

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Office of the Governor

Glenn Youngkin Governor

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Hollins Communications Research Institute Attn: Dr. Jody Hershey 7851 Enon Drive Roanoke, Virginia 24019

Dear Dr. Hershey,

On behalf of the Commonwealth of Virginia, congratulations on receiving the Maurice "Mo" Mullet Lifetime of Service Award from the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NAACHO). What a tremendous honor!

This award is a fitting tribute to your distinguished career and demonstrated leadership in the field of public health for over 35 years. In service to the Commonwealth, you have consistently dedicated yourself to promoting excellence in public health with the Virginia Health Department, providing a clear vision and strong direction on improving health outcomes, disease prevention, and environmental protection. Your energy, enthusiasm, and effective leadership represents the very best in local public health. As you reflect on your exemplary career, you can be proud of the legacy you have left and the respect and admiration you have earned.

The First Lady and I commend you for displaying the highest ideals of service and making our Commonwealth an even better place to live, work, and raise a family. Thank you for strengthening the Spirit of Virginia.

Sincerely,

Glenn Youngkin