

Date: September 27, 2023

To: Board of Directors

From: David Aranda, Interim General Manage

Subject: Accept The Renne Public Law Group's, with Ann Danforth as General Counsel,

Resignation from Serving as General Counsel for KPPCSD

Recommendation

Accept the resignation of Ann Danforth as General Counsel with a motion, second and vote.

Background

On September 22, 2023 the Board received Ms. Danforth's resignation letter which is attached.

Exhibits

• Resignation Letter from Ann Danforth, General Counsel

From: Ann Danforth adanforth8@outlook.com Sent: Friday, September 22, 2023 1:59 PM

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Subject: ONE-WAY COMMUNICATION

Dear Directors of the Board:

After much consideration, I have decided to resign my position as General Counsel to the Kensington Police Protection and Community Services District.

When I began my work with this community, in April of 2017, the District was at a major crossroads, both with respect to its internal structure and upcoming policy issues. I came out of retirement to help with the transitions, planning to stay only a year or two. I stayed longer because the District has been such a rewarding client. My tenure has seen a number of controversies, some of which became outright battles. But throughout, I have been consistently impressed by the work ethic and commitment of the Directors, past and current, and the passionate devotion of so many residents to their community.

I will remain available to provide legal advice until the District has retained a new General Counsel and to assist that new counsel with the transition as needed. I thank the Board for the opportunity to serve and the District's fantastic staff for all of their support.

All the best,

Ann