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DELEGATE HOPE'S STATEMENT TO THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONGRESSMAN JIM MORAN'S RETIREMENT FROM CONGRESS

Richmond – Today, we honor the service of one of Northern Virginia's most dedicated public servants. I know I join many in thanking Congressman Jim Moran for over thirty five years of hard work, dedication, and service and especially his past twenty three years as our Member in the House of Representatives. He will surely be missed but his legacy will be long-lasting, not only to his constituents but to our entire great Commonwealth as he spent "his career working to make this one of the best places in the world to live, work, and raise a family."

My wife, Kristen, and I wish him the very best in his future endeavors and hope he will enjoy time with his family and many friends across Northern Virginia.

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