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Mr. Moreno Carrasco
Principal
Richard Montgomery High School
250 Richard Montgomery Drive
Rockville, Maryland 20852

Dear Mr. Carrasco:

On behalf of your Maryland family, please extend to your faculty, staff, and students my congratulations and sincere appreciation for the dedication and hard work that resulted in Richard Montgomery High School being named one of **The 100 Best High Schools in America** by *Newsweek Magazine*. Thank you for bringing this honor to Maryland!

The Ehrlich-Steele Administration is proud that for the second consecutive year, our budget contains the largest increase in K-12 education funding in Maryland history. Although our schools are receiving historic levels of funding, our young people cannot succeed without a dedicated school community. We know that each day, principals, teachers, and staff make lasting connections with students that inspire, encourage, and enable them to succeed. Thank you for your part in this invaluable effort.

I wish you continued success at Richard Montgomery High School. Godspeed.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr." in a cursive style.

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.
Governor

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