



# County Commissioners of Charles County

## PROCLAMATION 2025-03

### National School Choice Week

**WHEREAS**, children in Charles County should have access to the highest-quality education possible; and

**WHEREAS**, Charles County recognizes the important role that an effective education plays in preparing all students in Charles County to be successful adults; and

**WHEREAS**, Charles County is home to a multitude of high-quality public and nonpublic schools from which parents can choose for their children, in addition to families who educate their children in the home; and

**WHEREAS**, educational variety not only helps to diversify our economy, but also enhances the vibrancy of our community; and

**WHEREAS**, Charles County has many high-quality teaching professionals in all types of school settings who are committed to educating our children; and

**WHEREAS**, School Choice Week is celebrated across the country by millions of students, parents, educators, schools and organizations to raise awareness of the need for effective educational options.

**NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND**, do hereby proclaim January 26 - February 1, 2025 as **National School Choice Week** in Charles County, and do call this observance to the attention of all of our residents.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF  
CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND



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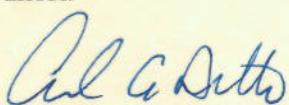


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