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January 9, 2023

Ronald Lee Goldy, Jr.


RE: Impeachment

Dear Mr. Goldy:

On January 4, 2023, a resolution was filed in the Kentucky House of Representatives “directing the appointment of a committee to determine whether there is sufficient cause to institute impeachment proceedings against” you, as the Commonwealth’s attorney for the 21st Judicial Circuit. This resolution details multiple allegations against you in your capacity as Commonwealth’s attorney. *See* HR 11. As the resolution is attached, I will not recount the allegations here.

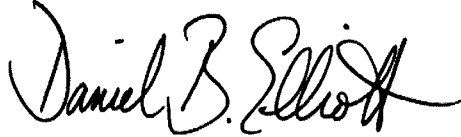
On that same day, the House Impeachment Committee was established and its membership appointed. On January 5, the Committee met and decided to reach out to you regarding its proceedings.

As of this writing, the Committee is in the process of collecting information and records on this matter, including but not limited to, the report of the Special Commissioner appointed by the Supreme Court of Kentucky. The Committee has also determined that the record may not be complete without some input from the accused.

Please respond to this letter in writing (including electronically) with your intentions to address this matter by 4:30 p.m. on January 16, 2023. You are welcome to appear before the Committee in person or in writing and to supplement the record at a date to be determined. Per the Committee’s rules, any response shall be considered a public record, unless the Committee determines that the record should be sealed.

Note that any communication with members of the Committee, except writings directed to the Chair, is expressly prohibited. You may contact me, in writing, in my official capacity as Chairman of the Committee with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Daniel B. Elliott". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent initial "D".

Representative Daniel Elliott
Chairman, House Impeachment Committee

Attachments: 23 RS House Resolution 11
Rules of the Committee on Impeachment