



April 20, 2023

*Sent via email*

Dear Judge Hidalgo, Commissioner Ellis, Commissioner Garcia, Commissioner Ramsey, and Commissioner Briones:

I was recently approached with an offer to serve as a senior executive for a renewable energy company, and after careful deliberation, I have decided to accept the opportunity. As a result, I will be leaving my post as Harris County Administrator.

I am deeply grateful for the opportunity to serve you and the residents of Harris County. I believe our County has made great progress toward being a more effective, transparent, accountable, and equitable government. From standing up a nationally-recognized American Rescue Plan program, to securing unprecedented funding for the Flood Control District, to passing the 2022 bond program—among many other accomplishments—I am proud to have supported your efforts. I am also proud to have supported all the incredible public servants who work at Harris County.

I will be available to continue working for the County until May 19, 2023, or any other earlier date that best supports the transition. I will do everything I can to support this transition. My office will be placing an item on the April 25 agenda for Commissioners Court to determine the appropriate next steps.

Prior to coming to work at Harris County in 2020, my career had been in renewable energy. I had always intended to return to this field at some point, and I have been presented with an incredible opportunity. I will be able to share additional specifics at a later date.

In the meantime, I would again like to express my gratitude for the opportunity to work with you and the team at Harris County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "D. Berry".

David Berry  
County Administrator  
Harris County