

May 12, 2022

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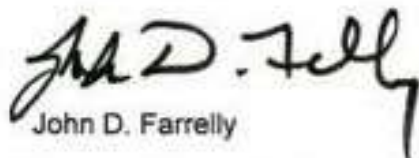
Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948
Certified Delivery

Ms. Cook,

At the May 10, 2022 meeting of the Dare County Board of Education, you made several FALSE, SLANDEROUS, and DEFAMATORY statements about me in my role as the Superintendent of Dare County Schools during the public comments portion of the meeting. You have committed civil wrong, are negligent for slander, have caused inherent damage, and have met the North Carolina falsity pillar of defamation. My personal attorney has reviewed the live meeting recording from last evening and is prepared to file a complaint with the Dare County District Attorney's Office.

I will pursue a civil action defamation lawsuit against you should you state one more slanderous word about me in any manner. In addition, if you make a written false statement about me, I will pursue a civil action lawsuit against you for libel and seek out a Class 2 misdemeanor charge, monetary damages, and prosecution under the laws of the North Carolina General Statutes for your malicious actions.

You will cease and desist your illegal actions. Your recorded statements have permanently damaged my reputation, are completely false, harmful to my wife and children, and will not be tolerated. If you make one more false statement about me, my attorney will immediately file a complaint with the Dare County District Attorney's Office with the intent to pursue a civil lawsuit and charges against you.



John D. Farrelly

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