



OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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Michelle Jones

Dear Michelle:

Thank you for taking the time to contact my office. I appreciate you sharing your views on Covid-19's impact on your life, and I am deeply saddened to hear about your current struggle.

I share your concerns on how Covid-19 has caused a struggle for work-life balance. We must acknowledge that Covid has laid everything bare we cannot go back, we must go forward and work to recover stronger from this pandemic. Addressing family leave is a top priority.

I am deeply committed to elevating the voices of Vermonters, and I hope you will not hesitate to contact my office again. I look forward to seeing you in your community soon.

Wishing you good health as we work together to ensure Vermont recovers stronger from this pandemic.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Molly R. Gray". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "M" and "G".

Molly R. Gray
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Hello, I have been following your FB page and your posts on COVID and support of workforce legislation to help. I live in Essex and work outside the home as well as care for my 2 children. I have struggled carrying the load of parenting, school and childcare closure, support of remote learning while maintaining my job. I attempted to use the family leave act and was denied by my employer as it is under 50 employees. This has been a struggle. I have reached out to various agencies for help and have not connected with anything tangible. I look forward to hearing more about your support. Thank you,

Michelle