunities ahead for education in Delaware and our country under the leadership of these exceptional individuals are endless. Our students deserve leaders who are passionate, forward-thinking, and committed to their success, and I know we have that in Matt, Kyle, Lisa, and Sarah.

Congratulations to you all—I look forward to working together to make a meaningful impact on the lives of Delaware's children and families.

Warm regards,

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