



Hello friends,

Since summer is right around the corner, I wanted to take some time out to remind you that in one month from now, on **July 19th**, you have a choice. On July 19th, Marylanders will go to the polls to make their voices heard in the primary election. After eight years in office, Governor Hogan is term limited, and you have a say in selecting our next governor.

For me, the choice is very easy.

I am proud to **endorse Kelly Schulz as our next governor**. Kelly is the best candidate to lead our state forward. She has been an important partner in supporting Southern Maryland and our economic development throughout her career. She is committed to fostering a strong economy in Southern Maryland and throughout our state.

Kelly Schulz is the only Republican candidate for governor who can win in November. Kelly has a tremendous record of success as a Frederick County delegate and in the governor's cabinet as the Secretary of Labor and as the Secretary of Commerce. While serving in the cabinet, Kelly:

- led nationally recognized job training and apprenticeship programs
- removed barriers for business by eliminating or streamlining hundreds of regulations
- supported and was a great friend to our family farmers, small business owners, and job creators across the State of Maryland

Due in large part to her work, Maryland now ranks as **the most improved state for business in America**.

I have every confidence that she will make a great governor and continue to make sure that every Marylander has the opportunity to prosper and fulfil their own dreams. As governor Kelly will:

- fight for lower taxes
- fight to tackle the violent crime crisis across our state
- fight to give parents more of a voice in their child's education.

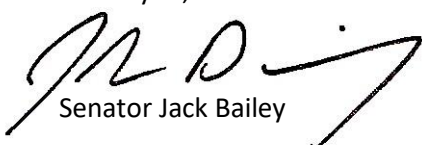
With record high inflation, record high gas prices, and costs skyrocketing, Kelly Schulz is the only candidate who has made issues of affordability a center piece of her campaign. She's committed to cutting taxes for retirees and stopping automatic increases to the gas tax, so that all Marylanders can receive relief at the pump.

Kelly supports our law enforcement and wants to treat police officers like heroes and criminals like criminals. She has received the support of seven sheriffs, including St. Mary's County Sheriff Tim Cameron and Calvert County Sheriff Mike Evans, because they know that she will be tough on violent criminals and that she supports the brave men and women in law enforcement.

We've made a lot of progress over these last few years, and we want to continue to move our state in the right direction. If Kelly Schulz is not the Republican nominee for governor, then Maryland is sure to reverse course and go back to one party rule in Annapolis where the progressives will pass tax increases on demand and make our state less competitive economically – we cannot afford for that to happen.

I hope that you will join me on July 19th and vote for Kelly Schulz.

Thank you,



Senator Jack Bailey