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Dear Friend,

Thank you for all of your hard work and support for my wife, Cathy Cox, in her run for Governor. With your help, we tried to raise the issues that you and I care about. Although Cathy did not win, I am proud of the race we ran and sincerely appreciate your support.

I write today to ask you to support Jim Martin in his race for Lieutenant Governor. Jim is a long-time friend of Cathy's and mine. We have known him and his family for over 20 years. He is a man of exceptional integrity, political courage, and commitment to the issues we care about.

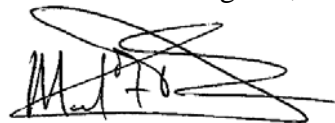
Jim is a Vietnam veteran and an elder in his church. He and his wife Joan have been married for 36 years, and they have four children and two grandchildren. Jim served in the state legislature for 18 years, including five years with Cathy's father and three years with Cathy. During that time, I also had the great pleasure of working with Jim when he chaired the powerful House Judiciary Committee and I represented the Supreme Court of Georgia.

In 2001, Governor Barnes appointed Jim Commissioner of the Department of Human Resources. Jim's leadership of the Department continued under Governor Perdue. In his 35 years of public service, Jim has built a strong reputation not only for working hard and being a man of great integrity, but also for his ability to bridge ideological divides to get things done for the people of Georgia.

With only two weeks remaining before the general election, the latest polling from Insider Advantage and Strategic Vision as well as Jim's own internal polling show that the race is very close, with a significant number of undecided voters. While the Republican candidate, Casey Cagle, has higher name recognition, Jim is more favorably regarded by voters who recognize both candidates. The challenge is to introduce Jim to the rest of Georgia. Jim needs our help now, and it is vitally important that we give it to him. **Please join me by contributing \$1,000, \$500, or \$250 to Jim's campaign.** (Of course, any contribution to his campaign will be greatly appreciated.) If you have already contributed, please consider making one last contribution before Election Day. You can do this online today at [www.jimforgeorgia.com](http://www.jimforgeorgia.com) or by mailing your check to P.O. Box 9019, Atlanta, GA 31106.

Thank you!

With best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Dehler', with a large, sweeping flourish above it.

Mark Dehler

P.S. It is not too late to help! This race will be decided in the final two weeks. Your support today will help Jim get his message out and get voters to the polls on November 7<sup>th</sup>! Please contribute today.