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Linda Seifert, Chair
Solano County Board of Supervisors
675 Texas Street, 6th Floor
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Dear Chair Seifert:

Please accept this letter as my official notice to resign from office as Solano County District Attorney, effective 5 p.m. on August 15, 2014. I have accepted an offer to join the San Francisco District Attorney's Office, beginning on August 18, 2014, so that I may continue to prosecute crime on behalf of the People of the State of California.

It has been a great privilege to have served the residents of Solano County as a Deputy District Attorney since 1993, and as their elected District Attorney since 2011. I leave this office with enormous gratitude for the contributions that the members of my office have made toward protecting our community's safety. The County is fortunate to have so many dedicated and hard-working employees, including attorneys, investigators, victim advocates and support staff, employed within the District Attorney's Office.

I am also grateful for the contributions of the Board of Supervisors and the many other County officials with whom I have worked over the years. While managing the District Attorney's Office has been challenging during these lean fiscal times, I have appreciated the exceptional competence and collaborative nature of our County government. I have especially appreciated the collaborative manner in which we worked to launch the Solano Family Justice Center last year in its new location in Fairfield, to create a new Truancy Court to ensure that our children successfully graduate from school, and to increase my office's resources to crack down on real estate fraud that targets seniors and other vulnerable members of our community.

I have enjoyed working with you, Madame Chair, and the other members of the Board both past and present. I wish you and the residents of our county whom you serve all the best in the years ahead.

Sincerely,

Donald A. du Bain
District Attorney