

## STATE ELECTION BOARD

July 18, 2023

Honorable Brian P. Kemp Governor State of Georgia 206 Washington Street Suite 201, State Capital Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Dear Governor Kemp:

Thank you for extending to me the privilege of serving the citizens of our state as Chair of the State Election Board. When you asked me to serve, I knew this new nonpartisan role was a meaningful position of public service and a unique challenge as the State Election Board transitioned to a new leadership structure under SB202. Now that a new Board structure is in place, it is important to name the next Chair in sufficient time for that person to continue to prepare for the 2024 election cycle. For that reason, I am announcing my resignation effective September 1, 2023.

I want to express my deep appreciation to you for allowing me this opportunity to serve our state. It has been an honor to work to preserve the integrity and fairness of the state's election process.

Sincerely,

William S. Duffey, Jr.

Chair